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Clubwomen Are Guests Of WSU

Two Farmington women were among the guests at a women's club party held Feb. 28 at Wayne State University. They attended a luncheon in McGregor Memorial Center and saw a performance of "A Flea in Her Ear" at the Hilberry Theatre.

The two were Mrs. George Sirko, 30070 Lochmoor, representing the Franklin Knolls Women's Club, and Mrs. Charles Conn, 28832 Leamington, representing the Antioch Lutheran Church Women's group.

Albert P. Herzog, Attorney
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STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
No. 76,761
Estate of IRENE T. SHAW, Deceased.

It is Ordered that on April 9, 1968, at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Albert P. Herzog, Administrator with Will Annexed, praying for the allowance of his 7th Annual Account; and for an extension of time in which to close said estate;

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: February 28, 1968
Albert P. Herzog, Attorney
23290 Farmington Road
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DONALD E. ADAMS
Judge of Probate
3-3, 10, 17

To Discuss Learning Problems

The first general meeting of a new Farmington chapter of the Michigan Association for Children With Learning Disabilities will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday, March 7, in East Junior High School.

Speakers will include Jean Lukens, Oakland County special education director; Douglas Smith, Farmington special education director; Edith Grown, diagnostician of the Farmington schools; Fran King, vice president of M.A.C.L.D., and Dr. Kenneth Stewart.

They will outline problems of children who have a normal, potentially normal, or even above average intelligence, but who have learning disabilities arising from perceptual, conceptual, or coordinative problems, sometimes accompanied by behavior difficulties.

At the present time, two perceptual development classes are being specially instructed so that they can overcome individual learning disabilities and return to regular classes.

All parents interested in the problem and the association's efforts to develop a program for the assistance of such children are urged to attend Thursday's meeting.

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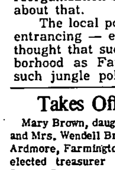
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NOTICE
BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment roll of the Township of Farmington, that said roll will be subject to inspection at the Township offices in the Farmington Township Hall located at 31555 Eleven Mile Road, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 1968
9:00 A.M. - 12:00 Noon
2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

MONDAY, MARCH 11, 1968
9:00 A.M. - 12:00 Noon
2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1968
3:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.

The Board of Review will be in session and upon request of any person who is assessed on said roll or his agent and upon sufficient cause being shown, correct assessment on such property in such manner as will in their judgment make the value relatively just and equal.

Such assessment roll received by said Board of Review shall be the assessment roll of said Township of Farmington for the year 1968.

CURTIS H. HALL
TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR

Publish
(Feb. 25, 28, and 3-3-68)

FARMINGTON THRU .... BIFOCALS

By FRED DELANO

SOME OF THE STUDENTS who are enrolled at the Orchard Ridge branch of Oakland Community College are wailing like wounded caribou because of the fines with which they're being slapped in Farmington Township Justice Court for violating campus parking regulations. For that matter, so would I if I were slugged 25 clams just for leaving my old heap where it didn't belong when honestly, judge, I thought the "Reserved" sign was a personal courtesy long deserved.

However, once having been rapped in the wallet like that by Justice of the Peace Byron Walter I'll be damned if I'd park in that spot again. That, you see, is the intended message.

This parking topic is one part of the verbiage which follows, and the other part concerns an open wound in township government circles into which I seem to have poured some salt when I started asking questions to find out what gives with the parking bit.

You see, we have two elected justices in the township, Walter and Robert H. Nelson. Until you pry the lid off this can of worms, you'd naturally think there would be harmony between both of them and all arms of the law enforcement fellows, including the township administration.

If you're a taxpayer who has newly moved into the township, it might alarm you just a bit to find that township police have boycotted one of the two "JP's" (Nelson) by not taking a single case to him since Aug. 17, 1963. That's four years, six months and 15 days.

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JUDGE WALTER, who doubles as vice-president and trust officer of a well known Detroit bank, makes no bones about the severity of his fines. Any parking regulation violator anywhere in the township gets hit for $10 if he pays within 10 days, or $25 if he lets the ticket gather dust longer than that.

An extremely capable jurist and no molly-coddler, Walter takes the attitude: "If a person goes away smiling, I haven't fined him enough."

There's a well recognized human tendency to let parking tickets accumulate because in many areas the rap isn't any worse than what a parking lot guy would charge. One word of warning around these parts: Don't. The penalty schedule may be too harsh, but now that you know what it is, be guided accordingly.

At O.C.C. the three campus cops are deputized by the sheriff, and a resolution passed by the college board of trustees gives township courts authority to handle campus violations.

The students may not like it, but that's the way it is. The traffic volume around the college yields as many offenders as all the rest of the township put together. But once the word gets around about the penalties, there are not apt to be many repeaters.

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SOME YEARS AGO, all traffic citations issued in the township were assigned equally between the two courts. Evenly numbered tickets went before one judge, the odd numbers to the other. That's no longer true.

As the story goes, Judge Nelson stepped on some important political toes, besides incensing township police personally in a case or two, and since August of '63 he's been getting the official snub. Police claim they can take cases to whichever court they prefer, and Nelson they avoid like the plague.

This hasn't left the judge idle, for in 1967 alone Nelson handled some 1,500 criminal charges, but they were originated either by Michigan State Police or the prosecutor's office — most of them the state.

Each "JP" pays all his own office costs and his own staff, but Walter rents his space in township hall, while Nelson holds court in his private law office in a shopping center.

Walter first was elected a justice of the peace in 1965, while Nelson won his first term in 1959 and then was reelected in 1963. Both jobs are supposed to be phased out of existence at the end of this year under terms of Michigan's new constitution. But unless the legislature passes a court reorganization bill, there may be some doubt even about that.

The local political intrigue in this situation is entrancing — even amusing. Who would have thought that such a sleepy little ol' rural neighborhood as Farmington Township could spawn such jungle politics?

Takes Office

Mary Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Brown, 29921 Ardmore, Farmington, has been elected treasurer of Gamma Sigma Sigma sorority at the University of Wisconsin. She is a senior in physical therapy at the university.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
No. 94,914
ESTATE OF JOSEPHINE MAUDE MACAULEY, Deceased.

IT IS ORDERED that on May 13, 1968 at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said estate are required to prove their claims and on or before such hearing file their claims, in writing and under oath, with this Court, and serve a copy upon Edwin T. Clemens, Administrator, 18615 Edinborough Road, Detroit, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.
DONALD E. ADAMS,
Judge of Probate
Dated: February 20, 1968.
Harold A. Larson, Attorney
29700 Orchard Lake Road
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FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD MINUTES

A Special Meeting of the Farmington Township Board was held on February 19th, A.D. 1968 at the Farmington Township Hall, Farmington, Michigan. Meeting was called to order at 7:40 p.m. by Mr. Curtis Hall, Chairman. Members present were Hall, Thomas, Nolan and Klopp; absent were Avery, Opperthauser and Skillman.

PUBLIC HEARING — Cost Estimate for Sanitary Sewers on Medbury and Hemlock, Supervisor's Middlebelt-Ten Mile Plat No. 2.

MOTION by Nolan, supported by Klopp, that Lot No. 107 of Supervisor's Middlebelt-Ten Mile Plat No. 2 be deleted from the Special Assessment District Roll for Sanitary Sewers. Roll Call Vote: 4 Yeas, 0 Nays. Carried - unanimous.

MOTION by Thomas, supported by Nolan, that Special Assessment Roll No. 52 for construction of sanitary sewer facilities on Medbury and Hemlock, Supervisor's Middlebelt-Ten Mile Plat No. 2, in the amount of $74,520.00, be adopted and confirmed, payable in fifteen (15) equal installments, first installment due and payable August ..., 1968. Roll Call Vote: 4 Yeas, 0 Nays. Carried - unanimous.

On Motion made, supported and carried the Public Hearing was adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted
FLOYD A. CAIRNS,
Farmington Township Clerk
GLADYS THOMAS,
Deputy Clerk

Berkley Favors 'Stop And Frisk'

Developments within other Oakland County communities during the past week have included these matters of news interest to residents of the Farmington area:

* * *

BERKLEY -- In an advisory referendum, residents voted 2,486 to 1,321 in favor of asking the city council to adopt a so-called "stop and frisk" ordinance. At the same time, they defeated a four-mill tax levy which would have been earmarked for increased police and fire protection, 2,265 to 1,616.

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PONTIAC -- Oakland County prosecutor S. Jerome Bronson proposed that the annual salary for the office he holds be increased from $21,500 to $27,500 in 1969. The request will be considered by the board of supervisors.

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PONTIAC -- The Oakland County Commission on Economic Opportunity announced that a federal grant of $427,515 will permit the Head Start program for pre-school children to be continued in six of the county's school districts next summer. Funds to permit the same program in Farmington and nine other school districts have been denied.

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PONTIAC--The building and grounds committee of the Oakland County Board of Supervisors has approved preliminary plans for a new $6.4 million county jail. The project still must be reviewed by the ways and means committee prior to being submitted for final action by the full board.

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YMCA Offers Judo

Farmington area YMCA will offer an eight-week session of Judo instruction, beginning Thursday, March 7, in Farmington Junior High School.

Beginning Judo for boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 14 will be taught from 6:30 to 8:15 p.m. Cost of the class is $10 plus a current YMCA membership, which is $5 for students, $6 for adults.

Intermediate and advanced Judo will be scheduled later.

As a means of meeting the requirements for joining a Judo club, a complete Judo course will be offered from 8:45 to 10:15 p.m. Fee for this instruction is $20 plus a current YMCA membership.

For further information, come into the YMCA office at Grand River near Drake Rd., or call 474-3232.

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FARMINGTON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

A regular meeting of the Council of the City of Farmington was held on February 19, 1968.

Meeting called to order by Mayor Pro Tem Thayer at 8:02 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Mayor Pro Tem Thayer, Councilmen Allen, Peterson, Yoder present.

ABSENT: Mayor Brotherton.

CITY OFFICALS PRESENT: City Manager Dinan, Acting Clerk Buck, Attorney Kelly, Chief Deadman and Director DeBaene.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Motion by Peterson supported by Yoder to approve minutes of previous meeting February 5, 1968, as printed. Motion carried, all ayes.

A. Decision on Request to Rezone N ½ Lot 7, Farmington Little Farms Sub. from R 1, One Family, to R 3, Multi Family District.

It was the concensus of the Council that the adjoining property owners were in agreement that this location was compatible for multiple dwellings. However, the Council agreed that an engineering survey should be completed showing the effect of constructing drainage and paving improvements on the widening of Farmington Road and the enlargement and enclosure of the open ditch to dispose of standing water in this area.

Motion by Allen supported by Yoder to table decision until proper engineering survey is completed and submitted at meeting of March 4, 1968. Motion carried, all ayes.

B. Decision on Request to Rezone 19 Acres ERO, Education Research Office, to 7 Acres C 2, General Commercial and 12 Acres R 3, Multi Family District.

Councilman Peterson stated that item in question causing most concern had been brought to the attention of the developer who has agreed to change parking on perimeter of the property. Developments of this type are subject to approval as Planned Projects by the Planning Commission, a requirement of the Farmington City Code, so that the problem will be corrected.

Motion by Peterson supported by Allen to rezone property described as follows:

(PARCEL A) A Parcel of land in the NW¼ of Section 29, T1N, R9E, City of Farmington, Oakland County, Michigan, described as beginning at a point on the North line of said Section 29 located distant S 89 degrees 41' 40" E 440.00 ft. from the Northwest corner of Section 29, T1N, R9E, proceeding thence along said North line of Section 29, S 89 degrees 41' 40" E 474.91 ft.; thence S 0 degrees 01' 50" W 495.00 ft; thence S 68 degrees 01' 50" W 255.00 ft; thence 24 degrees 32' 02" W 441.10 ft; thence N 89 degrees 42' 30" W 55.00 ft; thence North 993.92 ft to the point of beginning, and containing 7.54 acres of land, more or less, adn subject to easements of record from ERO, Education Research Office, to C 2, General Commercial District.

(PARCEL B) A parcel of land in the NW¼ of Section 29, T1N R9E, City of Farmington, Oakland County, Michigan, beginning at a point on the North line of said Section 29, located distant S 89 degrees 41' 40" E 914.91 ft from the Northwest corner of Section 29, T1N, R9E, proceeding thence S 89 degrees 41' 40" E 400.00 ft; thence S 00 degrees 01' 50" W 993.71 ft; thence N 89 degrees 42' 30" W 819.36 ft; thence N 24 degrees 32' 02" E 441.10 ft; thence N 68 degrees 01' 50" E 255.00 ft; thence N 00 degrees 01' 50" E 495.00 ft to the point of beginning and containing 12.41 acres of land, more or less, and subject to easements of record from ERO, Education Research Office, to R3, Multi Family District.

ROLL CALL:
AYES: Allen, Peterson, Thayer, Yoder.
NAYS: None.
ABSENT: Brotherton.
Motion carried.

MINUTES OF OTHER BOARDS

A. Board of Zoning Appeals Proceedings, February 7, 1968.

Motion by Yoder supported by Peterson to receive and file. Motion carried, all ayes.

B. Planning Commission Proceedings, February 12, 1968.

Motion by Peterson supported by Allen to receive and file. Motion carried, all ayes.

C. Library Minutes, December 6, 1967.

Motion by Allen supported by Peterson to receive and file. Motion carried, all ayes.

PETITONS & COMMUNICATIONS

A. Information on Dutch Elm Disease.

Mr. Grover Niergarth, Botanist, previously brought in literature on control and effects of insecticides used as spraying materials for Dutch Elm Disease. He stated that DDT and Dieldrin most widely used for control are long range insecticides. A study conducted on the effects of DDT on wild life and plants discovered this insecticide on animals living thousands of miles away. He stated that he would like to see Farmington discontinue using DDT and ercommended sanitation as a good means of control. Mr. Niergarth defined sanitation as spotting the disease early and removing the beetles.

City Manager Dinan stated that there is a "Motion" in Court to bring 45 cities as co-defendants and the City of Farmington is included among these cities. The suit seeks to halt the use of DDT for municipalities in Michigan for the reason that this biocide is doing irrepairable damage to Michigan Eco-system.

City Manager Dinan suggested that the City look into some other type of application for control of Dutch Elm Disease.

Motion by Peterson supported by Allen to receive and file report on control of Dutch Elm Disease and refer matter to the City Manager for investigation. Motion carried, all ayes.

B. Letter From Farmington Board of Commerce.

Letter received from Farmington Board of Commerce commending the four governmental units involved for entering into cooperative study of the Farmington area by Michigan State University.

Motion by Yoder supported by Peterson to receive and file. Motion carried, all ayes.

C. Notification of Government Day, Michigan Week, May 20, 1968.

The drawing for the 15th Annual Exchange of Mayors with Lt. Governor Wm. Milliken officiating will take place at 1:30 p.m., February 21, 1968, in Lansing. The City of Farmington has been reclassified among communities of 7,000 to 15,000 population for this Exchange of Mayors on Government Day of Michigan Week, May 20, 1968.

Motion by Peterson supported by Allen to receive and file. Motion carried, all ayes.

D. American Cancer Society Request to Conduct Solicitation April 23, 24, 25, 1968.

April has been proclaimed Cancer Control Month by President Johnson and Governor Romney. The Oakland County Unit of the American Cancer Society would like to conduct their annual Crusade of life saving information and fund raising to support research, education and patient service. They request permission for this solicitation on April 23, 24, 25, 1968.

Motion by Yoder supported by Peterson to approve the request of the American Cancer Society to solicit funds and give out information in the City of Farmington, April 23, 24, 25, 1968. Motion carried, all ayes.

E. Letter from Gordon R. Bryant, Chairman, Region IV, RE: Annual Meeting Michigan Municipal League for City Officials in Region IV.

Mr. Bryant described subjects that will be discussed at the annual meeting of Region IV, March 14, 1968, at Kingsley Inn. Council members are urged to attend. Letter received and filed.

F. Request for Use of City Park "Lil Devils' Square Dancing Club" April 19, 1968.

Mr. Stephen Ratke requested use of City Park and tennis court facility for "Lil Devils' Square Dancing Club" April 19, 1968 from 7 to 11 p.m.

Motion by Yoder supported by Peterson to grant permission to "Lil Devils' Square Dancing Club" for use of City Park and tennis court, April 19, 1968, from 7 to 11 p.m. Motion carried, all ayes.

REPORTS FROM CITY MANAGER

A. Establishment of Joint Meeting Township Board and City Council.

City Manager Dinan stated he had contacted Curt Hall, Township Supervisor. The Township Board of Trustees is receptive to the invitation made by the City Council to establish joint meetings to discuss topics of mutual interest. Mr. Hall suggested that the first meeting be scheduled for either March 13 or March 20 at the convenience of members of each board. He also stated that if permanent meetings were to be established, the fifth Monday which occurs approximately four times a year would be a suitable time. Further discussion could be held at the first meeting.

Inasmuch as Mayor Pro Tem Thayer will be out of the City after March 13, 1968, the Council made this date their first choice and March 20, the second choice.

Motion by Peterson supported by Allen that a meeting date with Farmington Township Board of Trustees be set for March 13, 1968, second choice March 20, 1968. Motion carried, all ayes.

Six Year Capital Improvement Program.

City Manager Dinan submitted Schedule of Capital Improvement Program for 1968-1973 and Commentary on 17 projects that have been reviewed and approved by the Planning Commission. He stated that it is a requirement of our Master Plan that the Planning Commission update and establish a new Six Year Capital Improvement Program each year to be used by the Council and City Manager in the development of fiscal year budget.

The program has been highlighted by the widening of Farmington Rd. from 8 to 9 Mile Rds., Water Improvement Program, Community Park Facilities, Construction of D. P. W. Storage Building, all needed improvements.

City Manager Dinan recommended that these improvements be installed and financed without further delay because of the rising cost of construction and other inflationary trends.

He stated the City is in a position to finance these projects without putting a heavy burden on the General Fund Operating Budget.

Mayor Pro Tem Thayer commended the Planning Commission on their energetic program.

Councilman Peterson stated the projects were well thought out.

Councilman Yoder questioned the Incinerator Authority being at the bottom of the list.

City Manager Dinan stated this is a County project and is in the planning stage. The City will participate in financing this program.

Councilman Allen stated that he had hoped to see the widening of Orchard Lake Rd. included because of the critical condition.

City Manager Dinan stated that the City does not have control of this road. This is also a County project with improvements planned in their Ten Year Program.

Councilman Allen stated the improvement of Orchard Lake Rd. should be placed on the agenda of the joint meeting of the Township Board of Trustees and City Council.

Fred Seibert, Chairman, Planning Commission, stated that equally critical was the condition and lack of southbound access from Farmington Road to the downtown area. The Planning Commission is not satisfied with present ingress and egress to the City and with the Federal Store addition there will be a larger generation of traffic.

Commissioner Platt added that the City's limited bonded indebtedness restricts road improvements through use of gas and weight tax revenues.

Motion by Yoder supported by Peterson to receive and file Six Year Capital Improvement Program. Motion carried, all ayes.

City Manager Dinan stated that Philip Hart, Senator, had sent a telegram informing he Council that a Federal Grant on Open Space Land Acquisition had been allocated to the City of Farmington by the Federal Government for Drake Road 10 acre park.

C. Report Contribution to Future Farmington Area Study.

City Manager Dinan reported that in accordance with the state equalized assessed valuation for the four areas that will be contributing toward the Future Farmington Area Study by Michigan Sate University, Farmington comprises of 22% of total equalized assessed valuation. Our share of the $5,000.00 for the study would be $1,100.00.

A request has been received from the Future Farmington Area Study Committee for payment of 20% of total amount which is $220.00 to be paid to Michigan State University prior to their commencing the study.

Previous approval of the Council for participation in this study was approximately $1,000.

City Manager Dinan recommended that the City Council amend previous resolution increasing City's share to $1,100.00 and authorizing payment of 20% in the amount of $220.00 to Michigan State University.

Motion by Yoder supported by Peterson to adopt the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That the City Council amend previous resolution by authorizing that $1,100.00 for proportionate share of cost based on State Equalized Assessed Valuation be transferred from Contingent Fund to Account 205 B-4 for study by Michigan State University. Payment to be made prior to commencing of study to Michigan State University is 20% or $220.00 of total payment.

INEZ R. BUCK, Acting Clerk
ROLL CALL:
AYES: Allen, Peterson, Thayer, Yoder.
NAYS: None.
ABSENT: Brotherton.
Resolution declared adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS

A. Audit Report January, 1968.

Motion by Allen supported by Peterson to receive and file. Motion carried, all ayes.

RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES

A. Adoption of Ordinance No. C-230-68 Amending Chapter 20, Title II, Water Rates.

Motion by Yoder supported by Allen to adopt the following ordinance:

ORDINANCE NO. C-230-68

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 2.93, CHAPTER 20, TITLE II, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON, UTILITIES & SERVICES. AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH WATER RATES.

THE CITY OF FARMINGTON ORDAINS:

Section 2.93 Water Rates. The following water rates shall become effective on all water billing for and after first quarter of 1968.

First 7,000 gallons or less, $5.00
Next 10,000 gallons over 7,000 gallons, $ .28 per 1,000 gallons used
All over 17,000 gallons, $ .26 per 1,000 gallons used

The minimum quarterly water charge to each premises shall be $5.00.

Charges for water services to premises outside the City shall be fixed by the Council, but shall be not less than those charged for such service to premises within the City.

This ordinance was introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council February 5, 1968, was adopted and enacted by the City Council at the next regular meeting February 19, 1968 and shall become effective 10 days after publication.

WIBUR V. BROTHERTON, Mayor
INEZ R. BUCK, Acting Clerk.
ROLL CALL:
AYES: Councilmen Peterson, Thayer, Yoder, Allen.
NAYS: None.
ABSENT: Brotherton.
ORDINANCE RECLARED ADOPTED.

B. Adoption of Ordinance No. C-231-68 Amending Chapter 79, Section 104.63 & 104.65, Building Permit Fees.

Motion by Allen supported by Peterson to adopt the following ordinance:

ORDINANCE NO. C-231-68

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTIONS 104.63 & 104.65 OF CHAPTER 79, TITLE VIII, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON

THE CITY OF FARMINGTON ORDAINS:

That the within ordinance is an emergency ordinance which is immediately necessary for the preservation of the public safety and shall become immediately effective:

Section 104.63 **Fee Schedule - Buildings**

Valuation of Work — Fee
Up to $1,000.00 $10.00 (see 104.23)
Each additional $1,000.00 $ 3.00

Section 14.65 **Zoning and Other Fees**
(1) Change of occupancy purpose (includes inspection) $10.00
(2) Issue of duplicate certificates of occupancy .... $ 2.00

This ordinance was introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council held on February 5, 1968 and adopted and enacted by the City Council at the next regular meeting on February 19, 1968 and was given immediate effect.

WILBUR V. BROTHERTON, Mayor
INEZ R. BUCK, Acting Clerk
ROLL CALL:
AYES: Councilmen Thayer, Yoder, Allen, Peterson.
NAYS: None.
ABSENT: Brotherton.
ORDINANCE DECLARED ADOPTED.

C. Resolution #2, SPECIAL ASSESSMENT 12" WATER MAIN DRAKE ROAD.

City Manager Dinan stated this is a resolution setting up Public Hearing on necessity of improvement of 12" water main on Drake Road from Grand River Ave. 2,000 feet south, benefiting property owners.

Motion by Peterson supported by Yoder to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLUTION NO. 2

WHEREAS, the City Council has directed and ordered the City Manager to cause to be prepared plans and specifications and estimates of cost and other information concerning the construction of 12" water main DRAKE ROAD FROM GRAND RIVER AVE. 2,000 FEET SOUTH.

AND WHEREAS, the City Manager has caused the same to be prepared and has filed the same with the City Cerk:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The plans and specifications and estimate of cost and the recommendations and findings of the City Manager shall be filed with the City Clerk and shall be available for public examination.

2. The City Council deems it necessary to acquire and construct 12" water main improvement.

3. The City Council determines that $20,000.00 of the cost thereof shall be defrayed by special assessment against the property benefited thereby and the balance of the cost shall be paid by the City, and determines that the assessments shall be made on a front foot basis.

4. The following described lots and parcels of land shall make the special assessment district:

SECTION 28, ACREAGE TRACTS, CD30D, CD30E, CD30F
SECTION 29, ACREAGE TRACTS, CD33, CD35, CD40B, CD39, CD43, CD44A

5. The City Council shall hold a Public Hearing on March 4, 1968, at 8:00 o'clock p.m. at the City Hall in the City of Farmington, Michigan, at which hearing any person affected by the said proposed improvements may be heard.

6. The City Clerk shall cause notice of said hearing to be published in the Farmington Enterprise, Farmington, Michigan, at least once not less than ten (10) full days before the date of said hearing and shall cause notice of said hearing to be mailed by first class mail not less than ten (10) full days prior to the date of hearing, to each owner of property subject to assessment.

7. Said notice so published and mailed shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF HEARING

TAKE NOTICE THAT the City Council of the City of Farmington, Michigan, proposes to acquire and construct street improvement consisting of 12" water main DRAKE ROAD FROM GRAND RIVER AVE. SOUTH 2,000 FEET.

The City Council further proposes to specially assess a part or all of the cost of said improvements against the following described lots and parcels of land:

SECTION 28, CD33D, CD33E, CD-33F — ACREAGE TRACTS
SECTION 29, ACREAGE TRACTS CD33, CD35, CD40B, CD39, CD43, CD44A.

The Council has caused the City Manager to have prepared plans and specifications and an estimate of cost of said improvement, and the same, together with the City Manager's recommendations and findings concerning said improvement, are on file with the City Clerk and are available for public examination.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that City Council will meet at the Council Chambers in the City Hall on Monday, March 4, 1968, at 8:00 p.m. o'clock, for the purpose of hearing all persons affected by said 12" water main improvement.

City Clerk

AYES: Councilmen Allen, Peterson, Thayer, Yoder.
NAYS: None.
RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

Acting Clerk Inez R.Buck.

CLAIMS AND ACCOUNTS

A. Monthly Bills

Motion by Allen supported by Peterson to approve payment of claims and accounts in the amount of $3,208.11 General Fund and $640.84 Water & Sewer Fund.

ROLL CALL:
AYES: Peterson, Thayer, Yoder, Allen.
NAYS: None.
Motion carried.

B. 1st Estimate Sewer Installation Woodcroft Sub.

Motion by Yoder supported by Allen to pay contractor P. DiLagge & Sons, Inc. first estimate for sanitary sewer installation in the amount of $27,217.35.

ROLL CALL:
AYES: Thayer, Yoder, Allen, Peterson.
NAYS: None.
Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Peterson supported by Yoder to adjourn meeting. Motion carried, all ayes.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.
WILBUR V. BROTHERTON, Mayor
INEZ R. BUCK, Acting Clerk.