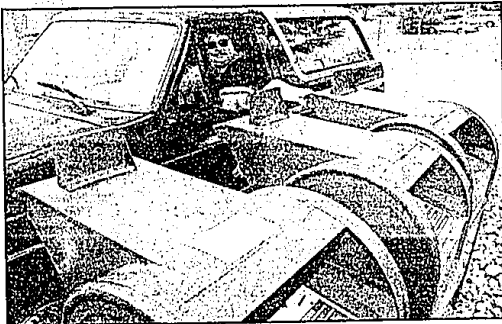


Where, oh, where? John Molson of Farmington mails an envelope at the mailboxes behind the former post office on Slocum. Some residents have had trouble finding the mailboxes that were recently moved. The boxes were moved when the lease on the post office expired July 31.



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we're concerned," said Farmington City Manager Frank Lulhoff. Bowers said the decision to uproot the mailboxes in the first place was a surprise to her. On Aug. 14, she received a notice that the structures would be moved that day from the east side of the closed Slocum facility — where they had been since 1982.

Necessitating the mailbox move was the July 31 expiration of the post office lease for the Slocum station. That station closed in May 1997, coinciding with the opening of a retail center in the Downtown Farmington

Center. In December 1997, a lotter carrier annex on Indoplex Circle opened. "The person who bought the building wanted them moved so he could repave," explained Bowers, who said she lives in the neighborhood and regularly uses those mailboxes.

Because the temporary spot will become the permanent one, pending city approval, details about how the mailboxes are grouped will need to be ironed out, Bowers said.

To assist letter carriers in the emptying of mailboxes, it will be recommended to have all six mailboxes in a straight line, facing the same way. Currently, three mailboxes back up to three others.

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School starts for C'ville kids

For students in the Clarenceville School District, summer vacation ends this week, with Aug. 25 the first day of school for most youngsters.

The district has mailed start-of-school information to school district residents. Information also can be called up on home computers on sites maintained by both districts.

Clarenceville's Web site address is www.clarenceville.k12.mi.us.

Clarenceville's back-to-school schedule is as follows:

- Morning kindergarten students and grades 1-5 have a half-day session Aug. 25. There is no school for afternoon kindergartners.

- The first full day of school for all elementary students is Aug. 26.

- Middle school students have a half-day of school Aug. 25. The first full day of school for grades 6-7 and 8 is Aug. 26.

- High school students have a half-day session Aug. 25. Their first full day of school is Aug. 26.

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