## William Ortman runs for house

FARMINGTON—Farming on Hills Council William Ortman lan-nounced he is seeking the Republi-can nomination for the 64th dis-trict seat in the State House of Representatives currently held by Raymond Baker.

Baker recently announced his retirement. The district includes Farmington, Farmington Hills and western portion of Southfield. Ortman, a member of the law firm of Ortman and Ortman, was a nominee for justice of the Michigan Supreme. Court in 1972 under the Conservative Party label. He served two terms with the former Village of Wood Creek Farms council.

ORTMAN HOLDS a Juris Doctorate from the University of Detroit, and attended the University of Michigan Graduate Business

School.

He said he has held executive positions in both industry and government, as well as teaching civics and government before becoming a

and government before becoming a lawyer.

"I have been accomplishment riented during my years of public service," he said.
"It's time to limit taxes, abolish deficit spending and prohibit government from levying new taxes or increasing the rate or base of existing taxes without voter approval."

HE IS A lifelong resident of the area, now living in Farmington



WILLIAM ORTMAN

Hills with his wife, Lee, and five children.

He is a three-year veteran of the Korean War and a member of the American Legion for over 20 years. He belongs to the Farmington Elks Lodge and is a past president of the motorized drill team.

He is an exhausted rooster of the Farmington Area Jaycees, a sustaining member of the boy scouts and a member of other organizations in the area.

# Hills to join in county plan

FARMINGTON HILLS—The Farmington Hills City Council voted unanimously Monday to join with Oakland County in submitting a solid waste disposal plan to the state.

The resolution fulfills the obligation of the city to submit a plan for solid waste disposal for the area. Farmington recently voted to take the same route recently.

The Oakland County jan was drawn up as an alternative to one presented by SEMOOR, Mayor Robert McConnell said.

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It calls for a series of landfill sites located mainly in the western

orumance.

• Enacted a local swimming pool ordinance.

• Introduced a change in the unsafe building ordinance which will charge the cost of administration for demolishing buildings to the owner.





Polo's knit golf shirt scarcely needs a label. To anyone who recognizes Polo, the design is hallmark enough. The straight line, the classically striped collar, the short, slim sleeves. It's a cotton knit of particularly fine quality, and it comes in white, yellow or navy. Sizes S,M,L and XL are priced at \$15.





VFW head

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larson celebrated his first year as district commander for the VFW, the first to come from the Farmington post, and their 18th wedding anniversary last week. A testimonial dinner for Larson was the post's recognition for his work. (Evert photo)

#### Memorial day parade needs cooperation

While plans are underway for this years Memorial Day parade in Farmington, much help is still needed, according to the organiz-

needed, according to the organiz-ers.

Blue Star mothers desiring to lend a hand are invited to be in the parade. If interested please con-tact Sue Farrell at 851-5674.

Fred Shewell, chairman of the transportation committee, is still in need of ten additional cars and fifteen adult drivers for the V.I.P.'s. If you would like to help, call Fred Shewell at 474-7554.

Bob Smith and Chuck Currie are

#### **Dust control** program starts

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FARMINGTON HILLS—Residents will get dusty streets chlorided this summer for the first time, paid by the city.

The council Monday approved a \$40,000 program to control dust on secondary roads and subdivision streets this summer.

The application will begin in several weeks, and continue until all streets have received four applications, according to a city hall spokesman.

The council also approved the purchase of three pieces of heavy equipment to use in road maintenance.

heading up this year's Financial Committee. This year they encour-age residents to attend and sup-port this day.

Tax deductable contributions can be mailed to 21109 Laurel-wood, Farmington 48024.

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Heading the list of dignitaries
that will attend the parade is State
kep. Raymond Baker. He has
served as Farmington's representive for the past 14 years.
Also attending is Helen Hodges,
president of the American Legion
Auxillary in Michican.

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