

## POLICE/FIRE CALLS

Listed below are some of the Farmington area police incidents, fire calls and court cases reported during the past week.

## VANDALISM

A piece of concrete was thrown through a 2-by-4 foot window at Mark Automotive on Research in Farmington Hills May 17-18 causing \$400 in damage.

The driver's side door on three cars at Bob Sellers car dealership on Grand River in Farmington Hills were scratched May 17-18 causing \$200 damage to each. A 1993 white Pontiac Bonneville, a 1993 gray Pontiac Grand Am and a 1993 red Pontiac Grand Am were damaged.

## BAD CHECK

A check for \$691.21 written to H.A. Smith Lumber on Grand River in Farmington Hills Feb. 17 was from a closed account.

## AUTO THEFT

An unlocked 1988 yellow Pontiac Firebird worth \$4,000 was stolen from a residence on Brantchester May 13-14.

## BREAK-INS

Stealing golf equipment was part for the course as several Farmington Hills residents found out. Ping golf clubs and a bag worth \$1,800 were stolen from a garage on Highmeadow between April 15 and May 9.

Wilson golf clubs worth \$1,000, sunglasses worth \$130 and men's

shirts and slacks worth \$600 were stolen from a maroon 1991 Dodge Stealth parked on Research in Farmington Hills May 19. The driver's side window was smashed causing \$200 in damage.

A 1988 red Ford Festiva, also parked on Research May 19 was broken into. The driver's side window and rear hatch window and defroster causing \$550 in damage. Ping golf irons worth \$500, Wilson woods worth \$200 and a golf bag worth \$150 were stolen.

A digital multi meter worth \$150 and tools worth \$50 were stolen from a 1977 blue Ford Bronco parked at Reception, Inc. on Research in Farmington Hills May 18-19. The driver's door was pried open, causing \$100 in damage.

Items worth \$2,500 were stolen from a blue 1992 Ford Mustang GT parked on Bridgeman in Farmington Hills May 18-19. The passenger window was smashed causing \$500 in damage. The items included a Kenwood CD player worth \$500, golf clubs worth \$750 and a golf bag with the letter "S" on it worth \$120.

## EMBEZZLEMENT

On April 1, \$700 in cash was missing from the Kmart on Orchard Lake in Farmington Hills. On April 22, another \$1,000 was missing.

## THEFTS

A boat battery worth \$80 and a

three-speed trolling motor worth \$300 were stolen from a residence on Jefferson May 15-19.

Women's jewelry worth \$1,000 was stolen from an apartment at the Timber Ridge Circle on Timber Ridge in Farmington Hills May 14.

Three hub caps worth \$150 were stolen from a blue 1991 Geo parked at the Stoneridge Apartments on Freedom May 19-20.

## FRAUD

A Farmington Hills man's credit card number was used to charge \$2,993.75 in purchases between March 28 and April 28.

## AUTO THEFT

A 1990 black Dodge Daytona worth \$3,000 was stolen from the Independence Green Apartments on Independence in Farmington Hills May 18-19.

Farmington Hills Police arrested two men after they stopped them on Grand River and Pearl because the 1992 green Jeep Cherokee worth \$20,000 and a 1980 Pontiac Trans Am they were driving were reported as stolen. The Cherokee had been stolen from a residence at the Diamond Forest Apartments on Halsted in Farmington Hills at 2:03 a.m. on May 21 after a window had been smashed causing \$1,000 in damage. The Jeep and the Pontiac, which had been reported as stolen from Livonia, traveled east on M-102. Undercover police and a patrolman stopped the cars and arrested two Detroit men without incident.

A Farmington resident reported wheel covers worth \$400 stolen from a 1993 Ford Escort May 20.

## BONE FOUND

A Farmington Public Works mechanic found a knuckle bone while cleaning out a piece of sewer cleaning equipment. Police, unsure if it's from livestock, a large dog or a human, have sent it to the Michigan State Police crime lab for analysis.

## LARCENY IN BUILDING

Police responded to a report of a larceny at Shoptown in Farmington May 20 in which an employee witnessed two women conceal five pairs of shoes. When they spotted police, the employee said one woman put some of them on the rack and the other dropped some pairs on the floor. The two women, who are both from Detroit, were arrested.

## SUSPICIOUS PERSONS

A resident on Grand River in Farmington became suspicious after two teenagers came to the going door to door selling subscriptions to the Detroit News and one of the individuals asked to use the bathroom. Police checked the vehicle and found Detroit News subscription forms. One of the occupants was found to have an outstanding DNI warrant and one was listed as a juvenile runaway.

## Hills woman dies in Haggerty crash

A Farmington Hills woman was killed in an auto accident early Friday morning.

The 32-year-old woman, whose name police were not releasing until her family was notified, apparently tried to pass a van driving north on Haggerty about one-half mile south of 10 Mile in the right flank lane at a "T" intersection with Village Wood Road, police said.

The driver and passenger in the van told police that the woman was driving at a high rate of speed when she tried to pass them on

the right flank lane, then lost control.

The car, a 1988 Lanza Impulse, flipped over five times before landing upside down. The woman was thrown from the car, landing a short distance from the shoulder.

An EMS crew arrived on the scene shortly thereafter, but the woman was already dead.

Her body was taken to the Oakland County Medical Examiner's office for an autopsy. Police have not determined whether alcohol was a factor in the accident.

## ON THE AGENDA

Below are highlights from the agendas of meetings this week. All meetings are open to the public.

**Farmington Hills City Council**  
Farmington Hills City Hall  
474-6115

7:30 p.m. Monday, May 24, 1993

Agenda items include:  
■ Consideration of determination of a special assessment district for road rehabilitation for Woodcreek Farms subdivision and a notice of intent to issue bonds.  
■ Consideration of a public hearing for consideration of the second amended project plan for the north Valley Office Project.  
■ Consideration of enactment of

ordinance to convey property for fire station 2.

■ Consideration of adoption of a resolution confirming the language for a notice of a public hearing on increasing property taxes to be set for Monday, June 7.

■ Consideration of adoption of a resolution setting the date for a special election for library bonding and operating propositions.

■ Consideration of adoption of the city council summer meeting schedule.

■ Consideration of proceeding with architectural services for fire station 2 addition.

■ Consideration of approval of sewer program with the city of Southfield.

## INVITATION TO BID

Farmington Public Schools will accept sealed bids for roof renovations until 1:30 P.M., Monday, June 7, 1993 at the Lewis Schellman Administration Center, 33500 Shawwassee, Farmington, Michigan 48334, addressed to Beverly Hansen at which time they will be publicly opened and read for presentation to the Board of Education at their next regularly scheduled meeting. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities therein, or for reasons of establishing uniformity, to award the contract to other than the low bidder. There will be a mandatory prebid meeting at 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, May 25, 1993 at Farmington High School, 33000 Shawwassee, Farmington, Michigan 48334. A bid bond or certified check for 5% of the bid must accompany the bid. Bid specifications and documents may be obtained after May 18, 1993 from the purchasing department, 33500 Shawwassee, Farmington, Michigan 48334. Please call (313) 483-3346 to confirm availability.

JOSEPH A. SVOKE, Secretary  
Board of Education

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KATHRYN A. DORNAN,  
City Clerk

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## SPECIAL ANNUAL COUNCIL MEETING WITH FARMINGTON BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE (Summary)

A special meeting of the Farmington City Council and the Farmington Beautification Commission was held on Monday, May 17, 1993, in Council Chambers, 33000 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan. Notice of the meeting was posted in compliance with Public Act 287-1978. The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mayor Hartsock. COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Campbell, Hartsock, McShane, Richardson. FARMINGTON BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: Bittling, Danson, Pispatis, McKeay, Ogleby (arrived 6:30 p.m.), Shelly. CITY REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT: City Manager Lauboff. Council held an annual meeting with the Beautification Commission to discuss the plan and projects of the Commission. Meeting adjourned at 6:55 P.M.

WILLIAM S. HARTSOCK, Mayor  
PATSY K. CANTRELL, Clerk/Treasurer

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## SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING RE: CITY NEWSLETTER (Summary)

A special meeting of the Farmington City Council regarding the City Newsletter was held on Monday, May 17, 1993, in Council Chambers, 33000 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan. Notice of the meeting was posted in compliance with Public Act 287-1978. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor Hartsock. COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Campbell, Hartsock, McShane, Richardson, Tupper. CITY REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT: City Manager Lauboff, Adm. Asst. Schellman. Council met with Ron Baker of Marketing Communications Council, Inc. to discuss ways of improving the City newsletter. Council presented their ideas and suggested content for future editions of the newsletter. Meeting adjourned at 7:55 P.M.

WILLIAM S. HARTSOCK, Mayor  
PATSY K. CANTRELL, Clerk/Treasurer

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## We interrupt this newspaper to talk about television.

You probably gave it a lot of thought before you ordered cable television, after all, it is an added household expense.

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