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Five Cents

Advisory Committee on Setting Up Planning Commission to Report Soon

by Eugene Husik

Last December, after the sale of the undeveloped land to Webb & Knapp, an advisory planning committee was appointed by the city council to provide guidelines for the establishment of a permanent planning commission. The committee, after holding six meetings, is now in the process of making its final report and expects to submit it to city council within the next two weeks.

The committee was asked to come up with answers to questions such as the following: Does Greenbelt need a permanent planning commission? If so, should the commission be elected by the voters or appointed by council? Committee members interviewed indicated complete agreement on the need for such a planning commission, but did not commit themselves on method of selection or its composition.

What would be the powers and scope of the commission? Would it serve only in an advisory capacity? Would it be limited to matters referred to it by city council or would it be empowered to make its own investigations?

Would the committee be composed of volunteers or of paid workers or both? Some of the committee members felt that as Greenbelt grows there will be a need for paid workers serving as specialists.

If the committee's recommendations are accepted by city council and a planning commission is formed, the commission will not need to start from scratch. A master plan for Greenbelt was made in outline by the original city planners in the late 1930's and needs now to be brought up to date.

As shown on this master plan, Greenbelt's boundary on the west extends to the railroad. Much of this land between Edmonston rd. and the railroad will probably be zoned for light industry. To the south the city extends to the Good Luck rd. overpass spanning the Washington-Baltimore Expressway and encompasses the woodland between Edmonston and the Expressway. Most of this land has already been set aside for development as a park.

The advisory committee, now coming to the end of its work, was selected so as to represent both the three main Greenbelt organizations and the public. City manager Charles T. McDonald and Edgar Smith were appointed from city council; Manager Sam Ashelman, Jr. and Rexford Tugwell from Greenbelt Consumer Services; and Manager Paul X. Campbell and Hans Jorgensen from Greenbelt Homes, Inc. The public members were Charles Schwan, Lewis Bernstein, and Isadore Parker.

Memorial Day Thoughts

MEMORIAL DAY has come again as a reminder that the challenge of all who have lived and died for our ideal of freedom still stands, confronting successive generations of Americans.

It is a reminder that the struggle for enduring peace with liberty and justice for all is a continuing one. It is just as necessary for us today to give selfless devotion to this cause as it was for those we honor at hallowed gravesides on this memorial day.

Memorial Day is the sacred rallying day of this Republic. It connotes America as family. It is a clinging together, a joint quickening in the South, the North, the East and the West of our patriotic heart beats. Along with the tender placing of spring flowers, the unfurling of flags and the laying of wreaths, there is an inspiration for our posterity to follow in the footsteps of the gallant patriots who gave their first allegiance to America and backed it with the sacrifice of their lives in every war in this Nation's history.

The decoration of the final resting places of our hero dead was started in the South by the gallant ladies of the Confederacy. They placed flowers impartially on the graves of Southern fighting men as well as of Union soldiers. This fine act inspired both the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Confederate Veterans to make such remembrance an annual day of memory and rededication. Today the ranks of both the Blue and the Gray have vanished. The mantle of leadership in Memorial Day observance has been taken over by The American Legion. Today Memorial Day is a national remembrance day. Our last four wars have made it this. Today members of the 3-war American Legion march in annual Memorial Day parades to the hallowed shrines of their departed comrades.

So fly the Flag in remembrance! Fly it in pride! Fly it with a new determination that the supreme sacrifices that have gone into the building and the preservation of our free Nation shall never have been made in vain!

Courtesy American Legion Greenbelt Post No. 136.

Haslinger Ordination



The Reverend Joseph T. Haslinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Haslinger, 11-N Ridge, will be ordained to the Priesthood on Saturday, May 28, at Saint Matthew's Cathedral in Washington, D. C. Father Haslinger will offer his First Solemn Mass at St. Hugh's Church in Greenbelt on Sunday, May 29, at 12:15. A reception for friends and members of the parish will be held at Saint Hugh's on Sunday afternoon from 4 until 7.

Father Haslinger is the first resident of Greenbelt to be ordained to the Priesthood. His Ordination marks the completion of twelve years of Seminary training at Saint Charles and Saint Mary's Seminaries, Baltimore, and Saint Bonaventure University, New York.

After Ordination, Father Haslinger will be assigned to a parish in the Washington area by His Excellency, the Most Reverend Patrick A. O'Boyle, Archbishop of Washington.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

The final duplicate bridge game of the 1959-60 season will be played on Friday, June 3, at the Music Room of the North End School. The game will start promptly at 8 p.m. Players are reminded to bring bridge tables. Players without partners are invited, since the director will keep himself available to play with unattached players.

FUND DRIVE HAS ENDED

The News Review regrets an incident which occurred on Monday night when two young teenagers were apprehended for unauthorized soliciting for the News Review. Residents of Research rd. where the soliciting took place called the newspaper, which in turn notified the police. A description of the boys led to their being picked up for questioning, and they admitted the charges.

The News Review wishes to remind its readers that our 1960 fund drive is over, and any further soliciting by any person is unauthorized. Our fund drive is carefully planned so as to cover a specific period of time, and we have followed a policy of using responsible adult persons as collectors—generally neighbors in a court.

Police News Review

St. Hugh's reported the theft of ten quarts of altar wine stolen last Friday. A thirteen year old boy admitted taking five quarts. The boy drank two quarts of the wine, was hospitalized, pumped and recovered enough to attend school on Monday.

An apartment on Parkway was entered last week and \$105.00 was reported stolen. Nothing else was disturbed. Police are still working on the case.

Last Wednesday, a man in a car stopped near a woman in town and exposed himself indecently. The woman noticed the license number of the vehicle and reported it to police. The man, apprehended that evening, admitted the charges. Both are Greenbelters.

Police were called to the scene of an accident on Glendale Road where a woman had lost control of her car. The car was overturned and the woman slightly bruised. The vehicle, a pick-up truck, was demolished.

The tornado scare last week brought a number of calls from residents to the Police department for advice as to protective cover. Police Chief Williams advises that the safest place in these Greenbelt homes is the closet under the staircase. Should disaster strike this area and the house be in danger, the staircase will probably stay standing and offer protection should the house be hit.

POPPY DAY SATURDAY

Poppy Day, May 28, will be sponsored locally by Greenbelt American Legion Auxiliary Unit 136.

Miss Evelyn Carr, Rehabilitation Chairman Unit 136, explained that the donations dropped into the coin boxes of the Auxiliary's volunteers are divided two ways. Half goes to their veterans rehabilitation fund and half to their child welfare program. These funds are made available throughout the year for the relief of distress among veterans and veteran's children.

Again this year in preparation for the observance of poppy day, students from the 6th grade of St. Hugh's School entered the American Legion Poppy Poster Contest. William Dunn judged the posters with first prize going to William Clark, second Ann Hill, third Ross Temple and fourth Lorriane Barr.

HIGH POINT PLAY

Former Greenbelter Robin Edmunds plays a major role in the High Point High production of "Arsenic and Old Lace" presented at the high school Friday and Saturday nights at 7:15 p.m. Four other Greenbelt students are on the production staff. These are Leslie Thomas, Susan Abramowitz, Tom Wyatt, Geoff Lammons, and Dona Kern. Tickets are \$1.00 for adults and 75c for students.

New Members Must Wait Two Years In Selling GHI Homes at Profit

by Al Skolnik

In order to discourage speculative purchasing of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. units, the GHI board of directors voted unanimously last Thursday with two members absent to prohibit new members from reselling their homes at a profit within a period of two years from the date of purchase.

The board's action actually took the form of reinstating a provision which had been inserted in the original mutual ownership contract at the time of the purchase of the project from the Federal govern-

ment in January, 1953. This provision was removed by the board after a year when the danger of persons buying GHI units for speculative purposes had subsided.

The restriction now being reinstated in the mutual ownership contract reads as follows: "For a period of two years after the delivery of Perpetual Use, the member shall not sell such Perpetual Use at a profit to himself."

As interpreted by management, this clause means that new members wishing to resell their units within two years after purchase will be able to recoup just their original cash outlay plus the amounts paid in monthly charges toward the principal (building up of equity). "Consideration will also be given to improvements," said GHI manager Paul Campbell, "provided they are substantial and of a nature as to be recognized as enhancing the market value of the property."

Campbell expects the new restriction to go into effect with mutual ownership contracts entered into after May 31, 1960. In the case of members moving from one GHI home to another, the two-year restriction will run from the date of membership and not from date of purchase of latest home.

Price Controls

The board also discussed, but took no action on, the problem of soaring prices of GHI homes. Campbell presented figures which showed that until 1958 price advances were most modest, but in the last two years have accelerated rapidly. This was especially true of the frame units.

Campbell expressed a fear that, unless checked, prices may reach a level where any drop in the real estate market might seriously hurt selling members, especially those who bought in at inflated values. This, in turn might reflect upon the marketability of GHI homes and damage the reputation of the corporation.

He stated a personal feeling that it might be more healthy for the corporation to have some measure of control over prices which would provide for recovery of equity paid plus a modest profit, rather than have "a few individuals (in relation to the long-term period of GHI) pick off the substantial profit, leaving later members to struggle even to recover the equity gain in their resale."

Several ways are open for the corporation if it wishes to establish some form of control over prices. One method would be to set a "blue book" value on units such as is used in automobile appraisals. The listings would be for attractive, well-kept units and would permit a modest profit, say, 4% per year plus allowances for bona fide improvements.

While a seller would not be compelled to adhere to the "blue book," the mere existence of such a standard of values might tend to peg prices and avoid the tendency toward top dollar prices. The difficulty with a blue book is that it makes no differentiation for individual condition of homes.

Another way to control prices is to control the financing of down payments on resales. GHI's experience has been that most buyers are interested primarily in low monthly housing costs. The longer a loan is stretched out and the smaller the monthly carrying charges, the greater the tendency for buyers to ignore the extent to which the price of the unit has been inflated.

Conversely, if financing is made less liberal, purchasers become more particular about the price of the unit they are buying and prices may tend to stabilize. Using financing as a tool with which to control prices, however, requires the co-operation of all lending institutions, which may be difficult to obtain. Also, not all sales involve "second trusts."

Council Slices, Adds To 1960 City Budget

By Al Skolnik

Moving into high gear, the city council last week held three budget meetings at which they backed off approximately \$3,650 and added about \$2,000 to the 1960-61 budget of \$294,733. Among the major cuts were \$725 for conferences and training, \$470 for supplies, \$320 in recreation expenditures, and \$1,000 for swimming pool operations. Another \$900 book savings was effected by the council's decision to meet the expenses of a planning commission and a possible referendum from miscellaneous funds.

The recreation savings was obtained by eliminating \$200 for labor day trophies and \$120 for transportation of children outside Greenbelt for roller skating. It was felt the latter would no longer be necessary with the construction of the new Community Recreation Building. Disclosure that the swimming pool was run at a profit last year and that this year's budget did not make full allowance for savings arising out of bad weather prompted the council to cut its budget \$1,000.

Among the major budget items increased were \$1,035 for overtime of department heads, \$720 for increased city office space, and \$240 for a swimming coach to give 12 hours a week instruction for 10 weeks. The last item was added as the result of a strong appeal from citizens. The swimming team was organized 2 years ago and proved to be a popular sport for more than 50 boys and girls from the ages of 8 - 18. The team took 3rd place trophy in the AAU meet at the end of the season.

The major budget items yet to be reviewed include sanitation and waste removal, highways, health conservation, other recreation programs, and bus service. The next budget meetings are not scheduled until after Memorial Day. The budget must be adopted by June 10.

Trash Collection

A preliminary consideration of the trash collection budget stirred up discussion at last Friday's budget meeting. Responding to a request from Greenbelt Homes, Inc., the council sought to determine whether the trash collection account had charged against it items that properly belong to other accounts and that should not be borne by the trash collection fee. Among the items in question were sidewalk and street cleaning at the center, leaf collecting, and repairs and replacement costs for certain heavy machinery that was used only part-time in trash collection duties.

Swimming Pool Readied For Opening on Monday

Workmen are already sprucing up the municipal swimming pool this week, getting ready for the opening of the new season next Monday. Both the building which houses the dressing rooms and the pool itself are newly painted.

The pool will open officially at 1 p.m. Monday, Memorial Day — the customary opening date for the city pool. For the remainder of the school term, the pool hours will be from 4 to 8 p.m. on weekdays, and from 1 to 4:30 and 5:30 to 8:30 on Saturdays and Sundays, according to Recreation Director Warren Leddick. The statement of fees for the pool for this year is published elsewhere in this issue.

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Local Artist Has Show at Twin Pines

A one-man art show featuring the work of David Young will be held from May 27 thru June 10 at the Twin Pines Savings and Loan Association in Greenbelt. Young, a member of Twin Pines and a Greenbelt resident, is Assistant Supervisor of Art for the Prince Georges Elementary Schools. He will be exhibiting oils, water colors, tempera and finger paintings.

The exhibit will open Friday evening at 7 p.m. Young will be present, and at 8 p.m. will describe his various works and comment on them. Coffee will be served throughout the evening. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The show may be viewed daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Monday thru Friday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m.

Recreation Review

Girls Softball

The Greenbelt Recreation Department announces plans to form a girls' softball league, to be known as the Lassie League. All girls interested in joining the league are asked to be present at a meeting on Friday, May 27, a 7:30 p.m. at the North End School. Applicants must be between the ages of 9 to 12. Movies by Lassie Leagues, Inc. will be shown.

Teen Club News

A hayride is being planned by members of the Junior Teen Club on Saturday, June 4. The Senior Teen Club will hold their hayride on Saturday, June 17. Juniors and Seniors together will be having a dressy dance in the auditorium at the Center School on Saturday, June 4. They will dance to the music of the "Nomads". Admission will be 50c stag, 75c drag. Boys are expected to wear coat and tie and the girls their prettiest dresses.

Babe Ruth League.

An unearned run in the 8th inning Sunday brought the first victory of the season to the Co-op Babe Ruth team. James Caruso's nine, by virtue of their 4-3 victory over Pat Cawley's Tobacco Shoppe team, are in first place. The Caruso team are last year's defending champions. Good defensive play and fine pitching by both Cawley and Caruso highlighted the game.

JUNE NAVAL GRADUATE MIDSHIPMAN BARCUS

Academy at Annapolis, Md. G-C Scheduled to graduate June 8 from the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., is Midshipman First Class Charles C. Barcus, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Walsh Barcus, 2-T Gardenway. Upon graduation Barcus will receive a Bachelor of Science degree and be commissioned as an Ensign in the United States Navy. Midshipman Barcus entered the Naval Academy on a Congressional appointment in June, 1956, after graduating from Gonzaga High School in Washington, D. C.

Graduation exercises for the Class of 1960 will be held on June 8 at 11 a.m.

THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all my wonderful friends and neighbors for their kindness and thoughtfulness during my illness.

Sylvia Rosen, 3-J Eastway

JCC MEMBERSHIP MEETING

There will be a membership meeting of the Jewish Community Center of Prince Georges County on Saturday, May 28, at 8 p.m.

Little League Chatter

By Bud Dean

Monday the Lions behind the 2-hit pitching of Hall, shut out the Indians 5 to 0.

Tuesday the Tigers unleashed their heavy artillery with W. Palmer getting a homer and a double, and Dan O'Connell getting 3 singles, romped over the Cardinals 16 to 2.

Wednesday the Athletics with good team play and heavy hitting, swamped Co-ops 17 to 3.

Thursday with Feltner tossing a 4-hitter and Stickney belting 4 for 4 and getting 5 runs batted in, the Giants set down Co-ops 18 to 7.

Friday Mikesell of the Indians slammed a homer and a double and with the 4-hit pitching of Wayne the Indians scalped the Cardinals 14 to 2.

Home Run Trail

Shegogue	2
Figlia	1
Passivant	1
Hudson	1
Palmer	1
Mikesell	1

League Standings

American		
Team	W	L
Giant	4	1
Athletics	3	1
Orioles	1	3
Co-op	0	4

National

Team	W	L
Tigers	5	0
Lions	2	1
Indians	2	2
Cardinals	0	4

Schedule for the Week of May 30

Monday—Open
Tuesday—Giants vs. Athletics
Wednesday—Co-op vs. Orioles
Thursday—Tigers vs. Cardinals
Friday—Indians vs. Lions
All games start at 6 p.m.

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Wed. - Thurs. June 1 - 2

HOUSE OF SEVEN HAWKS

200 Honor Mrs. Gerrits, Teacher for 37 Years

On Wednesday, May 18, more than two hundred pupils, former pupils, professional associates and friends of Mrs. Genevieve Gerrits gathered at Northwestern High School for a testimonial dinner to express appreciation for her 37-year devotion to teaching, 22 of those years spent at Greenbelt Center School.

City Manager Charles MacDonald presented a Resolution passed by the Greenbelt City Council recognizing Mrs. Gerrits' contribution to the School and the Community. Miss Rowanetta Allen, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, spoke of the demands and rewards of the teaching profession and praised Mrs. Gerrits as an outstanding educator.

Miss Hannah Long made the gift presentation of a white wardrobe case and a check "to help toward a richly deserved vacation."

BAPTIST NEWS

The title for the 11 a.m. sermon on Sunday, May 29 at the Greenbelt Baptist Church will be "What About the Sabbath?" Dr. Glenn W. Samuelson, pastor, will preach on the subject, "The Difference" during the 7 p.m. evening worship service. The ordinance of baptism will also be observed.

The second of four Vacation Bible School Training Sessions was held on Wednesday morning from 10 to 11:30. The next session is scheduled for June 1. Vacation Bible School will be held for nine days this year, June 27 to July 3, omitting July 4. The school will be open for all children 3 through 12 years of age.

Members of the Greenbelt Baptist Church will make door steps visits during the two-week period, June 6 to the 17, prior to the Billy Graham National Capital Crusade, June 19-26 in Griffith Stadium.

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Saturday — 10:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon

	Greenbelt Residents	Non-Residents
Single admission, Adult, 21 years and over	.60	.85
Single admission, Youth, 16 to 21 years	.40	.60
Single admission, Juniors, 12 to 16 years	.25	.30
Single admission, Children, 6 to 12 years	.15	.30
Children under 6 years of age, accompanied by an adult	No Charge	No Charge
Checking of Valuables	.25	.25
Special Admission for Greenbelt Families after 6:00 P. M.		50c per Family

A registration fee of \$2.00 shall be charged for swimming classes for one Greenbelt child and \$3.00 for two or more children in a Greenbelt family.

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DRIVER WANTED-Vicinity 7th and Independence ave, S.W. Hours: 8:30-5. GR. 4-8438.

KOVALCHIK ELECTED

Cy Kovalchik, 4-F Hillside, was elected president of the Prince Georges County Elementary Principals Association for the 1960-61 school year. At its annual dinner meeting held May 12, Kovalchik was named to head this professional organization consisting of over 100 Elementary Schools Principals. He succeeds Miss Hannah Long, Principal of Center School, who served in this capacity last year.

Kovalchik taught in Center School for four years and is currently principal of the Cheverly-Tuxedo School in Cheverly, Md.

Our Neighbors

By Elaine Skolnik, GR. 4-6060

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Butler, 5-G Gardenway. Glenn Carlton was born May 16, weighing 5 lbs., 14 oz. He joins three brothers, Charles, Douglas, and Wayne.

The best of luck to Mr. and Mrs. James Lake, 4-D Gardenway, who are leaving Greenbelt for Country Club Acres.

Congratulations to George A. Blades, 6-H Research, who was recently elected to Phi Kappa Phi, a National Honorary Society at the University of Maryland. Four years of exceptional scholarship is one of the goals of this honorary group, composed only of students in the uppermost academic echelons of the graduate students and senior class. This group dedicates itself to the maintenance of unity and democracy in education. Blades, a senior in the College of Business and Public Administration, was also recently initiated into Beta Gamma Sigma, a national honorary society for outstanding students in the field of commerce and business administration. He is married and has one child, Cheryl, 8 months old.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mason and daughter are leaving their 4-C Gardenway home for one in Selby on the Bay. We wish them much happiness. Glad to hear that Mr. Mason is feeling better after recent hospitalization.

Janet and Nancy Weintraub have a baby sister. Sally Ann made her debut on May 22, weighing 5 lbs., 14 oz. Her parents are Dr. and Mrs. William Weintraub, 15 Lakeside.

Mr. Claude W. Benson, 6-F Ridge, is in Mt. Alto Hospital for major surgery. We wish him a quick recovery.

A speedy recovery to Bill Blacker, 2-B Westway, who recently underwent surgery.

CHARTER CHANGES

The Public Notice of pending amendments to the city charter is now being carried in the News Review by the city of Greenbelt for a period of four successive weeks to comply with the home rule legislation passed by the State legislature of Maryland concerning the amendment of the charters of municipalities. During this period residents of the city may prepare a petition asking for a referendum on the passage of the amendments. If 20 percent of the voters sign the petition, the referendum will be held within the following 50 days. Otherwise, the amendments automatically go into effect.

Consider Two Sessions Of N.E. Kindergarten

A double kindergarten session is being contemplated at North End School next fall if a total of 75 registrations are received. Those fifty youngsters already registered will have first choice as to session preference.

An Open House will be held at North End and at Center Schools on Thursday, June 2, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. in the Kindergarten Rooms. Registrations will be accepted at that time or by calling Yates, GR. 4-4236 or Pratt, GR. 4-9480. All interested families are cordially invited.

FIREHOUSE BAZAAR

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department will hold a gala Bazaar at the fire house on Saturday, June 4, from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. There will be Kiddie Rides featuring rides on the old fire truck and a merry-go-round. There will also be a fancy art table, white elephant, used patterns, and a prize wheel.

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Local Bowling Alley Gets New Management

Ned Campbell, a veteran of 22 years' experience in the bowling business, has recently taken over the ownership and management of the local bowling alleys. Since last December Campbell has shared ownership with Donn Liston of the local concern. Campbell took charge of the entire operation two weeks ago. He is assisted by George Maganelli, one of the prominent bowlers of the D. C. area. Besides the local business, Campbell also owns a bowling alley in Rockville. Future plans in the way of services to area bowlers, according to Campbell, include free instruction courses on Wednesday evenings for beginners throughout the summer months. He also plans to bring outside bowlers to Greenbelt frequently for match games and similar events.

Campbell foresees still further improvement in the physical appearance of the property, which has recently undergone an extensive expansion and modernization. The first order of business, he pointed out, will be to replace entirely the ten gutters and alleys of the original section of the house. All 16 of the alleys will be resurfaced eventually. Cleanliness will be the keynote of his management of the business, Campbell stressed.

As an indication of his own high hopes for the further development of the property, Campbell asserted, "We're going to make this the showplace of bowling in the Washington area."

Local French, Spanish Pupils Will Perform

Pupils attending classes in the program sponsored by the Foreign Language Association of Greenbelt will display their accomplishments next week. The performance at North End School will be on Wednesday, June 1, in the Kindergarten Room, and the Center School group will perform on Friday, June 3.

The French classes will give their show at 3:40 p.m. and the Spanish classes at 4:10 p.m. in both schools. The Spanish classes will put on Little Red Riding Hood while the French classes will do conversations, arithmetic problems and "show and tell." The classes are taught by Mrs. Ruth Simms of Greenbelt. All those interested in these classes are invited to attend.

WHAT GOES ON

Thursday, May 26—8:15 GHI board meets, Hamilton pl.
 Friday, May 27—8:30 Council discusses new buildings, city offices.
 Monday, May 30—10:45 a.m. Memorial Day Services at Center.
 1 p.m. Swimming pool opens.
 Thursday, June 2—1-3 p.m. Open House, Co-op Kindergarten, Center and North End Schools.
 Friday, June 3—8 p.m. Duplicate bridge, Music Room, North End School.

GIRL SCOUT DRIVE

The Girl Scout Camp Building Fund Drive will take place the week beginning May 31. The need to hold this drive has been cleared through the United Givers Fund of the Greater Washington area. Volunteers are needed. Please contact Mrs. Varney at GR 4-6858.

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The Greenbelt Telephone Directory, prepared by the Lions Club, will be ready Wednesday, June 1 and will be delivered to the town that evening.

The Lions Club requests that some member of the family stay home that evening to receive the directory, for which a nominal fee will be charged.

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ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE GREENBELT CITY CHARTER TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A PERSONNEL BOARD

ORDINANCE NO. 419

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, that under powers granted said City Council under the Amendment to Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland (1955 Ch. 423) that the Charter of the City of Greenbelt be and the same is hereby amended to provide for the appointment of a "Personnel Board" by adding a new section to the Charter as follows:

"Sec. 731A. (Personnel Board - Appointment, Removal, Duties.) There shall be a Personnel Board consisting of three members who shall be appointed by the Council. The Council shall designate one of the three as chairman. Members of the Personnel Board shall serve for a term of six years, except that of the members first appointed: One shall be appointed for six years; one shall be appointed for four years; and one for two years. Vacancies in an unexpired term shall be filled by the Council by appointment for the remainder of the term. A member of the Board may be removed by Council for cause only and after being given a written statement of the charges against him and a public hearing on the charges if he so requests. A certified copy of the charges and a transcript of the record shall be filed with the City Manager. No member of the Personnel Board shall hold any other elective or appointive office in the city government. Members of the Board must be residents of, and residing in, the City of Greenbelt.

"The Board shall have power and shall be required to:

- (1) Advise the Council and Manager on problems concerning personnel administration.
- (2) During the months of January and February make any study which it may consider desirable concerning the administration of personnel in the municipal service, and report to the City Manager and the Council on or before March 10 its findings, conclusions and recommendations.
- (3) Perform such other duties with reference to personnel administration, not inconsistent with this charter, as the Council may specify by ordinance or resolution.
- (4) The Board shall have the power to establish, amend, repeal, or add to rules on its own initiative governing its operation, but such rules shall be in conformity with this charter.
- (5) Conduct hearings, public or private, if requested by the employee, in accordance with this charter and its own rules on appeals filed under the provisions of Section 754 of this charter as amended."

ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 754 OF THE GREENBELT CITY CHARTER TO PROVIDE FOR AN APPEAL TO THE PERSONNEL BOARD FOR EMPLOYEES REDUCED, REMOVED, OR SUSPENDED BY THE CITY MANAGER

ORDINANCE NO. 420

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, that under powers granted said City Council under the Amendment to Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland (1955 Ch. 423) that the Charter of the City of Greenbelt be and the same is hereby amended to provide for the following changes to Section 754 (Responsibility of Manager - Powers of Appointment and Removal.)

Sec. 754. (Responsibility of Manager - Powers of Appointment and Removal.) The City Manager shall be responsible to the Council for the proper administration of all affairs of the city placed in his charge, and to that end he shall have the power to appoint and remove all officers and employees except the City Solicitor who shall be appointed or removed only with the consent of the Council; provided, however, except for the City Solicitor, the City Manager shall place the charge which motivated his action to reduce, remove, or suspend an employee in writing, serving copies upon the aggrieved employee and the Personnel Board, including a copy of this section to said employee or employees. If the aggrieved employee desires to appeal, he shall in writing within 15 days of notice of such reduction, removal or suspension, request a hearing and mail or deliver such request to the City Clerk.

Unless an appeal is filed with the City Clerk by an aggrieved party within 15 days, the decision of the City Manager to suspend, reduce, or to remove shall become final. If an appeal is filed timely, the Personnel Board shall fix a date for hearing within 30 days after the request is filed with the City Clerk. The aggrieved employee shall have a right to counsel and to ask for a public or private hearing. The burden of proof shall rest with the City Manager who shall be furnished the services of the City Solicitor. The suspended, removed, or reduced employee shall have the right to present testimony and other evidence, call witnesses, including city employees, and the right of cross-examination. Within 15 days of the final day of the hearing on appeal, the Personnel Board shall render its decision in writing and such decision shall stand as the decision of the City of Greenbelt.

Appointments made by the City Manager shall be on the basis of executive and administrative ability and of the training and experience of such appointees in the work which they are to perform, and no discrimination shall be made because of political or religious opinions or affiliations. All such appointments shall be without definite term unless for provisional, temporary, or emergency service.

ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 756 OF THE GREENBELT CITY CHARTER TO CLARIFY MEANING OF THE SECTION

ORDINANCE NO. 421

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, that under powers granted said City Council under the amendment to Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland (1955 Ch. 423) that Section 756 of the Greenbelt City Charter be and hereby is amended to read as follows:

Section 756. (Council Not to Interfere in Appointments, Removals, or Administration of Personnel.) Neither the Council nor any of its members shall direct or request the appointment of any person to, or his removal from office by the City Manager or in any manner take part in the appointment or removal of officers and employees in the administrative service of the city except as regards the appointment of the City Solicitor. Except for the purpose of learning the functions and operations of the various departments of the City of Greenbelt, council members shall deal with the administrative service solely through the Manager, and neither the Council nor any Councilman shall give direct or implied orders to any subordinate of the City Manager either publicly or privately. Any violation of the provisions of this section by a Councilman shall be a misdemeanor, conviction of which shall immediately forfeit the office of the Councilman so convicted. The City Solicitor shall prosecute an action brought under section.

Above ordinances passed by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, at regular meeting, May 2, 1960.

Alan A. Kistler
 MAYOR

ATTEST:
 Winfield McCamy
 CITY CLERK