

UNION COUNTY LOCALSOURCE

THURSDAY, MAY 31, 2012

UNION.LOCALSOURCE.COM

VOL. 95 NO. 22

50 CENTS

Employees not the only ones hurt by county layoffs

While many at the Dept. of Human Services worry about their own families, most also worry about those they help

By Cheryl Hehl
Staff Writer

It may be zero hour for county employees expecting to be laid off June 1, but 11th hour negotiations with one union could result in an outcome that could salvage some positions.

The Union County Department of Human Services is just one of many departments that will lose valuable employees tomorrow due to layoffs. Twenty-five to be exact. But while every department certainly has a story that can be told, the loss of social and case workers could affect the public in a profound way.

Every weekday at the county social services office on Westminster Avenue in Elizabeth, there is a line out the

door and down the block. People wait patiently in the broiling heat, bitter cold and pouring rain. They come with babies in arms, pushing the elderly in wheel chairs and hope in their hearts. But the long wait is nothing compared to not knowing if there will be someone there to help them get medicine and food for their children, or a place to call home or help in an emergency.

When the county announced in March they would have to lay off 10 percent of their workforce, these social workers and case workers who man this office and another in Plainfield, were more than concerned. Each already had a staggering 500 to 800 cases to handle. How could any of the remaining employees take on double or triple casework?

But overworked is not a word any of these particular county employees would use to describe the grueling days that comprise their working hours, week after week. Because at social services there are always people in need, especially since the economy took a turn for the worse.

In fact, many nights you can find cars still in the employee parking lot long after the end of the work day as these dedicated workers attempt to catch up on their case loads. On their own time and without pay.

Joanne Colucci-Turbett, a county social worker and investigator knows first hand the plight this department will be in if they lose any staff.

See DEPT., Page 15

Residents are frustrated with possible BOH dissolution

By Paul Greulich
Staff Writer

SPRINGFIELD — Concerns surrounding a controversial ordinance to disband the township's Board of Health continued to mount as residents unsuccessfully pressed their local officials for explanations at last week's Township Committee meeting.

Introduced May 8, the ordinance, if passed, will effectively dissolve the autonomous, seven-member board and relegate its duties to the Township Committee.

The Board of Health in its current form is comprised of volunteers appointed by the governing body and is responsible for developing, implementing and monitoring public health planning and policies. There is no statute requiring municipalities to staff an autonomous board of health, and local governments have the power to disband the board and assume their duties.

Mayor Ziad Shehady stated the committee is considering this change "for purposes of oversight and efficiency and to ensure health laws are being followed."

However, residents had many questions about the specific motivation for such a significant change, the nature of the board's relationship with the commit-

See AT, Page 8



Photo By Steve Ellmore

At the Union Veteran's Alliance 2012 Memorial Day Parade on Monday, live cannon fire was set off at the end of the procession at Honor Roll Park. For more photos of Memorial Day ceremonies, see inside.

Under protest, Cranford amends zoning laws

Strictly following a court decision, council changes laws for Birchwood construction, but plans to continue the legal battle

By Cheryl Hehl
Staff Writer

CRANFORD — Last week the governing body approved an ordinance changing local zoning laws so a developer can construct a 350-unit apartment complex at 215-235 Birchwood Avenue. But they made it clear they did it under protest and only because it was court ordered.

Although the approval of the ordinance was against everything the township has been fighting for several years, Township Attorney Philip Morin said Cranford had no choice in the matter.

"If we failed to act on a court order then we could face civil penalties and be sanctioned for not obeying a judge's order," Morin said Friday in an interview, but stressed that the township has no intention of giving up the fight to keep Hekemian Group from building the complex. In fact, he explained that in order for the township to move forward with an appeal, there are a series of legal steps that must be followed or that appeal can not be made.

As a land use attorney with 17 years experience, Morin also is a township resident, former governing body member and did a term as mayor 11 years ago. He pointed out that he is not just the township attorney but someone who was raised in Cranford and now is raising his own four children here.

"Quite frankly, I wouldn't do justice to the town if I didn't file an appeal," he said, explaining Hekemian is attempting to build "a massive development in a flood plain."

There were residents at the meeting who voiced strong objections to the governing body approving this ordinance, but despite this, Morin said the township was moving in the right legal direction to file an appeal against the developer. He is certain all the facts in this case have not fully been understood up to this point, but unless he follows the legal procedures required, the chance an appeal will be heard is low.

"That's why there are appellate courts so judges can sit back and see what errors were made in a case like this," Morin said, explaining that in order to file an appeal, though, the township first and foremost has to follow the law. Or an appeal will fail.

"I know how this was perceived by residents living in the area but the law is the law," he said, adding that in December 2011 Superior Court Judge Lisa Chrystal said in her order that the township had to amend its master plan and zoning ordinance to allow construction of the apartment complex with 54 affordable rental units, regardless of whether residents or township officials were opposed to the measure or not.

"What the court is saying is that we have to put everything in place before we can file an appeal," Morin said, adding that he has represented both private and public clients in similar cases and feels the township has



File Photo

The tract of land off Birchwood Avenue in Cranford viewed through a fence is the site of a proposed 300-plus apartment housing complex. Due to old laws that favor developers, Cranford has been legally mandated to allow the construction of the units, despite widespread opposition to the plan from residents, councilmembers and nearby homeowners. The location is in a flood plain, and many fear the result will be an increase in already horrible flooding conditions.

a good chance of winning an appeal. The township attorney also noted that the judge in this particular case did her job by looking at Supreme Court decisions that involved similar cases.

But while the township has made it clear they fully intend to fight in this legal battle, misinformation continues to fuel controversy with residents. Many protesters believe the Birchwood development issue is cut and dry, but it is legally complicated and involves an issue that few truly understand.

Actually the township is in the position it is in because of the Mount Laurel decision made in the 1970's. This decision ensured that every town provided affordable housing, regardless of whether they were overbuilt, had no land available or did not agree with the ruling. This led to the formation of Council On Affordable Housing, or COAH.

COAH enacted the actual laws requiring every town provide a specific amount of housing for low- and moderate-income individuals based on a formula which factors in available land and the number of housing units already in a community.

Builders remedy allows developers, like Hekemian Group, to sue municipalities to force excessive housing development in places that do not make sense from any

logical planning perspective. Communities have essentially been held hostage by developers who have the law on their side regardless of local zoning laws or the impact these developments have on nearby properties.

Since the Fair Housing Act was created in 1985, New Jersey has issued 700,000 building permits and some legal experts in the field have estimated 200,000 market rate homes are the direct result of builder's remedy lawsuits.

In 2010 Frank Askin, director of Rutgers constitutional Litigation Clinic, described the genesis of the Mount Laurel court cases that have shaped New Jersey's affordable housing policies the last 40 years. One case in particular put in motion the doctrine that municipalities must provide "reasonable opportunity" for the creation of affordable housing. Still others have said the Mount Laurel Doctrine has been anything but reasonable, which prompted Gov. Chris Christie to work towards a new affordable housing plan that was fair.

In 2010 Christie signed an executive order freezing the enforcement of the state's affordable housing regulation for 90 days, which essentially put COAH on hold. The order from the governor came as a bill, co-sponsored by Democrat Senator Ray

Lesniak, was introduced calling for a major overhaul of COAH. In essence, that legislation would have taken way the power from COAH and handed it back to local municipalities.

While many legislators felt this would prompt changes in the law and Lesniak predicted the bill would pass both houses before the 90-day COAH moratorium, the measure was overturned in an appellate court last year. The governor's office subsequently appealed to the state Supreme Court, which is ongoing. Christie called the Mount Laurel laws "an abomination," and has continued to oppose the measures that have tied municipalities hands in builder's remedy lawsuits.

But, in the meantime, the law is on the side of developers like Hekemian Group who use the builders remedy loophole. This loophole only requires that this particular developer provide 15 percent, or 54 apartments, for affordable housing. The 300 remaining units, however, can be at prevailing market rates. And there is nothing the township can do about it because current COAH laws allow builders to sue to ensure they can develop these properties.

Cranford faced a previous builder's remedy lawsuit by Lehigh Acquisitions who owns property adjacent to the railroad on

See THE, Page 4



The Birchwood fight is far from over

(Continued from Page 3)
 South Avenue East. Like Hekemian, this developer also claimed the township failed to meet its affordable housing requirements and eventually won their case after dragging the township through the courts for years. In both of these local builder's remedy lawsuits the township's hands were tied and any local planning and zoning restrictions already in place were basically suspended until the cases are resolved legally or otherwise.

But Cranford is not alone when it come to battling builder's remedy lawsuits. Recently the Middlesex county community of Highland Park, the third most densely populated municipality in that county, has been embroiled in a long, drawn out legal fight with two developers who took advantage of this loophole in state affordable housing laws.

Cranford, like Highland Park, has had little recourse because as long as the developer is fulfilling the local affordable housing obligation that was not met by the municipality, they win in court.

Millburn is another municipality that has had its battles with a developer trying to build a high-density, low-income housing in nearby Livingston, on the Short Hills border. The subject of contention is a 65-foot apartment building with 50 units and a separate building with 10-affordable housing units. A judge reviewing this particular case said Millburn was entitled to full participation in this case involving an adjacent municipality because it was on the border between the two towns. Millburn ended up suing Livingston in an effort to challenge Livingston's adoption of a housing plan change to its master plan.

Like Cranford, these municipalities have refused to back down despite the obvious fact that these developers have the law on their side. In Cranford's case, Morin feels there are extenuating issues that could see the township win out in the end against the Hekemian Group.

"This developer needs to seek a hardship waiver because they didn't meet all the criteria required to build on that site," the township attorney explained, adding that

he does not believe they will get that waiver "if the citizens of Cranford and the governing body have their way." And Morin believes he can wage the legal battle ahead so the township does not have to see this massive development impact Cranford in a negative way.

Morin also pointed out that Hekemian also has to obtain Department of Environmental Protection permitting and that could present a problem.

"There are environmental factors here that are entirely up to the DEP. If the DEP doesn't issue permits, they won't be able to build on that site," the township attorney said.

The township, he said, remains in firm opposition of this court-mandated development on Birchfield Avenue and will continue to "demonstrate to those that are in any way involved in this project that the township and its citizens stand united in our opposition."

Morin would not discuss how much this has cost taxpayers so far or how high the tab could go as the legal battle goes on.

SPOTLIGHT ON ROSELLE & ROSELLE PARK



**HOT
BAGELS & DELI**
 Sandwiches - Cold Drinks - Coffee
 Catering - Free Delivery

111 East Westfield Avenue
 Roselle Park, NJ 07204
 P - (908) 241-0909
 F - (908) 241-1007

Roselle Park Summer Camp "A Great Camp Makes A Great Summer"

June 25 - August 17, 2012 - 8AM to 6PM • 7:30 AM Drop off available!
 K-8 Camp and Pre-school Camp

Activities Include: Computer Instruction, Musical Theatre, Dance, Sports Activities, Games, Science Labs, Arts & Crafts, Drawing and Painting, Newspaper, Contests, Baton Twirling, Cheerleading, and MUCH MORE!!

Fun and educational activities for all, in a pleasant learning environment!!

PROGRAMS & CLINICS FOR 2012

Softball, Tennis, Baseball, Basketball, Soccer - Register for any 2 clinics and get the 3rd free!!

Also offered: 5-week Reading & Writing Program • 5-week Math Program • July 10 - August 9th - 3 days a week

Swim Lessons available from June 25 - August 7

Great Facilities, Affordable Prices, Choice of 3 to 5 Days Per Week / Excellent Staff, Full or Half Schedules Available, Convenient Weekly Registration

To Enroll Call: 908-241-2851 • Check our website: www.rpsd.org • Email: summercamp@rpsd.org

Roselle Park Rita Pharmacy

Prescriptions Filled
While You Wait

Money Orders
Only .69¢

Full Line of Surgical Supplies • FREE DELIVERY
 All Plans including Medicare Accepted

200 Chestnut St., Roselle Park

908-245-1396

Fax: 908-245-1616



FDIC Insured

235 Chestnut Street

Roselle

908-245-1885

Serving the Community Since 1889

NJ Supreme Court upholds OPRA decision against county

By Cheryl Hehl
Staff Writer

Last week Union County Watchdog activist Tina Renna won another round for open public records when the New Jersey Supreme Court said the county has to hand over a newsletter mailing list.

The county appealed a decision made in Renna's favor in February after the Superior Court of New Jersey Appellate Division ruled the activist was entitled to receive a complete list of senior citizen names and addresses compiled by the county and used for a newsletter during primary and general elections. With the latest Supreme Court ruling, the county now has no choice but to hand over the mailing list. Renna was pleased by the ruling but said she knew the county was wrong from the beginning.

"The Senior Newsletter isn't a service that seniors vol-

untarily sign up for. It's a government newsletter that is printed and mailed at public cost at about \$3,500 for postage alone," Renna said, adding the county has continued to maintain seniors voluntarily signed up for the list, but had no proof of how the list was compiled or purchased.

The activist also pointed out that it has cost her \$18,000 to prove she was right from the beginning.

"The UCWA maintains that these senior mailings are a taxpayer funded campaign tool to complement the freeholder's Union County Alliance Newsletter which is mailed to every postal patron before elections. And they are an abuse of the public's trust," Renna added.

Friday Union County Communications Director Sebastian D'Elia said that the county would be handing over the mailing list to Renna.

"I think it's obvious that we have to give her the list," he said.

Renna has long maintained the newsletter was a taxpayer-funded campaign mailer put out by the county at election time, and in 2010 Superior Court Judge Katherine Brock agreed with her. However, the county appealed that decision. At the time D'Elia said in court papers that the senior mailing list was only used to provide information about services and programs of interest to seniors in the county.

The communications director did express concern in court documents about Renna contacting individuals on the list, but both superior and appellate courts did not find that she did.

The appellate court ruled that "the purpose of OPRA is to maximize public knowledge about public affairs in order to ensure an informed citizenry and minimize the evils inherent in a secluded process."

"FOOD POISONING WAS THE BEST THING
THAT EVER HAPPENED TO ME. OTHERWISE,
THE HOSPITAL WOULDN'T HAVE FOUND THAT
CYST. AND I WOULDN'T HAVE MET VIKY,
THE ROBOT THAT HELPED MY DOCTOR REMOVE IT."

- Kimberly Rodrigues
Union, New Jersey

NO SURPRISE, IT'S OVERLOOK.

It was bad enough when Kim Rodrigues went to the emergency department with food poisoning and found that she also had a pre-cancerous cyst on her bile duct. And worse when she was told by a New York City surgeon that she'd need an incision all the way from her breast bone to belly button to remove it. But it got better when Overlook Medical Center offered a minimally invasive solution, performed by a highly skilled physician and his assistant ViKY, a voice-activated robotic camera. No surprise. Overlook surgeons are skilled in advanced laparoscopic procedures as well as robotic surgery. For Kim, that meant three little incisions, a quicker recovery, and meeting her first robot.



Overlook
Medical Center
ATLANTIC HEALTH SYSTEM

For more surprising Overlook stories, visit
www.NoSurpriseItsOverlook.org

Memorial Day in Union County



Left: Ken Donhauser, part of the Daughters of the American Revolution, holds his flag aloft as residents gather at the City Green in Summit on Memorial Day. Bottom left: locals in uniform march in the annual Union Memorial Day Parade on Stuyvesant Avenue. Below: Wayne A. Russo, a former resident of Union, was killed on Sept. 11, 2001 while working on the 98th floor of the World Trade Center South Tower. He is honored by those who loved him during Union's annual Memorial Day parade. See more photos on Pages 10 and 20.



Union County LocalSource is published and mailed to the homes of subscribers every Thursday by Worrall Community Newspapers, an independent, family owned newspaper company. To report a breaking news story, call 908-686-7700 and ask for our editorial department. We accept news releases and opinion pieces by email. Our email address is editorial@thelocalsource.com. Email must be received by 5 p.m. Friday to be considered for publication the following Thursday.

Union County LocalSource
1291 Stuyvesant Avenue
Union, NJ 07083
Phone: 908-686-7700 Fax: 908-686-4169
www.LocalSource.com

Union County LocalSource (USPS 648-480) is published weekly by Worrall Community Newspapers, Inc., 1291 Stuyvesant Avenue, Union, N.J. 07083. Mail subscriptions \$20.00 per year \$38 for two years in Union County, 50 cents per copy non-refundable. College and out-of-state subscriptions are available. Subscribe by calling 908-686-7700. Periodicals postage paid at Union, NJ and additional offices. POSTMASTER: Send address changes to Union County LocalSource P.O. Box 1596, Union, N.J. 07083-1596.

Hawk Rise Sanctuary wildlife refuge opens in Linden

By Shira Kipnees
Correspondent

LINDEN — Union County and the City of Linden recently opened up and welcomed to the public a new addition for its community.

Hawk Rise Sanctuary is a wildlife refuge that also can be used for recreational purposes, such as hiking, bird watching, and nature appreciation along with a 1.5 mile walkway.

The sanctuary, located on Range Road by the Rahway River and a part of a 95 acre city-owned natural resource and wetlands complex, was ceremoniously opened to the public with a ribbon cutting that included a large turnout and support from the Linden community, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, and the Green Acres program.

Hawk Rise Sanctuary was formerly a landfill in Linden

dating back to World War II which had to close by the year 2000. The idea was to turn the landfill into a "green" area that would benefit the community. Thus, Linden decided to make the landfill into a new wildlife refuge. Hawk Rise Sanctuary came out of a deal that would turn part of the landfill that could no longer be open, acceptable, or useful and create a beautiful area for both Union County and Linden residents to enjoy.

The wildlife sanctuary features many animals that are there for visitors to see, such as wild turkeys, birds, and foxes, and is the only wetlands close to Union County. Hawk Rise now hosts the tallest building in Linden, as it is 110 feet high, making it higher than the 11 story senior center. The first two phases of the project were created with grant money from Green Acres and with some help from local companies such as Phillips66 and Infineum. The plans for


phase 3 of Hawk Rise Sanctuary are still being drafted.

Linden has been very committed to helping create this environmentally friendly area out of a landfill and helping this refuge succeed. Currently, the methane gas from the landfill is being sold and make the wildlife sanctuary even more environmentally friendly.

There is also the ultimate goal of being able to turn the wildlife sanctuary into an educational facility for teachers who would integrate it into the science curriculum, and into a place that could help create more environmentally friendly energy by placing solar panels and solar windows on the facility and by building windmills to harness wind energy.

















"I don't usually get so excited about things like this, but after seeing everything that has gone into this project and all that this project has to offer, I'm really excited," said Lin-

See **SEEKING**, Page 8


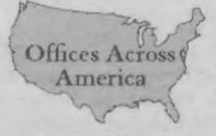


Call your local Weichert Office

Every Weichert Home Comes with a New Mortgage so You Can Buy It.

Real Estate	Mortgages	Closing Services	Insurance
 JEANNETTE BRYANT  ELIZABETH \$190,000 <i>Great Split w/Brick</i> Charming home w/4BRs, 2BAs, HW floor, brick fireplace in LR. WebID: 048012949	 CRYSTAL WIGGINS  UNION \$289,900 <i>Charming Cape Cod</i> Lovely home w/spacious rooms. Huge EIK leading to deck w/tranquil view. Move in condition. WebID: 048013046	 LINDA REED  UNION \$239,900 <i>Car Collectors Dream!</i> 3 Br. Ranch/Kit. w/Skylite n Brkfst. Bar/2 Ba./2 Car Garage w/loft/deep lot/near NYC bus. WebID: 048012970	 ELSA RICARDO  UNION \$330,000 <i>New Larchmont Section</i> Newer Colonial with a spacious floor plan for everyone to enjoy. WebID: 048103044
 CLINT MITCHELL  UNION \$215,000 <i>Come And See!</i> Nice 4BR Cape on corner lot, new above ground oil tank. WebID: 048012807	 EVANGELINE "ANGIE" GONZALES  ROSELLE PARK \$309,000 <i>Walk In Split at Bender</i> Bright & well kept, near NY bus & train stations, walking distance to great schools. WebID: 048013041	 LUISA GOMES  COLONIA \$629,900 <i>A Gem</i> This home offers banquet sized livingroom, 4 spacious b/r and part-finished bsmnt. WebID: 048013031	 ANDRE SARAIVA  ROSELLE PARK \$199,900 <i>You'll Love to Call This Home!</i> Beautiful TOWNHOUSE recently updated. WebID: 048012915


UNION OFFICE 908-687-4800





Keep searching on

weichert.com

Enter Web ID# to view photos/details.

Search 



*Subject to qualified buyers. Subject to terms and conditions. Company NMLS # 2731. Mortgage Access Corp. d/b/a Weichert Financial Services, Executive Offices, 225 Littleton Road, Morris Plains, NJ 07950. 1-800-829-CASH. Licensed by the NJ Dept of Banking and Insurance. Licensed Mortgage Banker with the State Dept of Banking in NY and CT. Licensed by the Pennsylvania Department of Banking, Mortgage Lender 21042. Licensed Lender in DE, MD, D.C. Licensed by the Virginia State Corporation Commission, License #MC297. Weichert Financial Services arranges loans with third-party providers. Equal Housing Lender.

At meeting, residents express frustration with lack of answers

(Continued from Page 1)

tee in recent months, the ability of the township committee to handle the additional duties and the potential impact on the well-being of the township.

Residents attending the meeting included former committee member Marsha Foreman.

"What puzzles me is the reason behind it," Foreman said of the ordinance.

She went on to question whether the committee may be seeking to alter the board for financial reasons or to gain more control. Foreman said it was important for the board to retain its autonomy in order to help distance its members and their activities from political influence.

Shehady assured members of the public that the committee had their best interests at heart.

"I'm not going to do anything that's going to jeopardize the safety or well-being of residents," Shehady said.

Shehady urged residents not to listen to "one-sided rumors" being circulated in the press. However, when pressed by residents for information he refused to comment, saying it was not an "appropriate" time to discuss the subject.

"This is not an item for discussion tonight," Shehady said.

The audience expressed unhappiness with this response. Resident Matthew Schmidt asked if any of the five members of the township committee have a health background. When the committee refused to answer, Schmidt said he assumed none did, and expressed grave doubt about the prospect of entrusting them with the duties of the Board of Health.

"I would suggest that is a recipe for disaster," Schmidt said.

Among those at the lectern was Township Historian and Democrat candidate for township committee Margaret Bandrowski.

"You are refusing to provide specifics," Bandrowski told Shehady.

As pressure from the audience continued to mount, Shehady ceased responding to resident's questions entirely, stating the remainder of the public portion of the meeting was going to be for "comments only."

The only member of the governing body to vote against the introduction of the ordinance was committee member David Amlen, who also serves as liaison to the Board of Health. Amlen said he has been impressed by the dedication of the board and believes their continued autonomy is in the best interest of the town.

Amlen did not return calls for comment.

The Board of Health is also opposing the ordinance, and has issued a statement that read in part: "We feel an autonomous board is in the best interests of the community as we are citizens of the community who can devote our time and resources to public health."

Board members have stressed their willingness to work cooperatively with the township committee. Board President Samir Shah said the board has formally requested two public meetings between both bodies to discuss how to move forward, but said no response has been received.

Meeting minutes from last year detail disagreements and a lack of communication between the board of health and the governing body.

Shah said statements made by Shehady through email and in private meetings have led him to believe the mayor objects to the board's repeated statements regarding potential risks and dangers associated with the township's animal control contract with Millburn.

Meeting minutes and email correspondence obtained by *LocalSource* indicate Shehady does not feel it is within the board's responsibilities to discuss this topic.

"He feels that by talking about it, we were undermining the township committee," Shah said.

Shah said the board has since made a practice of skipping discussion on agenda items relating to animal control at its meetings.

Shah said the second subject of dispute involves the board's unwillingness to contract with a new health department for a stated savings of \$40,000. Shah said not only is the board satisfied with the current shared service contract with the Westfield Health Department, they were never presented with a specific alternative.

"We just have a lot of questions," Shah said. "I think if you're given something at a lower price, you should always ask questions, especially when it relates to health."

Shehady did not return calls for comment. Deputy Mayor Jerry Fernandez did not return calls for comment.

The ordinance to dissolve the Board of Health is scheduled for second reading at the June 26 meeting.

The next meeting of the Board of Health is June 13.

Paul Greulich can be reached at 908-686-7700 ext. 121, or at thelocal-source@gmail.com.



Linden Mayor Richard Gerbounka at a professional development session a few weeks ago with fourth-grade teachers from the Linden Public Schools, and consultant Jerry Schierloh before the official ribbon cutting for the Hawk Rise Sanctuary.

Seeking 'sanctuary' in Linden? A new wildlife refuge offers an outdoor classroom

(Continued from Page 7)

den Mayor Richard Gerbounka, who also served as the chair of the landfill committee to close it in 1996.

"Linden is really proud of this project and once it is completed it will be great," Gerbounka continued. "There has been tremendous support for this project. This is a unique wetlands and a great way to support the wetlands. It is an asset to the city both educationally and for recreation."

Gerbounka also noted that Hawk Rise will have many benefits in the future as well, explaining "this is a major asset for everyone. The children get to see the actuality of environmental science instead of just theory, since what was once a dump is now turning into a recycling facility to capture energy. Just as we recycle, Mother Nature is recycling herself, as she decomposes trees, shrubs, and bushes, which regenerates soil, which generates new nutrients for both the plants and the wildlife."

Dolores Maslo, liaison to the Linden Board of Education and the New Jersey Audubon Society and former director of science for Linden Public Schools, explained that it is very important for the children to be able to learn all about environmental science from the wildlife sanctuary.

"We have to treat children like they are the keepers of the Earth, which they are after we are gone," she said. "Letting them learn at the sanctuary gives them a sense of place that they can benefit from right in their own town."

Maslo also runs programs for the teachers from the school district to help educate them about environmental science and all that Hawk Rise can offer to students.

Maslo also stated "none of the kids know about this wildlife sanctuary, and very few Linden citizens know about it either. This new wildlife sanctuary offers students and their families, especially those who do not leave Linden that frequently, a chance to learn about the environment and environmental science right in their own town. This is the greatest thing for ecological learning for both the students and the community."

While she retired last June, Maslo is still very connected to teaching both students and teachers about environmental science and has had full cooperation from the Linden Board of Education on this project. She believes the best way for the students to learn is through hands-on activities that reinforce the concepts they learn in school. She hopes to be able to take students out to the sanctuary by the fall, starting with the fourth graders in late September to early October.

However, Maslo noted that this project was due to a communal effort.

"Mayor Gerbounka has been a driving force behind this project," she said. "Superintendent Rocco G. Tomazic has been pushing this in the schools, and Councilman Bob Frazier, who is also the current chair of the landfill committee, has been great as well."



The 3 Main Stops That Lead To Great Family Time!

CRANFORD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



PRESENTS ALAIN ZERBINI CIRCUS

HILLSIDE AVENUE, SCHOOL GROUNDS

JUNE 26 to 28 at 5:15 & 7:30

CO SPONSOR BY TD BANK

THREE DAYS

CALL 272-6114

Jersey Lanes ULTRA MODERN 42 LANE CENTER



BOWL ONE GAME GET ONE FREE

Not valid with any other offer. Limit free game per person per visit. Expires 12/31/12

Area's Finest Junior Bowling Program

WINTER LEAGUES NOW FORMING For kids and adults
Clean, Friendly Atmosphere
Featuring Snack Bar, Full-Service Pro Shop and Lounge

The Perfect Place for Birthdays, Private Parties and Corporate Events!

30 Park Ave., Linden • 908-486-6300
www.jerseylanes.com

INDOOR GLOW-IN-THE-DARK

MONSTER MINI GOLF

\$2 off a round of mini golf

One coupon per customer. May not be combined with other offers.

2 Private Party Rooms, Arcade Games
 And it all glows in the dark because...

Daylight is for WIMPS!



1235 West Chestnut Street, Union, NJ 07083
 908-686-7200 www.MonsterMiniGolf.com

ALAIN ZERBINI CIRCUS
 Hillside Ave., School Grounds
 Cranford

JERSEY LANES
 30 Park Ave., Linden
 908-486-6300
www.jerseylanes.com

MONSTER MINI GOLF
 1235 W. Chestnut St., Union
 908-686-7200
www.monsterminigolf.com



BRIDLED SUPPORT — Horses adorned in American flags parade down Stuyvesant Avenue during Union's annual Memorial Day parade. A ceremony at the end of the route featured live cannon fire.

Photo By Steve Ellmore

Relay for Life set for June 8 in Clark

The public can join the fight against cancer and the movement to create a world with more birthdays by participating in the American Cancer Society Relay for Life on June 8 and 9 at Arthur L. Johnson football field, 365 Westfield Ave., Clark, from 6 p.m. until 6 a.m.

This overnight event will unite the entire community in celebrating those who have had cancer, remembering loved ones lost and providing an opportunity to fight back against the disease.

Relay for Life is an overnight celebration where individuals and teams camp out, picnic, dance, play games and take turns circling a track "relay" style. The event begins as cancer survivors walk in a "survivor lap" around the track to celebrate victory over cancer.

Later as the sun sets, participants light hundreds of luminaria candles to pay tribute to those lost to the disease. Relay for Life supports the society's mission to save lives by helping people get well, stay well, find cures and fight back.

For additional information visit *Relay-ForLife.org/ClarkNJ* or call 800-227-2345.

ADVERTISE TODAY!

CLASSIFIED ADS
GET RESULTS!
CALL US AT

908-686-7850

Our 28th Year!!!

ACA Accredited

The
Camp of
Choice

camp horizons

at Newark Academy in Livingston - Kindergarten through 9th Grade
Where Campers Select Their Own Activities

Open House

Saturday, June 2nd 1:00-2:30 pm

Enroll at our Open House and Receive a \$500 Discount**

**Applicable to New Campers for a Minimum of Four Full Weeks

Call Neil Rothstein, Owner 973-992-7767

www.camphorizons.com

*The Borough of Roselle Park
will be conducting a*

BOROUGH WIDE GARAGE SALE

on JUNE 9, 2012 from 9:00 AM TO 4:00 PM.

Permit applications may be obtained in the
Borough Clerk's Office,

110 East Westfield Avenue or online at

www.rosellepark.net

List of participating homes will be available at all
Municipal Buildings and on Borough Web page

www.rosellepark.net

The 2 Main Stops To Great Seafood!

Chestnut Chateau Restaurant

Seafood & Steakhouse



Daily: Fresh Catch of the Day
Flounder • Scallops • Crabcakes
Lobster • Soft Shell Crabs

In Season Market Price

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL MENU **\$10⁹⁵**
Not Valid On Sundays
Now Served Tuesday thru Friday - 3 TO 6PM...

"The Chateau Bar Lounge"

- New Raw Bar Menu (Raw Clams, Oysters & Shrimp Cocktail)
- Seats 50 people • Flat Screen TV's
- Happy Hours... Tues-Fri., 4-7pm, Drinks & Food Specials

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

Every Thursday Night Featuring Music by:
Julian, "The Jimmy Ray Band," & much more!
Friday Nights...Karaoke with "DJ Buddy-Love"

649 Chestnut St., Union
908-964-8696

www.chestnutchateau.com



Come On Down To Cafe Z
For The Freshest Seafood,
Homemade Pasta, Reasonable
Prices & Great People!



...are always on the menu!

Try our Homemade Fettucini with Crabmeat in a pink cream sauce or Choose Crabmeat Stuffed Shrimp Wrapped with Prosciutto in Our Homemade Lobster Cream Sauce, Herb Encrusted Chilean Seabass & Jumbo King Crab Legs will be some of the Specials throughout the Summer.

Live Entertainment Thursday - Saturday

2333 Morris Avenue, Union
908-686-4321

Cafeznj.com • Private Parties

OPINION

Please explain, for purposes of 'oversight and efficiency'

Last week we encouraged the residents of Springfield to ask their township committee why they thought it would be a good idea to disband the board of health. And we are happy to be reporting this week that many turned out to the last meeting and did just that.

But, we are displeased by the response, or lack thereof, they received.

Mayor Ziad Shehady has now been repeatedly asked in public, by the public, why dissolving the board of health would be good for the town. To date, the closest thing to a logical and reasonable response has been "for purposes of oversight and efficiency and to ensure health laws are being followed."

Currently, the board of health consists of seven volunteers, all with medical or health related experience and qualifications, meeting once a month. The new plan, which will receive a second reading on June 26, calls for the township committee to assume the board's duties, and only meeting four times a year. We are wholly uncertain how this change will "ensure health laws are being followed."

At last week's meeting, resident Matthew Schmidt asked if any of the five members of the township committee have a health background. When the committee refused to answer,

EDITORIAL

We continue to be concerned that an inexperienced committee meeting less times per year regarding public health is a bad idea for Springfield. We continue to reach out to our elected officials, asking why this would benefit the residents. They continue to ignore us and residents, providing no answers.

In addition, several residents have stressed the importance of keeping political influence out of the public health process. The importance of maintaining this distance is exemplified by the conduct of public officials like deputy mayor Jerry Fernandez, who served as liaison to the board of health in 2011.

Meeting minutes show Fernandez attended only two meetings in person as the liaison, but saw fit to materialize at a meeting in March of this year to speak out in defense of a local business that was facing their third consecutive violation involving improper hand washing, food handling and storage.

Your elected officials have not answered our questions, and given the opportunity, they saw fit to ignore yours as well. This is not a healthy response for the citizens of our town.

Schmidt said he assumed none did. We can only assume the same, seeing as no member has returned repeated phone calls or reached out to us.

Lack of communication says plenty about officials

By Cheryl Hehl
Staff Writer

Reporters learn early that getting the story takes work. Giving up is not part of the deal and letting anyone intimidate you is a sure way to hit a dead end and end up with no story at all.

But reporters are only human. In the course of pursuit, the means to the end can make even the most tenacious reporter want to tear their hair out. And speaking from experience, that can be pretty darn frustrating.

Just one question without dating myself — when did public employees stop answering the phone? Was it a gradual thing or did everyone wake up one morning and decide it was a pain in the neck talking with the people who pay their salary and they didn't want to do it anymore. More importantly, how the heck did they get away with that one?

Is it me or does just about every school district have a telephone answering system that would drive even the most patient person up a wall? And could the person on the recording possibly speak any slower than three seconds between each word? Remember when someone, anyone, picked up the phone and asked how they could direct your call? Now we get a recording of a person who obviously thinks everyone hears in slow motion.

Are employees so busy in every school district, municipal building and county level that absolutely no one in any department can answer the phone? Not even the administrative assistants, previously known as secretaries, are answering the phones.

It's getting to the point that if an actual person answers the phone, I'm shocked

REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK

and rendered speechless.

Recently I was working on a story about the new formula for determining graduation rates. The story involved my calling all the school district superintendents in our reader area. So I made a list, and started calling. From the start it was evident that this was not going to be easy.

No one was answering the phones and just finding the superintendents required staying on the phone longer than any human being should have to in this day and age. In the end I left an amazing amount of messages and received only four call backs. Had I actually spoken to more live human beings, I think that number might have increased.

After this eye opening experience, I'm here to report that in my experience 95 percent of the time the average caller has to deal with a machine. And that, my friends, is just wrong in every sense of the word.

It seems as though people working in the public sector, including elected officials, feel they don't have to return phone calls anymore.

The biggest offenders are elected officials. If they don't want to deal with the press, they just don't call back. Ever.

They seem to forget they are not movie stars but public figures and therefore have somewhat of an obligation to respond when a reporter is covering an issue involving their municipality. It's fine if they have no comment, but at least do the courteous thing and return the call. No one is that busy.

As for mayors that are not elected but merely in that position because their par-

ticular political party has control of the governing body, remember, this is an honorary title, not king of the land. Remember where you came from because next year you will either be just another member of the governing body or not in office at all.

Before I get into who the biggest offenders are in this particular area, let me say there are public officials who return phone calls immediately or as soon as possible. Among them are administrators in Union, Clark, Linden, Elizabeth, Summit and some officials in Cranford. Others never call back or do so days later when its either too late or I have forgotten why I made the call in the first place.

So, for the record, when you see "did not return calls by press time," in an article, that means someone ignored my call, or did not return my call in a timely manner. We are a weekly newspaper. Most people have multiple days to reach out to me.

I realize everyone is busy these days. Budget cuts have forced many employees in our towns to take on more and more responsibility but answering the phone should be a priority.

It is clearly evident to me that some, but not all public officials have a real fear of the press. But, before all those non-responders chuckle at their ability to avoid the press, just remember the people who voted for you in the last election read their local newspaper and notice which mayors and elected officials comment on issues and the ones that never do.

That should strike a cord because I know elected officials read *LocalSource*. Actually they would be crazy not to because it looks like our newspaper is the only one on top of county news these days. And we answer our own phones. Imagine that.

LOCALSOURCE

Published Weekly Since 1917
Incorporating the Union Leader, The Observer,
The Progress and The Eagle

Published Weekly By
Worrall Community Newspapers, Inc.
1291 Stuyvesant Avenue, Union, N.J. 07083
Phone: 908-686-7700
Fax: 908-686-4169
Office Hours: 9am to 5pm M-F

David Worrall, Publisher
hankwebb@thelocalsource.com
Raymond Worrall, Editor
rsw@thelocalsource.com
Patrick Bober, Regional Editor
editorial@thelocalsource.com
JR Parachini, Sports Editor
jr@thelocalsource.com
John D'Achino, Circulation Director
jad@thelocalsource.com

Advertising Department

Display: 908-686-7700
Internet: 908-686-7700
Classified: 908-686-7850

Circulation Department

908-686-7700

News Department

908-686-7700

Sports Department

908-686-7700

LocalSource encourages reader response to letters, columns and editorials each week.

Send letters or opinion columns to editorial@thelocalsource.com or mail to Editor, P.O. Box 1596, Union, NJ 07083.

All responses must include name, address and daytime phone number.

Visit our Website
for more news and photos.
LocalSource.com



PLEASE RECYCLE

©Worrall Community Newspapers, Inc.
2012 All Rights Reserved

Articles, pictures and advertisements herein are the exclusive property of Worrall Community Newspapers, Inc. and any republication or broadcast without written permission is prohibited.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Thank you for helping to make a big difference

To the Editor:

On May 12, the Cranford Rotary Club conducted a Pedals for Progress used bike collection at the Orange Avenue Pool in Cranford. In the space of three hours, 95 bicycles were collected, along with a substantial amount of monetary donations. A typical Pedals for Progress collection nets about 39 bicycles, so the Cranford collection was particularly successful.

I wish to thank the township of Cranford and Cranford Swim Pool Director Steve Robertazzi for making the Orange Avenue Pool parking lot available for the collection; Mike Flynn, President of the Cranford Rotary Club, for his support of the project; my fellow Rotarians; Cranford High School's Interact Club; the teens who volunteered through the Cranford Public Library's young adult program; and, of course, everyone who donated bikes and cash.

Pedals for Progress, on the Web at www.p4p.org, is a 501c3 non-profit organization based in High Bridge. Over the past 21 years, they have collected more than 134,000 bikes. They rescue bikes — and, also, sewing machines — destined for overburdened U.S. landfills and ship them to developing countries, where they are sorely needed and highly valued assets. The bikes are put to work not only as basic transportation, but are used as a supplement to school and community programs. They are adapted for use as trash haulers, produce trucks, taxis, and farm machinery. Some municipalities even sponsor recreational cycling programs, making bikes available to all who care to participate. The Cranford Rotary Club looks forward to staging another successful collection next year.

John Malar
Cranford Rotary Club

Clark looks forward to Relay for Life event

To the Editor:

On the evening of June 8, volunteers from the American Cancer Society will be joining forces with residents of Clark and surrounding communities in reach of a goal that is common to nearly everyone: the goal is to eliminate the human suffering that is caused by cancer. Relay For Life of Clark is a 12-hour event that will take place at Arthur L. Johnson High School, beginning at 6 p.m. and continuing throughout the night, ending at 6 a.m.

Relay For Life is the American Cancer Society's signature event. It is an overnight celebration of hope and survivorship. Teams camp out and take turns walking a track throughout the night, in honor of those who have fought cancer and in memory of those who are no longer with us. Funds raised through Relay For Life support the lifesaving work of the American Cancer Society through research, education, advocacy and patient/family services.

Annually, over 3 million people participate in Relay For Life events in communities

worldwide, and have raised over \$4 billion since its inception in 1985. This year, the NY/NJ area is hosting over 250 events. The 2011 Relay For Life of Clark had 1099 participants, including 202 cancer survivors in attendance.

It is a community event in every sense of the word. When you arrive, you may be surprised to find that Relay For Life is not your typical fundraising walk: it's a unique opportunity for all to make a serious difference in the fight against cancer, while having fun at the same time. It is a chance to remember and reflect on those who sadly lost their battle to cancer. Yet, at the same time, we honor and celebrate the lives of cancer survivors, who continue to live and fight each day with this disease.

A cancer diagnosis can certainly make the affected individual feel as though they are really alone. An amazing part of the "relay experience" is the opening ceremonies. The walk begins with the "Survivor Celebration Lap." Witnessing this is a genuinely uplifting experience: seeing hundreds of survivors, united in this cause, proudly walking around the track together. The best part of all is that each survivor, when in the company of such an astounding number of fellow survivors, will no longer feel alone.

The most moving part of the evening is the Luminaria Ceremony, which takes place at nightfall. During this emotional ceremony, volunteers and participants light hundreds, sometimes thousands, of candles. The candles illuminate the perimeter of the track and guide us through the darkness during a "silent lap." We take this time to slow down for a moment in respect for the Survivors walking among us, and to reflect on the lives of those who did not win the battle.

It's amazing to see so many Luminaries burning bright — then realize that each and every single candle represents the life of someone close to home: a loved one, family member, neighbors, friends: right in our community who have been individually touched by cancer.

The Ceremony represents the HOPE that we all share: that the day will come when cancer is completely eliminated.

Everyone is welcome to participate in Relay For Life, but Cancer Survivors are our special guests. There is no registration fee for survivors, but we ask that those who wish to participate in the Survivor Celebration Ceremony try to pre-register before hand, if possible.

Volunteers from the community are urgently needed to continue the fight against cancer. We are seeking new teams and team captains, as well as individual participants for everything from event planning to day-of-event set-up. A little of your time can make a huge difference in the fight against cancer.

For more information on Relay For Life of Clark, or the American Cancer Society, call 973-232-2573 or visit www.relayforlife.org/clarknj. Together, we will make a difference.

Ruthanne Brown
American Cancer Society

LEGAL QUESTIONS? Give us a call, it's FREE!

We represent the seriously injured from auto, motorcycle, slip and fall, work related accidents (workers' compensation), and medical malpractice. We also handle your traffic tickets, DWI/DUI and criminal matters.

 **Prince & Portnoi**
ATTORNEYS AT LAW



Andrew S. Prince



Mitchell H. Portnoi

732.396.8900

136 Central Avenue • Clark, NJ 07066
www.princeandportnoi.com



NJ's Finest Dogs

Galloping Hill Cruisers

Join us every Monday Night 6pm-9pm
Cruise for a Cause 2011: New Jersey
Institute for Disabilities

Bring this ad in Tues, Wed or Thursday for
Buy 1, Get 1 Free Hot Dog

Offer Exp. 6/7/12

Galloping Hill Inn
325 Chestnut St., Union
908-686-2683

Union police arrest suspect for April 29 robbery of TD Bank

Union

On April 29, Union police officers responded at 2:17 p.m. to the TD Bank at 2265 Morris Ave. after police headquarters received a hold up alarm. Officers on the scene determined the bank had been robbed and were searching for a man, who presented a threatening note indicating that he was armed. He was given money and fled on foot until he got into a vehicle on Commerce Avenue.

A few hours later, Detective David Pinto spoke to a citizen, who provided him with information that led him to the suspect. Members of the Detective Bureau surrounded the man's home, and at 10:30 p.m., he was taken into custody without incident. Detectives are investigating the crime and are searching for the driver, who drove the suspect away from the crime.

The man arrested is Miguel Cirne, 26, of Selfmaster Parkway. Cirne was charged by Detective Pinto with the armed robbery of the TD Bank. He was charged and transferred to the Union County Jail. His bail is \$100,000 set by Municipal Court Judge John Rosenbluth.

Clark

• May 15: Clark police responded to a report of a motor vehicle accident with no injuries in the vicinity of 76 Central Ave. Upon arrival, Investigating Officer Brian Renda discovered that there were no injuries and the appropriate report was filed.

• May 18: In the vicinity of 225 Central Ave., Police Officer Kenneth Gaulette arrested Jame Hunter, 41, married, a sanitation worker of Plainfield on an outstanding warrant from the Hudson County Sheriff's Department for contempt of court. He was subsequently turned over to the Hudson County Sheriff's Department.

• May 19: Police Officer Kenneth Gaulette arrested Taurean Walker, 31, single, a custodian, at his home in New Brunswick, on an outstanding warrant in the amount of \$948 for contempt of court. He was subsequently transported to the Union County Jail.

• May 20: At the Union Police Department, Police Officer Brian Soos arrested Jennifer Pulliam, 42, single, unemployed, of Elizabeth, on outstanding warrants

POLICE BLOTTER

totaling \$750 for contempt of court. She was subsequently transported to the Union County Jail.

Summit

• May 4: Approximately 11:15 p.m., the Summit Police Department took a report from a 15-year-old male, who stated that he and his friend, also a 15-year-old male, had both been the victims of a strong-arm robbery earlier that evening. He stated that he and his friend were walking on Union Place in the vicinity of Starbucks when they were approached by three males who blocked their path and demanded their cell phones and wallets. These individuals threatened the victims with physical harm if they did not comply and further warned the victims not to attempt to attract the attention of police officers. Ultimately, the robbers took cash in the amount of \$23 total from both victims and fled in the direction of the train station.

On May 5, following bulletins sent out to surrounding departments, Springfield police reported that an individual, matching the description of one of the robbers was the subject of a traffic stop in its town. This individual was subsequently turned over to Summit police for questioning. Following an investigation by the Summit Police Department Bureau, Ronald A. Perry II, 18, of Summit, was arrested and charged with robbery, second degree and possession of marijuana, less than 50 grams on May 6. He was remanded to the Union County Jail in lieu of \$25,000 bail, no 10 percent. In addition, on May 9, a juvenile suspect, 16, of Irvington was arrested and charged with second degree robbery and released in the custody of his guardian. Investigation is continuing into the involvement of a third juvenile suspect.

For further information regarding this matter, contact Lt. Andrew Bartolotti,

Detective Bureau commander, at 908-277-9400.

Cranford

• May 12: At 2:42 a.m., at Lincoln Avenue and High Street, Patrolman Thomas Stiansen and Detective Michael Andrews arrested Leon D. Gentile Jr., 20, and William F. Glavas, 20, both of Linden, and Courtney Bell, 23, of Cranford for possession of under 50g marijuana, possession of CDS paraphernalia, disorderly conduct and offering alcohol to underage persons. Following a call of a fight in progress, Officers Stiansen, Wagner and Hearnings were dispatched in the area of Lincoln Avenue and High Street. Upon arrival, the officers separated Leon D. Gentile Jr. and William F. Glavas from a physical altercation. After a brief investigation on the scene, the officers learned that the subjects had recently left a party, when they became involved in the altercation. Eventually Gentile was arrested and charged with possession of under 50g of marijuana and possession of CDS paraphernalia. Glavas was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct. In the days to follow, Det. Andrews continued the investigation, and on May 17, he arrested and charged Bell with offering alcoholic beverages to underage persons in connection to the original altercation.

• May 14: Following a stop at 1:48 a.m. at South Avenue and Thomas Street for motor vehicle violations, Sgt. Eugene Perrotta arrested Sandra Meo for DWI. Meo also was issued motor vehicle summonses for failure to observe a traffic signal, failure to keep right, failure to turn, uninsured driver and maintenance of lamps. Meo was released with a Cranford Municipal Court date of May 16 at 5:30 p.m.

Linden

• May 22: At 8:47 a.m., Linden police officers responded to the Radio Shack, 1111 W. St. Georges Ave., on a report of a burglary. A Radio Shack employee told police that sometime during the night, a burglar

or burglars broke through a sheetrock wall from a neighboring vacant business in the strip mall and stole approximately \$5,000 of cell phones and electronics. Detectives responded and were able to view video from another business in the mall. They observed that at approximately midnight, a newer model white color Chrysler minivan, pull up to the rear of the business and an individual exit the vehicle and approach the building. It was later determined that the burglars pried open the rear door of the vacant business before breaking through the wall into Radio Shack. Although there is an alarm system at Radio Shack, it was not activated. The burglars also cut the wires to the surveillance cameras. Anyone with information can contact Det. David Dehler at 908-474-8538 or email crimetips@police.linden-nj.org.

• May 22: At 4:48 p.m., Linden police officers responded to Cooper Electric Supply Co., 1805 Lower Road, Linden, on a report of a theft. A female victim, 43, of Allentown told police that she had left her wallet on the counter of the business after making a purchase. When she left and realized her wallet was left behind, she returned to the store but was unable to locate the wallet. An officer then reviewed video from a surveillance camera and observed a man look in the wallet and then remove it from the counter. An employee recognized the man's companion as a regular customer of the business. After an investigation by Det. Frank Leporino, Lukas P. Sysol, 34, of Linden was arrested and charged with disorderly persons theft. He told police that he threw the wallet on the side of the road after they left the business. A search of the area failed to locate the wallet, which had contained \$200 in cash, a credit card and a driver's license. Sysol was released on a summons with a court date in Linden Municipal Court set for June 12. The companion was not charged.

Time for College Planning



Private College Counseling, LLC

Individual & Ongoing Consultations

- School Selection • Essay Writing
- Interviewing • Testing Plan
- Application Preparation & Monitoring

JANET BERGER

973-992-7355

jbergercollege@aol.com



Stuyvesant HAIRCUTTING



Quality Hair Cuts At Affordable Prices

SENIOR CITIZEN \$10⁰⁰ SPECIAL

Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri.

OPEN MON. thru SAT.

1654 STUYVESANT AVE. • UNION

908-851-2813



Coming
in
June 2012,
our
very
own free
mobile app...
Gateway2Go!



Dept. of Human Services in talks to avoid layoffs by county

(Continued from Page 1)

"Bottom line: We are very fearful that our clients won't get the services they require," she said, explaining that while this department is overloaded with cases, they manage to stay on top of things.

Colucci-Turbett said that from the intake person who initially sees a client in need, to the case worker handling food stamps, housing, nursing home care and temporary financial assistance, and the social worker who must field domestic violence cases, child abuse, and other serious issues, each manages to juggle their caseload.

However, a potential shift in this careful balance has all these employees losing sleep.

But if anyone thinks the people needing help from social services come only from urban areas, think again. Nothing could be further from the truth.

"I know there is a stereotype people immediately think of, but it's no longer like that. We have people from every town, even affluent ones like Cranford and Westfield," Colucci-Turbett said, adding that in recent years people have lost their jobs and even their homes.

"Some come to us just for food stamps while others need more help, especially with medical care," she said, adding that she always remembers "there but for the grace of God, go I."

But the financial woes of the county are not lost on this employee. Or any of those who work in the department of social services.

"We understand there is a fiscal problem but we think they should have looked elsewhere, where the impact wasn't so devastating to clients," the union president said. "We have hundreds, literally hundreds, of clients coming in every day."

Colucci-Turbett also is aware that people "demonize

public sector workers," especially at the county level, but she believes that mindset can not be a blanket response.

"We really service our clients and when we can't get our work done, we stay late or take home our client files and we don't get paid for that time. We care about our clients and they become close to their case worker or social worker," she added.

One social worker, a "provisional county employee" hired by the county until she could take the civil service test required by the state, was brought in when caseloads were piling up. Although she preferred her name not be used, this dedicated social worker said it was important this department's story did get out.

"I know it's coming and I'm prepared, but I wake up at night thinking about my clients and how they will be confused about where I went, maybe even abandoned," she said sadly. But although this social services employee spent a long time discussing the impending layoff, not once did she mention the hardship it would cause her family, or that it was not fair to her personally.

"I know our union is working hard to try and save some of our jobs because of our caseload, and we're hoping it will work," she added.

As the President of the local Communications Workers of America, Colucci-Turbett has learned to balance the emotional as well as workload impact layoffs have on this department with a clear understanding that negotiations always involves give and take.

"That's why the the CWA is working with the county to see whether we can reduce the number of employees laid off," she explained, stressing this has been a team effort by employees, whose first concern is ensuring clients do not reach the front of that line and find no one there.

If it is up to the more than 100 CWA employees, there will be someone there.

"We have over 100 employees who are willing to give up 20 vacation days so their fellow employees won't have to be laid off," Colucci-Turbett said, adding that she and Task Force head Tina Lopez have brought the employees' willingness to sacrifice their own time for their fellow employees to the negotiation table.

"We are hopeful they will see that we care about our clients and will do what we have to in order to see they are taken care of," she added.

"We are looking at a voluntary furlough," Colucci-Turbett said, noting that the CWA is "fighting hard to work with the county."

Union County Communications Director Sebastian D'Elia confirmed the CWA had made this offer and "the door was still open for other unions to do the same."

D'Elia said the process of workforce reduction was initiated at the director level and focused on position, not individuals.

"As per the functions of the Department of Human Services, our primary focus throughout this process was to lessen the impact on client services. We are committed to continuing to meet all state standards as they pertain to the services we provide our clients and county residents," he explained.

When it came directly to the CWA, the communications director said "the union has recently come forward to accept the county's offer of an open door to continue to negotiate and lessen the impact in staff and services."

But the clock is ticking. Tomorrow is June 1, the day when 25 employees of this department are laid off and the lines at the social services offices in Elizabeth and Plainfield get longer.

Union Township Chamber of Commerce



(908) 688-2777
www.unionchamber.com
Sal Dovi, President

CHAMBER HAPPY HOUR at Ursino Restaurant

WHERE: 1075 Morris Avenue, Union
WHEN: 5:00-7:00 PM on
WEDNESDAY JUNE 13TH

Complimentary hors d'oeuvres and ½ price drinks will be served.

Cost: \$10 Members, \$15 Non-Members
Registration is required

ALSO

Think about staying for dinner! All Chamber dinner guests will receive a complimentary dessert.

(Please indicate when you register if you will be staying for dinner).

To register for one or both events, contact the Chamber at:
908-688-2777 or
executivedirector@unionchamber.com.

Our mission is to unite, strengthen, represent and promote business growth for the members of the Union Township Chamber of Commerce.

Swing into Summer!

At the Newark Academy
Summer Sports Institute in Livingston
June 18 to August 3



MOTT-LEENEY
BASEBALL CAMP

Weekly sports camps for boys and girls, ages 5-14

Baseball • Basketball • Fencing • Lacrosse • Soccer

Have fun • Develop your skills • Learn good sportsmanship and keys to success • Dedicated coaches • 68-acre campus • State-of-the-art facilities • Beginners welcome!

Visit our website for more details
newarka.edu/summer-programs

Or call for a brochure: 973.992.7000 x212
Multi-week discounts available

NEWARK ACADEMY
FOUNDED IN 1774

91 South Orange Avenue • Livingston, New Jersey 07039

SUMMER CAMP SIGN-UP DAYS

Summer Day Camp
2012

The OVAL

Maplewood, NJ

6 one-week sessions • July 2 - August 10
(No camp July 4th)

Busing available with centrally located stops in Essex, Hudson and Union Counties

- Programs for girls entering grades 1-9
- Cook-outs • Optional overnight experiences
- Activities include: arts, fashion, sports, cooking, environmental studies, crafts, swimming, and more
- A variety of programs are available for all girls
- You do not currently have to be a Girl Scout to attend

For on-line brochure and application visit the website at www.gshnj.org/camps or contact Camp Support at 908-947-1708 or campsupport@gshnj.org

*Financial assistance is available for girls who otherwise would not be able to attend camp.

girl scouts
heart of new jersey



PREHISTORIC — Union County Freeholder Chairman Alexander Mirabella looks at the artifacts in the Union County Mastodon exhibit at the Trailside Nature & Science Center in Mountainside before the opening ceremony. The Mastodon bones on display were discovered in Lenape Park in the 1936 and are upwards of 25,000 years old. The Union County Trailside Nature & Science Center is located at 452 New Providence Road, Mountainside and is open from 12 noon to 5 p.m., 7 days a week. Admission is free. For more information about the 'A Union County Mastodon' exhibit, visit www.ucnj.org/mastodon.

Clerk extends hours for last minute ballots

Union County Clerk Joanne Rajoppi will open her offices in Elizabeth and Westfield on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for voters seeking last-minute mail-in ballots.

The office in Elizabeth at the Union County Courthouse, 2 Broad St., and the office in Westfield at 300 North Ave. East, will be open as a public service for those voters who choose the Vote-By-Mail option for the Primary Election to be held on Tuesday.

"Every voter should have the opportunity to cast his or her ballot in the primary election for federal, county and municipal offices," Rajoppi said. "We want to ensure that even those who have a last-minute change of plans can have a chance to vote."

Sample ballots for the Primary Election in each Union County municipality may be viewed by going to the County Clerk's website: <http://ucnj.org/ctyclerk>.

"By opening the Elizabeth office on the Saturday before the primary election, as we have done for the past 16 years, along with the Westfield office, which has regular Saturday hours throughout the year, we hope to assist those citizens whose work schedules or other commitments keep them from applying during the work week," Rajoppi said.

Voters will be able to drop off their completed mail-in ballot, formerly known as an absentee ballot, at the Union County Clerk's offices in Elizabeth and Westfield. This option allows voters to pick up their ballots, vote in privacy and deposit them in a secured lockbox — all at the same office through 3 p.m. on Monday.

"Voters used to pick up absentee ballots at the Clerk's office and then had to drive across town to deliver them to the Board of Elections," Rajoppi said. "This option makes voting more accessible, particularly for senior citizens."

Completed ballots will be kept in a secure lockbox under the control of the Union County Board of Elections, who will collect them for counting.

The County Clerk's office has processed more than 2,500 mail-in ballots to date for the Primary Election and expects the number to exceed 4,000 by Primary Day, Tuesday.

To obtain a Vote-By-Mail application, voters may download the form at the Clerk's website: <http://ucnj.org/vote-by-mail/>, but they must bring the completed application to either of the County Clerk's offices on Saturday, June 2, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m., or on Monday, June 4, before 3 p.m. For more information, contact the County Clerk's office at 908-527-4996.

History grant opportunities are available

The Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders is pleased to announce that grant-funding opportunities are available through the 2012 Union County History Re-Grant Program, made possible from the New Jersey Historical Commission, a division of the Department of State.

The Union County Office of Cultural and Heritage Affairs, administrators of the program, is actively seeking applications from Union County-based non-profit groups. Funds must be used in support of an organization's general operating expenses or a special history project or program.

Local organizations interested in

developing and showcasing Union County's abundant history are encouraged to apply for funding," said Freeholder Chairman Alexander Mirabella. "These include historical societies, historic house museums, libraries, schools and similar groups."

The two types of grants available have general standards of eligibility as well as specific requirements. The General Operating Support Grant provides assistance for the basic costs of operation to Union County-based historical societies, house museums or historic sites only. The maximum GOS grant request is \$7,500.

The Special Project Grant supports his-

tory organizations, museums, schools, libraries and similar organizations with collections or programming relating to Union County and New Jersey state history. The maximum grant request is \$5,000.

The application deadline is June 20. The grant period runs from Sept. 1, 2012, through Aug. 31, 2013.

To obtain an application or receive more information, contact the Union County Office of Cultural and Heritage Affairs at 633 Pearl Street, Elizabeth or call 908-436-2912 or 908-558-2550. New Jersey Relay users may dial 711. Send e-mail requests for a writeable Word document to culturalinfo@ucnj.org or ewashington@ucnj.org.

SUMMIT NEWS

School's musical groups recognized

Lawton C. Johnson Summit Middle School vocal and instrumental groups were recognized for their outstanding performances at the Music Carousel Festival.

The Bel Canto vocal ensemble, Chamber Orchestra, and Stage band competed in the festival, which was held May 18 in the Allentown Symphony Hall in Allentown, Pa. The Stage Band, conducted by teacher Alex Bocchino, received an "Excellent" rating. Bel Canto, conducted by Dan King, and Chamber Orchestra, conducted by Joann Manhardt, received "Superior" ratings.

"Even more impressive was the fact that the judges praised the professional look, decorum and excellent concert presence exhibited by the groups," said Tom Maliszewski, supervisor of Summit Schools Fine, Performing, and Practical Arts Department. "The judges said Summit 'stood out' from among the more than 20 groups that competed."

Summit music teacher Francois Suhr provided piano accompaniment for the competition. Performing arts teachers, Steve Andrews, Michelle Brick, Steve Rapp, Barbara Vierschilling, Wayne Mallette and Ron Wells, served as chaperones and assistants.

Following the competition, the students enjoyed a day of fun at Dorney Park.

Kent Place has a new director of studies, effective July 1

Kent Place School, an independent, nonsectarian, college-preparatory day school for young women, has announced the appointment of Julia Gentile as the director of studies, effective July 1.

Gentile, who has served as the Kent Place English Department Chair since 2007, as well as an Upper School English teacher, will now oversee the evaluation of instruc-

tional programs, curricular development and innovation in all subject areas and grade levels. She will also work on professional development for faculty and staff and with department chairs in setting curricular goals.

Prior to coming to Kent Place, Gentile worked extensively at the secondary school level at such institutions as Governor Livingston High School, Arlington Central School District, Brown University Summer High School and NJ SEEDS Summer Program, among others. She graduated cum laude with a bachelor of art degree in English and Spanish from the College of Holy Cross and received an MAT from Brown University.

"Julia's expertise and professional experiences will add greatly to the Kent Place School community in this new capacity," said Head of School, Susan C. Bosland.

SHS gets 18 nominations in Rising Star Awards from Paper Mill

The Summit High School production of "Oklahoma!" has taken 18 final nominations in the Paper Mill Playhouse's Rising Star Awards competition.

This is the seventh consecutive year that a Summit High School production is one of the top seven schools nominated in the category of "Outstanding Overall production of a Musical" from among the 100 schools considered for nominations.

In this year's Rising Star competition, Summit garnered 15 Final Nominations and three Student Achievement Nominations, more than any other of the 100 schools competing.

Following are the categories in which "Oklahoma!" was nominated:

- Outstanding overall production of a musical.
- Best supporting actress Lynsey Newsham as Ado Annie.

- Best featured performer: Sam Goodstein as Ali Hakim.
- Outstanding chorus: Wayne Mallette.
- Outstanding orchestra: Steve Rapp
- Outstanding director: Anne Poyner.
- Outstanding musical direction: Steve Rapp and Wayne Mallette.
- Outstanding choreography: Kelly Mott-Sacks.
- Outstanding scenic achievement: Travis McHale
- Outstanding lighting achievement: Travis McHale.
- Outstanding costumes: Katherine Winter.
- Outstanding hair and makeup: Haley Coates.
- Outstanding graphic design: Paul Buckley and Rona Machlin.
- Outstanding lobby display: Carol Hassert, Mary-Ann Terrett, Tina White.
- Educational impact award: Andrea Lacquerre.
- Student Achievement Awards:
- Ben Moore, Stage Manager.
- Kevin Meier, Student Technical Director.
- Costume Crew.

The Rising Star Awards ceremony will be held at Millburn's Paper Mill Playhouse on June 5 at 7 p.m. As one of the seven schools nominated for Outstanding Overall Musical, the SHS cast of "Oklahoma!" will perform a number from the show on the Paper Mill stage during the ceremony.

Welcome to Summit, new businesses

The City of Summit Department of Community Services has released a Welcome Packet for new and existing businesses in Summit. The DCS continues to make strides in improving the communications regarding its operations, including opening, operating or renovating a business in the Summit Downtown and making the process as easy as possible.

If it's happening in Union County, then it's in UNION COUNTY LOCALSOURCE

Our award winning reporting provides the most comprehensive coverage of news, sports, and entertainment information. News and happenings in your town, delivered to your mailbox that you can only get in UNION COUNTY LOCALSOURCE!

1 Year For Only \$19⁰⁰



That's 52% off the cover price!

Mail Coupon and Payment to:

Worrall Community Newspapers, P.O. Box 1596, Union, NJ 07083

Yes! I want to subscribe for 1 year for just \$19.00

Name: _____

Address: _____

Town: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Check enclosed

Pay by credit card:

VISA Master Card American Express Discover

Card number: _____

Expiration date: _____

Card Holder: _____

Signature: _____

No other discounts apply. In-county delivery only. Must not have been a subscriber in the last 30 days.

UNION COUNTY
LOCALSOURCE

For Faster Service: 908-686-7700 or log on to www.localsource.com

It's not too late!

STUDENTS FIRST

INSTANT DECISION DAYS AT FELICIAN COLLEGE

Freshmen, Transfers, Adult and Graduate Students*

June 11-16 and July 16-21, 2012

8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday - Thursday (Closed Friday)

9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Saturday

Kirby Hall • 262 South Main Street • Lodi, New Jersey

201.559.6131 • admissions@felician.edu • felician.edu

Freshmen/transfers should bring the following:

High school transcripts or GED • SAT/ACT scores
College transcripts (transfers)

*Adult/graduate students will meet with a counselor to facilitate the admission process.

FELICIAN
COLLEGE

The Franciscan College of New Jersey



BRING THIS AD! WE'LL WAIVE THE \$30 APPLICATION FEE!

New Summit High School \$5,000 scholarship remembers 'Santi'

Santiago Daniel Abut was an eighth grader at Lawton C. Johnson Summit Middle School when he unexpectedly passed away in March 2008 from a chronic adrenal insufficiency condition.

Santi's loss was a tragedy for his family, friends, and school community. But the memory of Santi — his outgoing personality and his kind and compassionate nature — has been the inspiration for a number of memorials that honor his legacy. Most recently, the Santiago Daniel Abut Memorial Scholarship was established by the Santiago Abut Foundation. A scholarship of \$5,000 will be awarded every year to a graduating senior who has attended Summit High School for all four years, has been accepted at an accredited four-year college, and has demonstrated academic merit, character/citizenship, and financial need.

"Since 2012 is the year Santi would have graduated from Summit High School, it is very meaningful to us that a member of his class will be receiving the first scholarship award," said Santi's father, Daniel Abut. Abut and his wife, Sonia, manage and fully fund the Santiago Abut Foundation.

Summit High School administrators will screen the scholarship applications. The Abuts will participate in the interview process to select the finalist, and will present the scholarship at the senior awards ceremony being held June 1.

"The scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior who has shown that he or she has the ambition to do things for others, to show kindness, and to help improve other people's lives," said Mrs. Abut. "Santi was such a kind kid, and supporting demonstrations of kindness and projects that will do good to others, in Santi's name, is the best way to remember him. It is very important for us to keep Santi's memory alive."

Santi was very involved in the Summit Middle School drama and music programs and participated in the school's theater activities and chorus. He was assistant

manager of the school's baseball team, enjoyed playing chess, and loved traveling with his family.

On March 12, 2009, Santi's friends observed the first anniversary of his passing with the institution of a "Day of Kindness." They made yarn bracelets, which they sold, and donated the proceeds to the construction of an outdoor classroom at Summit Middle School, which was dedicated to Santi's memory in September of that year. The outdoor classroom at Summit Middle School is located in an interior courtyard that has been landscaped and furnished with four table and bench sets, each topped by a chessboard. Playing chess was one of Santi's favorite pastimes, and he hoped to start a chess club at the school. The outdoor classroom was funded by school families and community donations, as well as by his friends and family.

The March 12 "Day of Kindness" has since become an annual event at Summit Middle School. It is observed each year with a special school activity designed to teach students the importance of being kind to one another. This year, the school's slogan for March 12 was "building kindness, one brick at a time," and the students were asked to help build a "wall of kindness", by writing a kindness message in each brick, to establish a foundation of respect and kindness at the Summit Middle School.

The Santiago Abut Foundation, through the Summit Performing Arts Resource Committee, also funds an annual drama "inspiration workshop" at the middle school, which honors Santi's passion for the performing arts and the dream he had of someday becoming a professional actor.

"Not seeing Santi graduate from high school and go on to college this year is going to be very tough for us," said Mr. Abut. "But, in a way, we feel that he will be attending college, every year, through the students that this scholarship that bears his name will support financially."

IN MEMORIAM

ANDREANO — Theresa Izzo, formerly of Roselle Park; May 17.
 DAVIS — Vivian, of Linden; May 19.
 DEL RUSSO — Phyllis, of Springfield; May 19.
 DIAZ — Lawrence, formerly of Linden; May 20.
 DON DIEGO — Michael G., formerly of Union; May 5.
 FISHER — Robert J., formerly of Summit; May 19.
 FOTI — Margaret, of Clark; May 26.
 GIERMANSKI — Josephine T., of Linden; May 22.
 GORZELNIK — Joseph, formerly of Clark; May 20.
 HAMPTON — Douglas Eric, of Union; May 21.
 HIMPELE — Dorothy A., formerly of Kenilworth; May 23.
 IWANUSZKA — Florence, of Hillside; May 18.
 JANSSEN — Henry B., of Roselle; May 25.
 KENT — Matthew J., of Clark; May 24.
 LEPANTO — Michael, of Cranford; May 25.
 MADDEN — Moneisha S., of Hillside; May 15.
 MARGULIES — Hannah, of Cranford; May 24.
 MESCO — Jean S., formerly of Summit; May 18.
 OLIVER — Lloyd R., of Linden; May 20.
 POWELL — William R., formerly of Kenilworth and Union; May 23.
 RIBEIRO — Maria, of Union; May 23.
 ROBBINS — Janice F., of Kenilworth; formerly of Roselle Park; May 27.
 ROMANO — Adam V., formerly of Union; May 26.
 SCHOENKNECHT — Carol J., of Union; May 25.
 TOMKO — Constance Simmons, of Linden, May 17.
 TUTTLER — Jameica C., of Springfield; May 15.
 WATKINS — Catherine T., of Hillside; May 22.
 WEISS-COHEN — Minnie W., formerly of Rahway; May 26.

Obituaries are special notices submitted by Funeral Directors or families to be published on these pages and online. To place a paid obituary fax 908-686-4169 or send an email to obits@thelocalsource.com. Obituaries must be received by noon Monday. Family and friends' submissions must include sender's name, address, phone and the name of the funeral home. Call 908-686-7850 for assistance.

**Worrall Community
 Newspapers
 Will Make Your
 GARAGE or YARD
 SALE A Success!
 Call 908-686-7850**

**RECEIVE A FREE
 GARAGE SALE KIT**
when you purchase a
GARAGE SALE SPECIAL
 YOUR AD PLUS THIS KIT MAKES
 HAVING A GARAGE SALE EASY!
 ESSEX COUNTY or UNION COUNTY
 1 Week \$31.00 / 30 Words
 BOTH COUNTIES 1 Week
 \$45.00 / 30 Words *Ask about our rain date*
 Please check garage sale ordinances with
 your local town hall

Professional Directory

AUDIO SERVICE CENTER

CRANFORD SERVICE & AUDIO CENTER

Family Owned Since 1952

All Makes Models-Foreign & Domestic

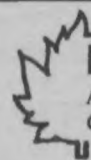
All Major, Minor Repairs & Audio Installations



NJ State Inspection
 Lite Bodywork Available

23 South Ave., West, Cranford
 908-709-0055
 908-276-9800
 Fax 908-709-1959

PUBLICATIONS



Maple Composition

A Div. of Worrall Community Newspapers Inc.
 Computerized Typesetting

Newspaper Publications
 Printing

Standard Size (Broadsheet), or Tabloid

For More Information
 1291 Stuyvesant Avenue 908-686-7850
 Union, N.J. 07083 Ask for Faye. Ext. 172

SPACE AVAILABLE



**Join The
 Growing List of
 Advertisers
 in the Professional
 Directory**

CALL 908-686-7700

RAHWAY NEWS

Gifted and talented 'battle' it out at Roosevelt School

Rahway's Gifted and Talented third and fourth graders participated in the District Battle of the Books on May 23. The event was held at Roosevelt School.

The Battle of the Books is a reading incentive program for students. Students read books and come together to demonstrate their abilities and test their knowledge of the books they have read. All of the questions in the competition begin with the words "In which book" and the correct answer is always the title and author of the book.

Pictured are Roosevelt School's third and fourth grade Gifted and Talented students.

WPA art on display

Social Impact Studios will team with the Rahway NJ

Arts District to present "Posters for the People: Art of the WPA" this spring.

The traveling exhibit, unveiled at the National Constitution Center in 2009, explores the social landscape of America during the Great Depression through posters created by the Works Progress Administration.

Featuring hundreds of posters, including originals and reproductions, Posters for the People communicates the values, vision, and vitality of American democracy through art.

There will be a closing reception and community screen-printing workshop, June 7, and LightSoundSpace Gallery, 1591 Irving St., Rahway, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

One can see the poster-originals and reproductions and hear the stories of how this collection of rare American art is being rediscovered and brought back to the public through a new comprehensive online collection.

Schedule of clubs at Senior Center

The following clubs meet at the Rahway Senior Center. Contact club presidents for information.

- Rahway Retired Men's Club, Mondays at 1 p.m. Call George Geduldig at 732-388-0272.
- Merck Retirees, the first Tuesday of each month at 1 p.m. Call Cliff Lenox at 732-572-2251.
- Ladies Golden Age Club, Wednesdays at 12:15 p.m. Call Dolores Bilodeau at 732-382-3463.
- Retired Railroaders Group 2, the first Saturday of each month at 11 a.m. Call Edward Witos at 732-738-7189.
- AARP Chapter 607, the second Thursday of each month at noon. Call Dolores Franklin at 732-499-7986.
- St. Joseph's Guild, the third Tuesday of each month at 12:30 p.m. Call Anastasia Sosnowski at 732-382-4671.
- Union County Minority Task Force, every other Friday at noon. Call Lillian Wilder at 732-381-7406.

WORSHIP CALENDAR

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

CALVARY ASSEMBLY OF GOD "One Great Church - Two Locations!" Main Campus: 953 West Chestnut St., Union. 2nd Campus: 172 Springfield Ave., Berkeley Heights. www.CalvaryAssembly.tv. 908-964-1133.

(Please note: All events and services are held at the Union campus unless otherwise noted.)

Sunday Schedule:

Morning Worship - 8:45am & 11:00am
Morning Worship (Berkeley campus) - 11:00am

Berkeley Sunday School 10:00am

*All Sunday morning services include childcare and Kidz Church for ages 2-10!
Sunday School for All Ages - 10:00am
Evening Service - 6:30pm

Weekday Schedule:

Ladies Bible Study - Wed. @ 10:00am

Family Night - Wed. @ 7:30pm
(includes Adult Bible Study, Boys & Girls programs)

Youth Night - Fri @ 7:30pm

College & Career - Fri @ 7:30pm

Visit us at: www.CalvaryAssembly.tv

UKRAINIAN EVANGELICAL ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

2208 Stanley Terrace, Union (908) 686-8171

Rev. Walter Cebula, Pastor

**Note: All services are in English.

(Ukrainian & Spanish translation available)

Sunday Worship: 10:30 AM

Sunday Evening: 6:30 PM

Food Pantry (Wednesday) 5-6:45 PM

Wednesday Family Night: 7:00 PM

Spanish Service (Saturday): 7 PM

BAPTIST

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH, 640 S. Springfield Ave., Springfield. Rev. Clarence Alston, Pastor. Church phone (973) 379-1465. SUNDAY: 9:30 A.M. Family Bible School; 11:00 A.M. Worship Service. WEDNESDAY: 7:30 P.M. Mid-Week Service. Holy Communion every First Sunday. Nursery Care available every Sunday. If transportation is needed call the church office. Everyone is Welcome at Antioch.

ETHIOPIAN ORTHODOX

ST GABRIEL'S ETHIOPIAN ORTHODOX TEWAHEDO CHURCH, Cordially invites you to Bible/Sacrament Class. "Princes shall come out of Egypt; Ethiopia hath stretched forther hands unto God." (Psalm 68 v.

31) Come and Learn: How Orthodox Christianity began in Africa (Ethiopia). The Church of Ethiopia is The Oldest Christian Church. The Church of Ethiopia, as Noah's Ark in this dispensation of time. Ethiopia is the Kingdom of God. The Gospel of Jesus Christ as seen through the spectacles of Ethiopia. Why Baptism is necessary for eternal life. Improve your life style and find meaning, purpose, order and peace. Come and register at: 47 Cleveland Street, Orange, Monday, April 30, 2012 at 7:00 pm. Classes begin Monday May 14, 2012 at 7:00pm. For more information call Mon-Fri beginning April 16, 2012, 973-641-3880 or 973-818-3640.

JEWISH-TRADITIONAL CONSERVATIVE

CONGREGATION B'NAI AHAVATH SHALOM, 2035 Vauxhall Road (corner of Plane Street), Union, Tel: (908) 686-6773. Dr. Leon J. Yagod, Rabbi Emeritus; Oscar Newman, Cantor; David Gelband, President. Congregation B'Nai Ahavath Shalom is a traditional conservative congregation with a full range of programs. DAILY SERVICES: Sun: 8:30am; Mon-Fri.: 7:30am; Friday evening: 8pm; SATURDAY: 9:00am. Torah class half hour before each service. Hebrew School: Sundays 9:30am.

JEWISH-CONSERVATIVE

TEMPLE BETH AHM YISRAEL 60 Temple Drive, Springfield. 973-376-0539 - a friendly inclusive Conservative Egalitarian congregation, welcoming to the broader community of mature couples, singles, "traditional" Jewish families, gay and lesbian Jews, and interfaith families. Dedicated to enriching the lives of our community by providing an inviting environment for spiritual education and social interaction, we offer a year-round NAEYC certified Early Childhood Program, Religious School, Teen Institute, Men's Club, Women's League, Hazak (Seniors), minyan services twice daily, and a full variety of activities and Shabbat services for all ages. Visit www.tbaynj.org for service and activity dates and times or call (973) 376-0539. PLEASE JOIN US! Rabbi Mark Mallach (rabbi@tbaynj.org), Shiri Haines, Executive Director (execdirector@tbaynj.org).

JEWISH - REFORM

TEMPLE SHA'AREY SHALOM Springfield, NJ (973) 379-5387 visit www.shaarey.org Rabbi: Joshua Goldstein Cantor: Amy Daniels Inspiring services and creative programs and events. Religious School, PreSchool, active Sisterhood and Brotherhood, Renaissance (Seniors), classes, trips, speakers and much more.

METHODIST

BETHEL AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

241 Hilton Ave.,

Vauxhall, NJ 07088

Phone: 908-964-1282

Pastor: Rev. Dennis E. Hughes

Sunday - Church School 9:AM

Worship Service 10:AM

Wednesday - Bible Class 6:30 to 7:30

ALL ARE WELCOME

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

301 Chestnut St.,

Roselle Park, NJ 07204

Phone: 908-245-2237

www.roselleparkume.org

Pastor: Rev. Glenn A. Scheyhing

10:30 AM Worship Service

10:30 AM Sunday School

Childcare Available

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF

UNION, Berwyn Street at Overlook Terrace, Union. Rev. James G. Ryoo, Pastor, Jonathan Schneider, Music Director. Church Office 687-8077. Parsonage 686-2412. Worship Service 11:00 A.M., Sunday worship includes a children's sermon, followed by Sunday School, and communion on the first Sunday of each month. All welcome. United Methodist Men's, Women's and Youth groups. Home Bible Studies 3rd Saturday each month.

MORAVIAN

BATTLE HILL COMMUNITY MORAVIAN CHURCH, 77 Liberty Ave., Union, 908-686-LAMB. Rev. Percival Gordon, Pastor. Sunday Worship 10:30 am. Sunday School 9:15 am. Women's Group meets first Wednesday of every month 1:30 pm. Men's Group meets every other Wednesday 9:00 am. Wednesday, Bible study and Prayer Group 7:00 pm.

NON-DENOMINATIONAL

JESUS THE ROCK FELLOWSHIP THE CHURCH OF ALL NATIONS

www.JTRF.org (You can hear services)

2 Denman Ave., Clark. Gerry Gregoire, Senior Pastor. Church: 908-358-6089; Pastor: 908-419-5640 Sun. Services 3:00 PM, Tues. Prayer 7:00 PM, Sat. 6:00 PM 1st Bible Study; 6:00PM 2nd Men/Women's Fellowship/6:00PM; 3rd Healing Service 4th Outreach TBA.

KENILWORTH GOSPEL CHAPEL Newark

and 23rd Street, Kenilworth, 908-272-6131, Pastor Donald Dunkerton. Sunday 9:15 am Communion, 11:00 am Family Bible Hour and Sunday School for all ages. Wednesday 7:00 pm Prayer and Bible Study, (childcare provided), Friday 7:00 pm Youth Activities for Grade School age, Jr. High and St. High. kenilworthgospel.org

MOUNTAINSIDE CHAPEL

1180 Spruce Dr., Mountainside,

Bible taught by Dr. G Hagg, Minister

Sunday: Service 10:30 AM

Christian Education for all ages 9:30 AM

Wednesday: Youth Group 6:30 PM

Prayer Meeting 7:00 PM

For more info, please call 908-232-3456

or mountainsidechapel@comcast.net

PRESBYTERIAN

COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN

CHURCH, 1459 Deer Path, Mountainside, New Jersey 07092. You are invited to join us in Worship Services on Sundays at 10:30 am. This is a place for you to enjoy uplifting music and relevant messages that will energize and inspire you. We offer a warm and friendly environment with Bible study, Sunday school and active adult and youth groups. For further information, please contact Dr. Christopher Belden, Pastor at 908-232-9490.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF

RAHWAY Corner of West Grand Ave. & Church St., RAHWAY. Holy Communion the first Sunday of each month. Worship Service on Sundays at 10:30 am; Fellowship Hour 11:30 am.; Nursery 10:30 am - 11:30 am. Office Hours: Mon - Thurs 9:00 am - 3:30 pm. 732-382-0803 www.rahwayworship.org.

TOWNLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

829 Salem Road, Union. Worship and Church School Sundays at 10:00 A.M. Nursery Care during all services. Holy Communion the first Sunday of each month. We offer opportunities for personal growth and development for children, youth, and adults. We have two children's choirs and an adult Chancel Choir. We also have a youth fellowship, regular adult Bible Study, a Book Club and Summer Vacation Bible School. Come and worship with friends and neighbors this Sunday. Townley Church is a

growing congregation of caring people. Church Office 686-1028. Rev. Christopher Taylor, Pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF

SPRINGFIELD 210 Morris Ave. at Church Mall, Springfield, NJ 07081, 973-379-4320. Rev. Victoria Ney, Pastor. Sunday Worship begins at 10:15am followed by Fellowship Hour. Church time nursery and Sunday School for infant to second grade avail. Sunday School for grades 3-12 begins at 9:00am in the Parish House @ 37 Church Mall. For more information about Church groups and community activities or to contact Pastor Ney, please call the Church Office at 973-379-4320, or e-mail FirstPCOffice@verizon.net.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

THE CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF

LOURDES, 300 Central Avenue, Mountainside, 908-232-1162. Celebrate the Lord's Day: Anticipated Mass 5:00pm, Sunday at 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am. Weekdays: Monday-Friday 7:30am, Saturday 8:00am, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Saturday at 1pm. Perpetual Adoration Chapel for personal prayer and devotion. www.ollmountainside.org, office@ollmountainside.org.

St. JAMES THE APOSTLE PARISH

COMMUNITY, 45 South Springfield Avenue, Springfield, New Jersey 07081.973-376-3044. www.saintjamesparish.org. SUNDAY MASS: Saturday 5:00pm (anticipated), Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30am and 12:00 noon. WEEKDAY MASS: Monday-Friday 7:30am, Saturday 8:00am, 8:00am. RECONCILIATION: Saturday 11:00am (any time by appointment).

ST. JOSEPH PARISH, 767 Prospect Street,

Maplewood (1 blk. S. of Springfield Ave.); 973-761-5933, since 1914 serving Maplewood and adjacent areas of Union and Millburn. Our faith community welcomes you to join us for worship, service opportunities and spiritual support. Varied activities for adults, youth group, K-8 religious education classes. Mass celebrated in our beautiful church, Sunday 7:30, 9:00 and 11:30 a.m.; Saturday 5:30 p.m.

NOTE: All copy changes must be made in writing and received by Worrall Community Newspapers No later than 12:00 Noon, Fridays prior to the following week's publication.

Please address changes to:

Connie Sloan

1291 Stuyvesant Ave. P.O. Box 1596

Union, N.J. 07083

Memorial Day in Union County

In towns across Union County, Memorial Day parades and ceremonies were held on Monday to honor those who have lost their lives in combat defending the United States and those around the world. Right: At Honor Roll Park, near Connecticut Farms School in Union, flags are placed on crosses and stars marking soldiers who have died. Below: a young Summit resident is pulled through town in a flag-draped wagon during Summit's annual parade. Bottom right: Residents marching in the Union parade carry a remember their loved ones in uniform.



Mayors Council finds potential flood relief, looks for funding

By Cheryl Hehl
Staff Writer

There may be hope after all for residents living in flood plagued towns adjacent or near the Rahway river.

After touring the area, The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers last week presented their study which showed there were several sites in the South Mountain Reservation that could have significant potential for floodwater storage capacity. Another alternative that showed promise included modifications to Lenape Park in Cranford.

The Army Corps also indicated that while data still needs further refinement, there was enough positive evidence to proceed to the next step.

The mayors of various towns along the Rahway River joined forces last fall to investigate flood mitigation measures that possibly could alleviate Rahway river flooding downstream in towns such as Union, Springfield, Millburn, Cranford and Rahway. These municipalities suffered more than \$75 million in damages to homes, schools and municipalities from Tropical Storm Irene.

They named their effort the Mayors Council on Rahway River Watershed Control and since have met monthly in various municipalities to work toward a solution to the flooding problems. According to one mayor, this was the first time elected officials worked together to this extent.

Working with the mayors of these municipalities has been a bevy of municipal engineers, environmentalists, planning and zoning board members. Since October the mayors have toured the Rahway River Watershed, including looking closely at the Orange reservoir and visiting areas in Millburn along the east branch of the river back down to Cranford.

Former Cranford Mayor Dan Aschenbach, a flooding advocate who has worked to find a solution for the township's flooding woes, explained last fall that this

quest was not an easy one.

"We are still looking for the cause and effect. Right now it's that the Rahway river is a massive drainage system for the Watchung Mountains and South Mountain area drainage with inadequate storage or protections for Cranford," he explained, adding that Tropical Storm Irene dropped 9 to 12 inches of rain in a 12-hour period, which was too much for the river to handle.

During the winter the mayor's council heard that the Department of Environmental Protection and Army Corps of Engineers would be including the Morris Avenue bridge, Miltown Road bridge, Route 22 bridge and Hazelwood Avenue bridge in upcoming improvement projects.

The council is also pushing to get the DEP to allow dredging near the I-78 bridge where much storm debris is lodged.

Just last week the mayor's council made a presentation to Essex County Executive Joseph DiVincenzo, showing the potential for storm water storage in the South Mountain Reservation during major weather events. According to Millburn Mayor Sandra Haimoff, the Army Corps estimated up to two feet of storm water could be stored behind natural dams in the South Mountain Reservation.

According to Aschenbach, DiVincenzo expressed his willingness to partner with the communities affected, appointing Essex County Engineer Sanjeev Varghese to the Mayor's Council Task Force. But DiVincenzo stressed that although he is interested in partnering with the regional mayor's council, Essex County would not consider supporting any proposals until there was clarification of the impacts these efforts would have on his county's facilities and environment.

The task force will be scheduling a meeting with the mayor of the city of Orange soon to discuss the project.

The mayor's council established a South Mountain Reservation Task Force to coordinate with the state DEP and Army Corps on the next steps in the project. Cranford mayor David Robinson, Springfield Mayor Ziad Shehady, Union Mayor Joseph Florio and Haimoff are on this task force.

A separate study, Aschenbach said, is being conducted by the Army Corps to evaluate storm water storage potential in the Robinson Branch area in Cranford, which would help Rahway during major flood events.

Aschenbach said the storage projects proposed for the South Mountain Reservation include modifications to the Orange Reservoir, including lowering the water level prior to a major storm. It is estimated that this alone could reduce storm water levels in Millburn, Springfield and Union by close to a foot, with a lesser level at the footbridge in Cranford.

Haimoff noted that a new dry dam structure near Campbells Pond in the South Mountain Reservation would provide storage and result in water reduction by nearly three-feet where the east and west branch of the Rahway river meet at I-78.

East branch communities of Maplewood and South Orange would also benefit from this reduction.

Still, Aschenbach said, these improvements combined with others, including changes to Lenape Park could result in promising results for Cranford and Rahway.

However, since obtaining funding from the Army Corps is a long and involved process, the mayor's council has been looking into other avenues for financial help, including asking the county for aid.

HITS
Our website
LOCALSOURCE.COM
averages 3,000 visits daily

Like Us & Follow Us...



facebook.com/UCLocalSource
twitter.com/UCLocalSource

UNION COUNTY
LOCALSOURCE

Want to receive the latest happenings in your town from a reliable, credible news source?

Worrall Newspapers has pages on Facebook and Twitter and we provide our followers with the latest in local information. We also want our readers to be actively involved. Send us any news tips to tweet at:

Admin@thelocalsource.com



INTERNET DIRECTORY
LOCALSOURCE.COM

Coldwell Banker.....	http://www.ColdwellBankerMoves.com
Daunno Development Co.....	http://www.daunnodevelopment.com
ERA Village Green.....	http://www.eravillagegreen.com
JRS Realty.....	http://www.century21jrs.com
Mountainside Hospital.....	http://www.Mountainsidenow.com
Summit Area Jaycees.....	http://www.angelfire.com/nj/summitjc
Suburban Essex Chamber of Commerce.....	http://www.suburbanessexchamber.com/secc
Summit Volunteer First Aid Squad.....	http://www.summitems.org
Turning Point.....	http://www.turningpointnj.org

To be listed call 908-686-7700

HILLSIDE NEWS

Library trustee meetings announced for rest of year

It was announced that Trustee meetings at Hillside Public Library will be held on the following dates for the remainder of 2012: June 13, July 18, Aug. 15, Sept. 19, Oct. 17, Nov. 28 and Dec. 19. Meetings are held in the Zisman Room of the Hillside Public Library and is open to the public in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act of

New Jersey. The library is located at 1409 Liberty Ave. For more information, call 973-923-4413.

New schedule for classes at Library

A new schedule of computer classes is available at Hillside Public Library. Featured will be "Learn Word," "Excel" and "Internet Searching." For more information or to sign up, call 973-923-4413.

Chess Club for Kids, ages 6 and up, meets every Satur-

day at the Hillside library from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. A child can play with a partner to improve skills. Special beginners' sessions will be held between 11 a.m. and noon.

Stories and crafts for children ages 5 and up are offered Monday evenings at 6:30 with a "Special Read To A Dog Story Time" every fourth Monday. Paws for People will bring trained service dogs to the Hillside library to share reading time with children. Call 973-923-4413 for more information.

HOME SERVICES DIRECTORY

AIR CONDITIONING	DRIVEWAYS	DRIVEWAYS	ELECTRICIAN	FENCING	GUTTERS
QUALITY AIR CONDITIONING & HEATING Gas • Steam <i>Hot Water & Hot Air Heat</i> • Humidifiers • Zone Valves • Circulators • Air Cleaners 973-467-0553 Springfield, NJ	PATERNO PAVING Driveways • Parking Lots • Coat Sealing  • Concrete Sidewalk • All Type Curbing • Paving Blocks Free Estimates Fully Insured 908-245-6162 908-245-0459	 Residential & Commercial Asphalt Work Driveways • Parking Area Sealing Resurfacing • Curbing TRUCK & BACKHOE RENTAL Free Estimates Fully Insured <i>All Year Service</i> Serving Union County and Vicinity Call 7 Days a Week 908-789-9508 / 908-687-0614	ABLE ELECTRIC "If it's electric, we do it!" INTERIOR & EXTERIOR LIGHTING REPAIRS NEW CONSTRUCTION FREE ESTIMATES 908-688-2089 License # 11500	TOM'S FENCING ALL TYPES NEW & REPAIR SMALL JOBS WELCOME FREE ESTIMATES Licensed 30 Years Experience 908-272-5692	TED'S GUTTERS GUTTER TOPPERS <i>All Types - Roof Repairs Underground Drain Expert</i> 973-472-8660 201-674-8305
HANDYMAN	SPACE AVAILABLE	HOME IMPROVEMENT	LANDSCAPING	SPACE AVAILABLE	LANDSCAPING
Over 30 Years Mr. Reliable HANDYMAN <i>YES... We Can Do That Job!</i> 908-462-4755 Insured Lic# 13VH00147700	GET READY FOR A BUSY SUMMER Advertise Here! Call Classified 908-686-7850	TOBEN HOME IMPROVEMENT CARPENTRY, TILE REPAIRS & INSTALLATIONS 908-591-3670 FULLY INSURED & LICENSED FREE ESTIMATES LIC# 13VHO1639200	EJS LANDSCAPING • Spring Clean-Ups • Weekly Lawn Service • Bush Trimming • Small Tree Work Please Call 908-247-8386	THIS SPOT COULD BE YOURS... ADVERTISE HERE!!! Call Classified 908-686-7850	 D'ONOFRIO & SON <i>Complete Landscape Service</i> • Spring & Fall Clean Up • Lawn Maintenance • Shrubbery Design Planting • Seed & Sod • Mulching • Chemical Applications • Tree Removal FULLY INSURED & LICENSED # 13VH03673500 FREE ESTIMATES 973-763-8911
LANDSCAPING	LANDSCAPING	LANDSCAPING/CONSTRUCTION	LANDSCAPING	SPACE AVAILABLE	
J & C LANDSCAPING Affordable, Reliable • Lawn Maintenance • Clean Up • Planting • Snow Plowing <i>Serving Union, Springfield Millburn, Short Hills, Maplewood South Orange, Livingston</i> CALL TODAY FOR AN ESTIMATE! 862-485-5055	Antone Landscaping • Residential & Commercial • Weekly Maintenance • New Lawns • Seed or Sod • New Plantings • Shrubs/Trees • Certified Pesticide Applicator Professional Service Free Estimate • Fully Insured 973-467-0127	 Masonry, Irrigation, Paving, Seeding, Mulch Patios, Complete Lawn Maintenance & Much More Fully Insured - Senior Citizen Discount 908-966-4876 NJ Reg# 13VH03673500 www.greenacrescon.com	J&K SERVICE • Property Maintenance • Lawn Maintenance • Auto Detailing 908-451-3828	ADVERTISE HERE <i>For Only \$19 per/week</i> <i>Call Classified</i> 908-686-7850	
HOME IMPROVEMENT	SPACE AVAILABLE				
PLAZA HOME IMPROVEMENTS  • Siding • Windows • Roofing • Kitchen • Bathrooms • Basements • Extensions • Concrete and Masonry Fully Insured FREE ESTIMATES • REFERENCES AVAILABLE 1-800-735-6134 100% FINANCE • NO DOWN PAYMENT NJ LIC #13VH04875400	Get Ready For A Busy Summer Place Your Ad Here! Call: 908-686-7850				

LINDEN NEWS

Pilates and Cardio exercise classes scheduled

The Department of Public Property and Community Services has announced Pilates and Cardio Exercise classes for adults 18 years of age and older.

Pilates is a mind-body exercise that trains several muscle groups at once, using smooth and continuous movements. It teaches body awareness and good posture, while improving flexibility and agility.

Cardio is a whole body workout using kick boxing and high and low aerobics.

Classes will be held for 10 weeks on Tuesday evenings, starting June 19 and will continue through Aug. 28 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Half the class will be spent on Pilates and the other half, cardio. A mat and a towel are required.

Classes will take place at the John T. Gregorio Recreation Center, 330 Helen St., Linden. There will be a charge for the program. Registration deadline is June 18.

Register in person at John T. Gregorio Recreation Center, 330 Helen St, Linden, or online at www.linden-nj.org and click on Community Pass. For more information, call 908-474-8627, Monday to Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Hall of Fame class to be enshrined on June 24

The sixth class of the Linden Athletic Hall of Fame will be enshrined at an induction dinner at Amici III Ristorante, 1700 W. Elizabeth Ave., Linden, at 2 p.m. on

June 24, according to Hall of Fame Chairman, Gary Luciano. The general public is invited to attend the event and can purchase tickets by calling Santa Goleme at 908-693-1336 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Luciano announced that the sixth class of inductees includes:

Rev. Al Brown, Jr., Bob Firestone, Corey Floyd, James A. Dutchi, John Hempel, James Iozzi, Steve Kupcho, John Hempel and James Iozzi, Sam Pilot, Michael A. Posnock Esq., James T. Reagan Sr., John T. Sampson and Thomas J. Sharkey.

For additional information on the Sixth Induction Class, the Linden Athletic Hall of Fame or the June 24 induction dinner, contact Hall of Fame Chairman Gary Luciano at 908-313-2832.

Senior craft services

The Linden Department of Public Property and Community Services has announced that there will be free Senior Citizen Craft classes at the following facilities:

Monday, Wednesday and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to noon, at the John T. Gregorio Center, 330 Helen St., Linden, and the fourth Tuesday of each month at the 8th Ward Recreation Center, Bedle Place, Linden, 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. For more information, call the center at 908-474-8627 or visit the website at www.linden-nj.org.

The department is offering Linden adult residents daily use of fully equipped exercise rooms located at the John T. Gregorio

Center, 330 Helen St. The rooms are equipped with stationary bikes, treadmills, step climbers, rower, a four-station universal and locker area with showers.

There is a registration fee for the year, and applicants must bring proof of residence. It is free of charge to senior citizens, 50 years of age or older. It is suggested that they consult with their physicians and to wear proper exercise attire, especially sneakers. Hours are Monday to Friday, 7 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., and Tuesdays from 6 to 8 p.m. More information can be obtained by calling the center at 908-474-8627.

Knit for a cause

The Department of Public Property and Community Services has formed a "Knitting for a Cause" group and has invited all ages, young adult through senior citizens, to join.

Meetings are held Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to noon at the John T. Gregorio Recreation Center, 330 Helen St. Projects are distributed to charitable causes.

For more information, call 908-474-8627 or visit the website at www.linden-nj.org.

Free exercise rooms at recreation centers

The Department of Public Property and Community Services is offering adult Linden residents daily use of fully-equipped exercise rooms at the John T. Gregorio Recreation Center, 330 Helen St., and the

Linden Multi Purpose Center, 1025 John St.

The exercise rooms are equipped with stationary bikes, treadmills, step climbers, rowers, a four-station universal and locker area with showers.

There is a registration fee for the year and proof of residency is required. It is free to residents 50 years of age and older. As with any exercise program, participants are encouraged to consult with their physician and to wear proper exercise attire, especially sneakers.

Hours of operation at the John T. Gregorio Recreation Center are Monday to Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m., and Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Interested Linden residents requiring further information can call the John T. Gregorio Recreational Center at 908-474-8627.

Alzheimer's program today at library

The Alzheimer's Association Greater New Jersey Chapter will offer a program: "The Caregiver — Are Your Needs Being Met?" on May 31 at 6 p.m. at Linden Public Library, 31 Henry St. This program will examine the symptoms of caregiver stress and offer strategies toward becoming a healthier caregiver and setting realistic expectations for themselves and for the person for whom they take care.

To register for the program, sign up at the circulation desk or call Dennis Purves at 908-298-3830, Ext. 11.

HOME SERVICES DIRECTORY

MOVING	PLUMBING	PLUMBING	SPACE AVAILABLE	ROOFING
All Types of Moving & Hauling <i>Problem Solving Our Specialty</i> Call Now! KANGAROO MEN 973-228-2653 "WE HOP TO IT" Lic. PM00576	BLEIWEIS Plumbing & Heating <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All types heating systems installed and serviced Gas hot water heater Bathroom & Kitchen Remodeling REASONABLE RATES Fully insured and bonded Plumbing License #7876 908-686-7415	Max Sr. & Paul SCHOENWALDER <i>Established 1912</i>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Faucet Repairs Water Heaters Air Conditioning Gas Heat Lawn Faucets Sump Pumps Toilets 464 Chestnut St., Union, NJ 908-686-0749 SENIOR CITIZEN DISCOUNT Master Plumbers License #9645 #11181	PLACE YOUR AD HERE! For More Information Call Classified 908-686-7850	 SLATEMASTER <i>"The slate roof professionals"</i> Insurance claims accepted Slate and Tile Roof Repairs Windows-Carpentry-Masonry Chimney work-Sheet Metal <i>Historic Restorations • Our 30th year</i> 973-673-8900
RUBBISH REMOVAL	TREE EXPERTS	WANTED TO BUY	WANTED TO BUY	SPACE AVAILABLE
CHICHELO RUBBISH REMOVAL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appliances • Wood Furniture • Metals We'll clean out your: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attic • Garage Basement • Yard 973-325-2713 973-228-7928	BOYLE TREE SURGERY CO. EST. 1922 Tree & Stump Removal Pruning Tree Surgery in All Its Branches Union 908-964-9358	Industrial Accounts Served HONEST WEIGHTS BEST PRICES <i>Always Buying Scrap Metals</i> M-F 8-4:30 / Sat 8-1 2426 Morris Ave., Union 908-686-8236 / SINCE 1919 Experience Does Count MAX WEINSTEIN SONS, INC.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ ANTIQUES ★ ★ OLDER FURNITURE ★ DINING ROOMS ★ BEDROOMS ★ BREAKFRONTS ★ SECRETARIES, ETC. CALL BILL: 973-586-4804	Get Ready For Busy Spring Advertise Here! Call 908-686-7850

CRANFORD NEWS

Register for summer recreation programs

The Cranford Recreation and Parks Department has announced that registration for summer programs will begin June 2 at the Community Center. In-person and online registration are occurring simultaneously starting at 9 a.m.

The summer brochure was mailed to every Cranford household in mid-May and can be found online at www.cranford.com/rec. For more information, call 709-7283. These programs are for Cranford residents only.

Summer arts program in Cranford

The Cranford Summer Arts Program with Donna Como, grades one through eight, Fine Arts and Crafts 2D and 3D, is planned at Cranford United Methodist Church, Walnut and Lincoln Avenues E. There will be six weekly sessions beginning June 25. The public can join for one week or more.

The classes will be taught by New Jersey certified teachers at a rate with sibling discount. There will be art demonstrations and presentations. Students will be encouraged to explore their imagination using

various types of art media, geared to all levels. Student will grow formally and expressively through various media and art history alongside other imaginative artists. Projects include drawing, painting, pastels, book arts, fiber arts, reliefs and mixed media.

For more information, call 732-887-1707 or email: dcomo@verizon.net.

Learn how to be a leader for your group

In order to learn about how to lead an organization meeting, one can join the Cranford Unit of Parliamentarians on June 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Cranford Community Center, 220 Walnut Ave. and learn the procedures that will make meetings more efficient and productive. Dorothy Cohen, president, and Michelle Bobrow, secretary, Cranford Unit of Parliamentarians, will teach the best order of business, how to make and process motions and how to write an agenda. Admission is free and all are welcome. The program is sponsored by Cranford Public Library.

Cranford West to re-open in July

The Cranford Recreation and Parks Department has announced that Cranford

West will be re-opening on July 4 and 5 and July 6 through 8 for the weekend. Cranford West is a rustic style camp located in Hope. Cranford residents have an opportunity to unwind after a long week to enjoy fishing, boating, hiking, picnicking and the local scenery and attractions the area has to offer. Reservations will begin on June 22 at 9 a.m. for the July 4 weekend. Reservations will continue for other weekends in July through September, two weeks prior to the weekend requested. The Community Center is open to take reservations Monday through Thursdays, from 9 a.m. to 9:30 p.m., Friday from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. There is a cost for cabin and tent sites. Residents must be 21 and older and show proof of residency.

Tennis courts closed since May 29

Cranford Recreation and Parks Department has announced that the Hillside Avenue Tennis Courts will be resurfaced starting on May 29. It is anticipated that the courts will be closed for approximately one month. For further information, call the Recreation Department at 908-709-7283.

The Friends of the Cranford Public Library will hold a used book sale in the

Friendly Book Cellar at Cranford Public Library on June 6 from 4 to 7:30 p.m., June 7 and 8 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and June 9 from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Items for sale include more than 10,000 adult and children's books, as well as CDs and DVDs. Saturday is Bag Day; fill a bag with books for a fee. The library is located at 224 Walnut Ave. Entrance to the sale is through the side door, just off the main parking lot. The sale is wheelchair accessible. Proceeds benefit the library.

Whats your SCORE?

A representative of SCORE will present a free seminar, called "Social Media Marketing Strategies" at the Cranford Community Center, 220 Walnut Ave., Cranford, on June 5 at 7 p.m. The program is sponsored by Cranford Public Library. Registration is required. To register, call the library at 908-709-7272, or email the library at library@cranfordnj.org. Include a name and telephone number. Headquartered in Washington, D.C., SCORE is a nonprofit association dedicated to entrepreneurial education and the formation, growth, and success of small business nationwide. SCORE's 10,500 retired and working volunteers provide free business counseling and advice as a public service. SCORE is a resource partner of the U.S. Small Business Administration. For further information about SCORE, visit the Web at www.scoremetronj.org, or call the Newark office at 973-645-3982.

Manage your stress and get relaxed

The Friends of the Cranford Public Library will sponsor a program called "Stress Management and Relaxation Techniques" on May 31, at 7:30 p.m. in the Cranford Community Center, 220 Walnut Ave. The program will be presented by Emily Adams, a licensed esthetician, trained in skin care and relaxation massage.

Admission to the program is free.

Skyscraper Museum passes now available at library

Cranford Public Library recently added passes to the Skyscraper Museum to its lending collection. Located at Battery Place in New York City, the world's first and foremost vertical metropolis, the Skyscraper Museum celebrates New York's rich architectural heritage and examines the historical forces and individuals that have shaped its successive skylines.

Through exhibitions, programs and publications, the museum explores tall buildings as objects of design, products of technology, sites of construction, investments in real estate, and places of work and residence. The library has two passes to the museum, each of which admits a family of five. The library also lends passes to the Frick Collection, Grounds for Sculpture, the Intrepid Air & Space Museum, the Morris Museum and the Montclair Art Museum.



After four years, members of The Unitarian Church in Summit observed Memorial Day by removing a wall of 4,000-plus ribbons from the front of the church that has honored the members of the U.S. military killed during the war in Iraq.

HOROSCOPE

ARIES, March 21 to April 20.

An agreement will be nullified before you even get started, Aries. It is time to come up with a different plan of action if you want better results.

TAURUS, April 21 to May 21.

Relationship woes have slowed you down, Taurus. It could take a few days before you return to full speed. Delegate some of your responsibilities, if necessary.

GEMINI, May 22 to June 21.

Gemini, you're giving off so much creative energy that people may flock to your side for the next several days. This newfound celebrity could be an asset.

CANCER, June 22 to July 22.

Cancer, there is no easy way around something you need to get done at work. Being scatterbrained this week may add to the pressure of getting things done.

LEO, July 23 to Aug. 23.

Leo, you have to ask a lot of questions to get to the root of a problem that's been bothering you. You have the personality to get to the answers easily.

VIRGO, Aug. 24 to Sept. 22.

Virgo, an unexpected partnership could arise this week. While it may be bumpy at the start, after a few days, the two of you will have worked out all the kinks.

LIBRA, Sept. 23 to Oct. 23.

Libra, after some busy months, you are ready for a vacation. This well-deserved respite could be an elaborate trip to some place exotic, if you should so choose.

SCORPIO, Oct. 24 to Nov. 22.

Scorpio, with so many creative ideas constantly whirling in your head, it can sometimes be difficult zeroing in on one. Luckily this week you will get things in order.

SAGITTARIUS, Nov. 23 to Dec. 21.

Sagittarius, avoid passing judgement on someone else close to you. Listen to their problems and work with them to find a good solution.

CAPRICORN, Dec. 22 to Jan. 20.

There's no use procrastinating on something that needs to get done this week, Capricorn. It will only prolong the amount of time you have to worry about it.

AQUARIUS, Jan. 21 to Feb. 18.

Aquarius, patience and motivation is all you need to start tackling that to-do list. Finding a partner to help will make the work go twice as fast.

PISCES, Feb. 19 to March 20.

Pisces, others often look to you for inspiration. You will not disappoint this week when you offer some unique ideas.

Historical Society will hear about the Revolutionary War

A special meeting of the Kenilworth Historical Society will be held at the Kenilworth Municipal Building on June 7 at 7 p.m. The gathering will feature a presentation by Dorothea Krihak, a local historian, who has conducted extensive research concerning Kenilworth's ties to the Revolutionary War. Krihak's discussion will focus particularly on the area known as Black Brook Park.

The public is invited to attend the program, which coincides with the anniversary of the Battle of Connecticut Farms, fought on June 7, 1780.

Admission is free.

Krihak is a former teacher and a long-standing member of the Friends of Black Brook Park.

The Kenilworth Historical Society is an independent, non-profit, tax-exempt, 501(c)3 organization dedicated to the research, preservation and interpretation of the Oswald J. Nitschke House, local history and culture. Its regular meetings, open to the general public, are usually held on the third Thursday of each month, except July and August, starting at 7 p.m., at the Kenilworth Seniors' Center. Visitors are welcome.

Special display at library honors deceased Summit resident

SUMMIT — A special display of books at Summit Free Public Library will commemorate former Summit resident Joshua Plaut, son of Jon and Anne Plaut of Summit, who passed away in November. His father, Jon Plaut, is a longtime member of the library's Board of Trustees.

Donations to the library in Joshua's memory have been used to purchase books on a variety of topics that interested him, including dogs, whales, baseball and current affairs.

Library Director Glenn Devitt said, "I'd like to acknowledge the kindness of those who made dona-

tions for books in memory of Joshua Plaut. All of these gifts typify the tradition of generosity and support that has helped the library carry on, in good times and bad, for more than 100 years and enabled us to keep serving the Summit community."

The books will remain on special display through mid-June, at which time they will be shelved with the library's new book collection. All of them are circulating books, and can be borrowed for two weeks.

The Summit library is located at 75 Maple St. For more information, call 908-273-0350, or visit the library's website at www.summitlibrary.org.

ADVERTISE TODAY!

CLASSIFIED ADS
GET RESULTS!
CALL US AT

908-686-7850

Wouldn't it be more convenient to receive your paper in the mail every Thursday?

FOR EASY HOME DELIVERY

CALL
908-686-7700

What's Going On?

What's Going On is a paid directory of events for non-profit organizations. It is PRE-PAID and costs only \$20.00 (for 2 weeks) in Essex or Union County and just \$30.00 for both counties. Your notice must be in our office by 4:00pm on Monday for publication the following Thursday. Office is located at 1291 Stuyvesant Avenue, Union.

NAME _____ PHONE _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ ZIP _____
ESSEX _____ UNION _____ COMBO _____

Write your ad in the spaces below and mail to:

WORRALL NEWSPAPERS
P.O. Box 1596, UNION, NJ 07083

DAY _____ DATE _____
EVENT _____
PLACE _____
TIME _____
PRICE _____
ORGANIZATION _____

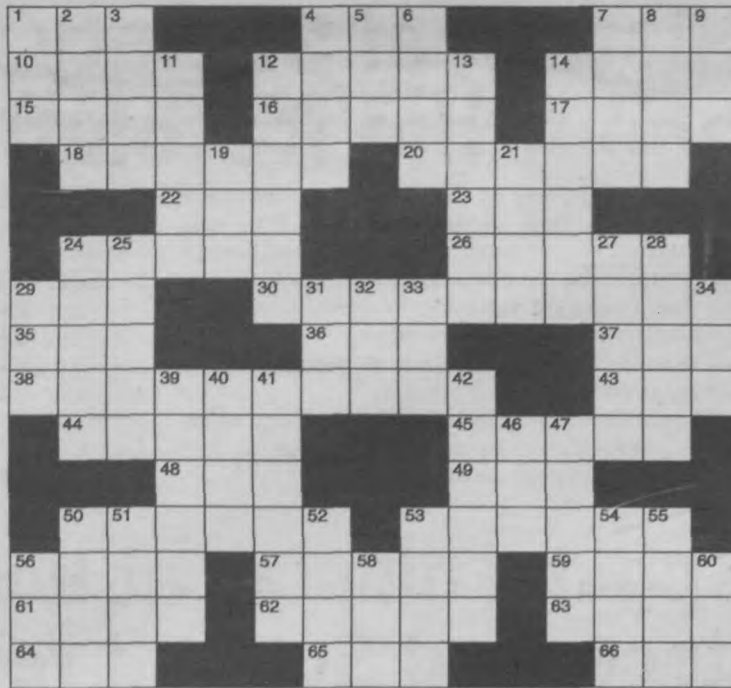
You can e-mail us at: class@thelocalsource.com

908-686-7850

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

CLUES ACROSS

1. One point E of due S
4. Picture border
7. Having negative qualities
10. Inner surface of the hand
12. Spanish appetizers
14. Large burrowing rodent of S and C Am.
15. A profane state
16. Sharp narrow mountain ridge
17. Cain and ___
18. Tranquil, calm
20. Removes writing
22. A Mississippi tributary
23. Exactly suitable
24. Extended blockade
26. Encomium
29. Dreaming eye movement
30. Principle vein
35. Japanese apricot
36. ___ Speedwagon: band
37. Fish eggs
38. Ethiopian capital
43. Considerate care
44. Units of loudness
45. Yemen capital
48. Body fluid circulation tube
49. Actress Lupino
50. Gets up
53. Moved contrary to the current
56. Stretched tight
57. Dark brownish black
59. Syrian goat hair fabrics
61. One of the Great Lakes
62. Gull-like jaegers
63. Taps gently
64. Hamilton's bill
65. One point N of due E
66. No (Scottish)



CLUES DOWN

1. Seaport (abbr.)
2. Bleats
3. Czech & German River
4. Female horse
5. Large tailless primate
6. Modern London gallery
7. Baseball's Ruth
8. Breezes through
9. Decaliter
11. Genus uria
12. Built for two
13. Mexican men's shawl
14. Pale & soft in color
19. Records the brain's electric currents
21. Three banded armadillo
24. Plant germ
25. Relating to imides
27. Main artery
28. City in north-central Zambia
29. Royal Military Academy
31. Shape of a sphere
32. Earl Grey or Orange Pekoe
33. Fireplace shelf
34. Old world, new
39. Request attendance
40. Oceans
41. Determine the court costs of
42. Digressions
46. Form a sum
47. Greek river nymphs
50. Swiss river
51. Laying waste
52. Japanese rice beer
53. Ardor
54. Israel's 1st UN delegate
55. Aba ___ Honeymoon
56. Vietnamese offensive
58. Slang term for man or boy
60. Point midway between S and SE

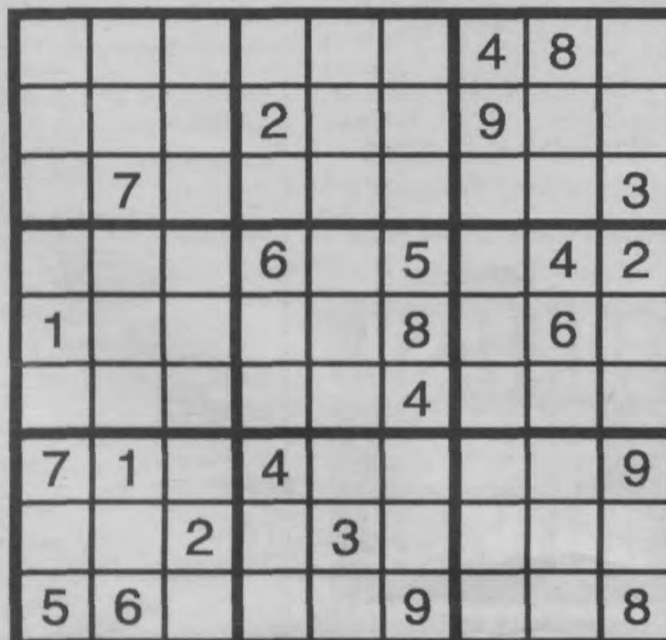
ANSWERS APPEAR IN
OUR CLASSIFIED SECTION

SUDOKU

Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

ANSWER APPEAR IN
OUR CLASSIFIEDS SECTION



Level: Intermediate

Cooking on the Block

with Chef Ellie Espo



Easy and Impressive

This impressive appetizer is easy to make, and the ingredients offer a sweet and savory delight for the palette. It can be made a day ahead and stored in the refrigerator.

PROSCIUTTO-ARUGULA-FIG ROLLS

Ingredients

- 6 to 7 slices of prosciutto di Parma
- 1 log goat cheese, at room temperature
- 4 oz. cream cheese, at room temperature
- 1 jar of fig preserves
- 1 jar of roasted onion preserves
- 1 bunch cleaned arugula

Method

Mix the goat and cream cheeses together. In a separate bowl, mix the fig and roasted onion preserves together

Assembly

On a clean surface, lay out the prosciutto slices, overlapping them to form a 9 inch by 6 inch rectangle, with the short end facing you. Spread the preserves over the lower half of the prosciutto. Spread the cheese mixture over the upper half of the prosciutto. Place the cleaned arugula over the preserves. Carefully roll up the prosciutto. Wrap in plastic and chill for at least one hour. Cut into 1-inch slices and serve. Serves six to eight people.

Ellie Espo, a self-taught chef, has been practicing her craft for 30 years, currently at Tom the Greengrocer, in Scotch Plains. Her online cooking show, "Cooking On The Block, with Chef Ellie Espo," is found at www.chefellieespo.com, where you can also print out her recipes. A cookbook is in the works. She may be contacted at chefellieespo@gmail.com, or you may view her recent videos by visiting www.youtube.com/user/chefellieespo.

Our website

LOCALSOURCE.COM

averages 3,000 visits daily

**TRY
US**

Combining those
computer visits with the
newspapers circulation
Means Results
for your classified ad

Call: 908-686-7850

ARTS & LEISURE

'The Girl Next Door' solves a local mystery

The characteristics of fabled journalist Carter Ross are becoming more and more familiar to this reviewer, and to the many avid readers of Brad Parks, the mystery novelist and former *Star Ledger* newspaper reporter.

Before writing his third novel, "The Girl Next Door," in fact, in his first novel, "Faces of the Innocent," Parks, a former Maplewood resident, settled on the continuing the adventures of investigative reporter Carter Ross, who is employed by a fictitious daily newspaper in Newark, the *Eagle Examiner*, which is not unlike the *Star Ledger*.

Parks' likeable, 30-something writer Carter Ross has sustained his appeal to the public. After resolving the mysterious events in both "Faces of the Gone" and "Eyes of the Innocent," Carter Ross has become an appealing literary hero. He may be the reason why the author can take pride in winning the Nero and the Shamus awards in the same year.

And so, it appears, as far as Parks is concerned, Carter Ross is here to stay.

In "The Girl Next Door," Parks' exciting new mystery novel, published by Minotaur Books, St. Martin's Press, the city of Newark is probed and prodded, and mention is made of such surrounding areas as Bloomfield, where Ross lives with his lazy cat, Deadline; East Orange; Irvington; Montclair; and Glen Ridge.

Also, once again, a city room of a familiar, crowded daily newspaper — its editors, reporters, inhabitants and surroundings — is described with utmost accuracy. Emotions are bared amidst the turmoil of reporting top stories, conflict with editors, and the attempt to meet unreachable deadlines.

It all begins with Carter Ross reading an obituary about a young girl, employed by his newspaper, who has been accidentally, fatally injured in a hit-and-run car crash. With a human-interest idea in mind, Ross decides to interview her family and write a story about the victim, Nancy Marino. He even attends her wake and, ultimately, her funeral. Ross then discovers the possibility that Nancy Marino was murdered.

OFF THE SHELF

BY BEA SMITH

confronted with more unpleasant facts and before long the investigative reporter is on a hot story.

Working under the guidance of a new managing editor, probable girlfriend Tina Thompson, becomes awkward for Ross. His suspicions lay heavily on his new publisher, Gary A. Jackman, who appeared to be somewhat involved with Nancy and her family; one sister, who has secrets of her own, tells Ross "Nancy had reasons to fear for her life."

Ross befriends his intern Lunky, whose real name is Kevin Lungford and who shares information on classic novels with Ross. Both agree that Philip Roth, who once resided in the Weequahic section of Newark, was the greatest novelist of all. In the end, it's Lunky who saves the day for Ross — and his life.

One of the characters, retained from Parks' other two books, Tommy Hernandez, a gay Cuban-American, is a skillful reporter admired by Ross. The other characters, some rather suspicious, include Nicola and her father, Nick Papadopolous, International Federation of Information Workers Executive Director Jim McNabb, and Buster Hayes, a veteran reporter.

So, who is the culprit in "The Girl Next Door?" Parks cleverly utilizes several pages in italics prior to each chapter with details by and of the real murderer. But, even with these details, a mystery fan may find it very difficult to solve the problem and determine who really is at fault — and why. In this way, Parks' work is reminiscent of that of mystery writer Harlan Coben. In fact, Coben's Myron Bolitar can shake hands with Parks' Carter Ross. They have similar personalities; and both authors have a tremendously dry sense of humor, which cuts through many of the thick, frightening moments in the stories.

"The Girl Next Door" has been placed on the shelf of this reviewer's bookcase, alongside Parks' two novels, and next door to the array of 22 Coben mysteries.

In his further investigation, he finds that she had had a part-time job in a diner and, for some unknown reason, made a few enemies. Ross is



The garden tour is over and the future is blooming

The garden tour has come and gone. The garden looked better than it has in several years, and I was able to greet visitors, secure in the knowledge that absolutely every piece of garden equipment and detritus was safely stowed in the closed garage. It will probably take months to get it all out, discarded or redeployed.

The last two days before the tour involved a final avalanche of mulch, several trips to various garden centers, and lots of manual labor. My daughter, the "container queen," put together countless container arrangements of annuals — geraniums, verbenas and all manner of draping and cascading plants — to fill the holes in the beds and borders. She cleaned and painted a metal plant stand she found on the street on bulk pick up day, and filled it with flowering specimens. While she was creating colorful mayhem with plants and potting mix, her godmother was deadheading the roses, hiding the evidence of our gardening labors, and sweeping the driveway.

THE GARDENER'S APPRENTICE

BY ELISABETH GINSBURG

After much deliberation, we ended up without a water feature. The decapitated wishing well stands in the shade, making a solar fountain impractical. Other kinds of fountains that require either plumbing, wiring or both were too expensive for people who have just spent a fortune on mulch. We decided to give the whole idea a little more thought. For the tour, we used the base of the stone well as a giant container with flowering plants emerging from the opening and cascading over the sides; it worked perfectly.

We made up for the lack of water in the well by having lots of water in the bird-baths. A last minute trip to a local big-box store produced a wide, aquamarine bowl that we positioned atop the blue pillar from our old birdbath. It replaced the previous basin, which broke a few years ago when a

thirsty raccoon leaned on it just a little too hard. The new one looks like elegant porcelain, but is actually practical, heavy-duty plastic. Now the raccoon can do his worst and the birds will still be able to get a drink or a bath the next day.

The big, yellow peony that I bought two years ago, after a decade of yearning, was a hit with tour goers. The Itoh hybrid is a true survivor, having gotten through a harrowing first winter under a mountain of snow. The mild winter and spring this year inspired it to add heft like a prizefighter prepping for a title bout.

Large, canary-colored blooms began opening right on schedule, late last week. On tour day, the peony was in its glory, holding forth in the sunny part of the hell strip between the street and sidewalk. Even the local dog walkers made approving comments.

Day to day, most gardeners see only individual bits of their gardens, usually the areas most in need of attention. Hosting large numbers of visitors means seeing the

whole thing, including the overall condition of the landscape, access points, and, especially in the case of rose gardens, places where plants threaten to lock visitors in unwanted, thorny embraces. I got impressive welts on my arms while tying up a climbing rose so its romantically drooping canes couldn't attack tall people.

In the weeks leading up to the tour, I forced myself to look at things that I usually don't see. I moved a rosebush that was languishing behind what used to be a small butterfly bush. Installed in a roomy pot and moved to a sunnier space, it looked happier after only two weeks in its new location. A couple of standardized abelias had grown large since last summer, resembling big pink muffin tops balanced on toothpicks. I pruned them back for the tour and will give them an even more meaningful haircut once they finish blossoming. All the new plants languishing in the holding area were potted up and the porch furniture cleaned off. Most years I get those tasks completed

See **GARDENER'S**, Page 28

ARTS & LEISURE



Photo By Steve Ellmore

IN TRIBUTE — During the Union Memorial Day Parade, students from Kawameeh Middle School take part in a float depicted the Revolutionary War.

Gardener's Apprentice

(Continued from Page 27)

by Labor Day at the earliest.

So, what comes next?

With so many of the routine chores finished, I can go to work on the future. The few blooming iris impressed many people, but too many of the rhizomes failed to sprout flower stalks this spring. I am going to find a single home for the collection and give the plants the love they deserve. Next year I hope for an iris rainbow.

The enormous Golden Celebration rose, 6 feet tall and about 5 feet wide, was grievously injured when one of its largest canes split all the way to the ground during the freak snowstorm last October. At the time, there was so much else going on that I forgot to cut it back. This spring, all the canes, including both halves of the split one, leafed out.

If the garden tour had not been imminent, I would have pruned the rose right away. Instead, I wired the damaged cane back together and got the bush completely upright with stakes and garden twine. Now it is covered with golden roses and sprouting vigorous new growth. When the current flush of bloom is over, I will do the radical pruning necessary to keep it in good health for the longer term.

The best thing about dedicated gardeners is that they never rest on their laurels or let weeds grow under their feet. There is always another project, new plants to discover and old ones to rearrange and propagate. Garden tour visitors see a snapshot in time. Veteran gardeners know the snapshot is really part of a moving picture.

Elisabeth Ginsburg, a resident of Essex County, is a frequent contributor to Worrall Community Newspapers. The writer archives past columns at <http://www.gardener-sapprentice.com>.

ADVERTISE TODAY!

CLASSIFIED ADS
GET RESULTS!
CALL US AT

908-686-7850

PUBLIC NOTICE

HILLSIDE

SHERIFF'S SALE
Division: CHANCERY
Docket Number: F00962411
County: Union
Plaintiff: NOVARTIS FEDERAL CREDIT UNION
Defendant: BELLO AKANBI, TOYIN KANBI
Sale Date: 06/13/2012
Writ of Execution: 04/30/2012
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendor, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETHTOWN LAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.
The property to be sold is located in the Municipality of HILLSIDE in the County of UNION and State of New Jersey, commonly known as 1801 WYNDMOOR AVENUE, HILLSIDE, NJ
Tax LOT 25 BLOCK 402
Dimensions of Lot: 40 feet wide by 140 feet long
Nearest Cross Street: Situate on the SOUTHERLY side of WYNDMOOR AVENUE 300 feet from the SOUTHWESTERLY side of KEER AVENUE
THE SHERIFF HEREBY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADJOURN THIS SALE WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE THROUGH PUBLICATION.
JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$152,007.84
One Hundred Fifty-Two Thousand Seven and 84/100***
RALPH F. CASALE & ASSOCIATES, LLC
90 ROUTE 46 WEST
DENVER NJ 07834
973) 586-2300
Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
Total Upset: \$155,432.76***One Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Four Hundred Thirty-Two and 76/100***
May 17, 24, 31, June 7, 2012
U293974 UNL (\$115.84)

NOTICE OF HEARING
PLANNING BOARD
BOROUGH OF KENILWORTH

PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a public hearing has been ordered for 8:00 p.m. on June 14, 2012, in the Borough Hall, Kenilworth, New Jersey before the Planning Board of the Borough of Kenilworth, on application by Borlight Realty, LLC for an Amended Preliminary and Final Site Plan Approval, to approve the expanded tenancy of IDL TechniEdge LLC, for a temporary waiver of the obligation to provide hairpin striping for the 8.5 foot wide parking spaces on the Property until such time as additional tenants are obtained, for temporary approval for automobile storage/parking on the Property until such time as additional tenants are obtained and for any waivers/variances that may be necessary as evidenced by the plans now on file or as may be modified at the request of the Planning Board including but not limited to size of parking stalls, number of parking spaces and banking of parking spaces for future use, performance standards and site plan approval. This application is made for premises located at 30 Borlight Avenue, Kenilworth, New Jersey, a/k/a Block 6, Lot 4.
When the calendar is called, you may appear either in person or by agent or attorney, and present any objections which you may have to the granting of this application in accordance with the Rules of the Planning Board. All papers pertaining to this application may be seen in the office of the Administrative Officer of the Planning Board of the Borough of Kenilworth located in the Borough Hall.
Gary L. Falkin, EIC
FALKIN & PANZINI-ROMEO, LLC
Attorney for Borlight Realty, LLC
30A Vreeland Road, Suite 100
Florham Park, New Jersey 07932
(973) 822-9200
U294678 UNL May 31, 2012 (26.46)

UNION

NOTICE OF HEARING

Please take notice that an application has been made by George Aleu For a variance from the requirements of the Township of Union Land Development Ordinance (and for subdivision/ site plan approval) as to permit: Remodel and addition added to house located at 17 Filbert Lane, Union, NJ which is in violation of section(s) 170-50 front/side yard of the Land Development Ordinance.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Any person or persons affected by this application may have the opportunity to be heard at the public hearing to be held by the Board of Adjustment on June 6, 2012 at 7:30pm in the Municipal Building, 1976 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey.

All documents relating to this application may be inspected by the public between the hours of 9:00am - 4:00pm in the office of the Secretary of the Board of Adjustment in the Municipal Building, Building Department, 1976 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey.

George Aleu
Applicant

U294777 UNL May 31, 2012 (\$16.17)

HILLSIDE

TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE
PUBLIC NOTICE

The following ordinance published herewith have been passed by the Township Council at a meeting held at the Municipal Building, Liberty and Hillside Avenues, on May 22, 2012 and approved by the Mayor on May 23, 2012.

0-12-008

CALENDAR YEAR 2012 ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK N.J.S.A. 40A:4-45.14

0-12-009

ORDINANCE AMENDING THE TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE TOWNSHIP CODE AT CHAPTER 106 "ALARM SYSTEMS", AT SECTIONS 106-3 AND 106-3.1

Angela R. Garretton
Council President

Approved by Mayor Joseph Menza

May 23, 2012

Attest: Janet Vlaisavljevic

Township Clerk

U294634 UNL May 31, 2012 (\$15.19)

HILLSIDE

NOTICE TO ABSENT DEFENDANTS

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
CHANCERY DIVISION
UNION COUNTY
DOCKET NO. F-56205-09

(L.S.) STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO:

PUBLIC NOTICE

Caroline Szalay, her heirs, devisees and personal representatives, and their or any of their successors in right, title and interest; Mr. Szalay, husband of Caroline Szalay

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to serve upon Ralph F. Casale & Associates, LLC 290 Route 46 West Denville, New Jersey 07834 973-586-2300 Fax (973) 586-2307, an answer to the Complaint/Amended Complaint, Amendments, and Orders, if any, filed in a civil action, in which Lillian Zhang, is plaintiff, and Caroline Szalay, et al., are defendants, pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, within thirty-five (35) days after the day of publication of this notice, exclusive of such date. If you fail to do so, judgment by default may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint/Amended Complaint, Amendments and Orders, if any. You shall file your answer and proof of service in duplicate with the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Jersey, Hughes Justice Complex - CN 971, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, in accordance with the rules of the civil practice and procedure.

If you are unable to obtain an attorney, you may contact the Lawyers Referral Service of the County of venue by calling 908-353-4715 Legal Service Office 908-354-4340.

This action has been instituted for the purpose of foreclosing tax lien dated June 11, 2007, assessed to Szalay, Caroline purchased by Lillian Zhang recorded August 31, 2007 in Book 1M12281 of Mortgages for Union County, Page 0700; and to recover possession of said lands and premises commonly known as Block 950, Lot 2, 1247 Broadway, Hillside, New Jersey 07205, Township of Hillside, County of Union and the State of New Jersey.

You Caroline Szalay, her heirs, devisees and personal representatives, and their or any of their successors in right, title and interest; Mr. Szalay, husband of Caroline Szalay, are hereby made a party defendant to the foreclosure action because you have or may claim to have some right, title, lien or other interest affecting the real estate being foreclosed, by virtue of ownership, inheritance, descent, intestacy, devise, dower, curtesy, mortgage, deed, or conveyance, enter of judgment or other legal or lawful right. The nature of

PUBLIC NOTICE

which and the reason that you and each of you are joined as defendants is set forth with particularity in the complaint, a copy of which will be furnished to you on request addressed to the attorneys for the plaintiff at the above mentioned address.
File SZalay.zgRC.jb
Dated: May 23, 2012

Jennifer M. Perez
Clerk of the Superior Court
U294652 UNL May 31, 2012 (\$42.14)

UNION

BOARD OF EDUCATION
Township of Union
County of Union
New Jersey 07083

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of the Township of Union, County of Union, New Jersey on Tuesday, June 12, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. in the office of the Secretary, Administration Building, 2369 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey for the following items:

Music Instrument #13-12

Instructions to Bidders, Proposal Form and Specifications may be examined at the office of the Secretary, Administration Building, 2369 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey 07083 and each bidder thereof may obtain one copy.

For each bid totaling \$1,000.00 or more, a deposit payable to the "Union Township Board of Education" in the form of a certified or cashier's check or bid bond issued by a surety company licensed to do business in the State of New Jersey shall accompany each proposal. The amount of the deposit shall be ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid, but in no case in excess of \$20,000.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of sixty (60) days after the date set for the opening thereof.

All bidders are required to submit along with their bid a copy of their current Business Registration Certificate, W-9 and Affirmative Action Certificate.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to

CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

PUBLIC NOTICE

accept the bid, which in its judgment will be for the best interest of the Union Township Board of Education. The Board also reserves the right to renew any award in accordance with New Jersey Public Contracts Law 18A:18A-42.

Bidders are required to comply with the Affirmative Action requirements of P.L. 1975, C. 127 and N.J.A.C. 17-27 and any other applicable Federal, State, County or Municipal laws, rules, regulations or codes.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, TOWNSHIP OF UNION, COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY

James J. Damato
Board Secretary
Date Due: June 12, 2012
U294653 UNL May 31, 2012 (\$33.32)

HILLSIDE

SHERIFF'S SALE
Sheriff's File Number: CH-12002039
Division: CHANCERY
Docket Number: F4009209
County: Union
Plaintiff: AFFINITY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

VS
Defendant: VINCENT MOKEBO, JEANETTA MOKEBO, BARBARA SPRUILL, TENANT, AND NATASHA SPRUILL, TENANT

Sale Date: 06/13/2012
Writ of Execution: 02/17/2012
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETH TOWNSHIP PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

Concise Description

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the Township of Hillside, County of Union and State of New Jersey; AND FURTHER ALSO KNOWN AS, all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying and being in the City of Newark, County of Essex and State of New Jersey. Street Address: 1622 Bayview Avenue, Hillside, New Jersey 07205 a/k/a 51 Bayview Avenue, Newark, New Jersey. Nearest Cross Street: Keer Avenue, Hillside, NJ.

Tax Lot and Block No.: Lot 17, Block 409 on the Tax Map of the Township of Hillside; also known as Lot 13, Block 3728.01 on the Tax Map of the City of Newark.

Dimensions: 100 feet x 40 feet x 100 feet x 40 feet.

Amount Due for Taxes: As of April 15, 2012, the 1st quarter taxes for 2012 are current. The 2nd quarter is due May 1, 2012 in the amount of \$1,734.94.

As the above description does not constitute a full legal description, said full legal description is annexed to that certain mortgage recorded in the Office of the Clerk/Register of Union County in Mortgage Book 12363, at Page 990, et seq., and also recorded in the Office of the Clerk/Register of Essex County in Mortgage Book 12103, at Page 6540, Instrument No. 7142514; and the Writ of Execution is on file with the Sheriff of Union County.

The above figures for taxes were furnished to the Law Firm of Peter J. Liska, LLC by the Tax Collector's Office of the Township of Hillside and the accuracy of said figures must be verified by any interested party as Plaintiff makes no representations as to the accuracy of same either express or implied. Accordingly, you must check with the Tax Collector to verify the exact amount due.

Subject to any other unpaid taxes, assessments, water and sewer liens, if any.

JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$384,903.16
Three Hundred Eighty-Four Thousand Nine Hundred Three and 16/100

Attorney:
PETER J. LISKA, LLC - ATTORNEY
766 SHREWSBURY AVENUE
TINTON FALLS NJ 07724
(732)933-7777

Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
Total Upset: \$395,479.29***Three Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand Four Hundred Seventy-Nine and 29/100***
May 17, 24, 31, June 7, 2012
U293967 UNL (\$199.92)

PUBLIC NOTICE

HILLSIDE

SHERIFF'S SALE
Sheriff's File Number: CH-12002073
Division: CHANCERY
Docket Number: F2656210
County: Union
Plaintiff: JAMES B. NUTTER AND COMPANY VS

Defendant: BENJAMIN J. ASHMON, JR. HIS HEIRS, DEVISEES, AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES AND HIS/HER, THEIR OR ANY OF THEIR SUCCESSORS IN RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST, ANGELA A. ASHMON, ROBIN FRAZIER, MICHELE ASHMON, MARC ASHMON, CRAIG BIRDSONG, TORRIN WILLIAMS, BENJAMIN ASHMON III, MARVIN ASHMON, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, MARION C. WOODHOUSE, NEW CENTURY FINANCIAL SERVICES, GENERAL MOTORS ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION, CHRISTINA Q. RUSHING, STATE OF WISCONSIN, KATRINA OWENS, STATE OF KENTUCKY, MIDDLESEX COUNTY BOARD OF SOCIAL SERVICES

Sale Date: 06/13/2012
Writ of Execution: 04/24/2012
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETH TOWNSHIP PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

MUNICIPALITY: Hillside
COUNTY: UNION
STATE OF N.J.
STREET & STREET NO: 1564 Leslie Street
TAX BLOCK AND LOT:
BLOCK: 306 LOT: 19
DIMENSIONS OF LOT: 65.70' x 100'
NEAREST CROSS STREET: Winans Avenue
SUPERIOR INTERESTS (if any): NONE

The Sheriff hereby reserves the right to adjourn this sale without further notice through publication.

Surplus Money: If after the sale and satisfaction of the mortgage debt, including costs and expenses, there remains any surplus money, the money will be deposited into the Superior Court Trust Fund and any person claiming the surplus, or any part thereof, may file a motion pursuant to Court Rules 4:64-3 and 4:57-2 stating the nature and extent of that person's claim and asking for an order directing payment of the surplus money. The Sheriff or other person conducting the sale will have information regarding the surplus, if any.

JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$191,218.95
One Hundred Ninety-One Thousand Two Hundred Eighteen and 95/100
Attorney:
POWERS KIRN - COUNSELORS
728 MARNE HWY
P.O. BOX 848 - SUITE 200
MOORESTOWN, NJ 08057
(856)802-1000
Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
Total Upset: \$199,331.47***One Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-One and 47/100***
May 17, 24, 31, June 7, 2012
U293968 UNL (\$178.36)

HILLSIDE

TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE
PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance has been introduced on first reading at a meeting of the Township Council held Tuesday evening, May 22, 2012 and will be considered for adoption at a meeting of the Township Council to be held at the Municipal Building, Liberty and Hillside Avenues on June 12, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be considered. All persons interested will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning such ordinance.

A copy of this ordinance has been posted on the bulletin board upon which public notice are customarily posted in the Township of Hillside and a copy is available up to and including the time of said meeting to the members of the general public of the Township who shall request same at the Township Clerk's Office, Liberty and Hillside Avenues, Hillside, New Jersey.

By Direction of the Township Council
Janet Vlasisavljevic, RMC
Township Clerk

0-12-013
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE #426-78 ENTITLED "AN ORDI-

PUBLIC NOTICE

NANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADOPTION OF RECLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN PREPARED BY THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL SERVICE COVERING THE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE that ordinance #L-426-78 entitled "An Ordinance to Provide for the Adoption of Reclassification and Compensation Plan Prepared by the New Jersey Civil Service Commissioner Covering the Officers and Employees of the Township of Hillside adopted March 21, 1978, be amended as follows:

SECTION 1: The salary ranges for the following positions set forth in said ordinance is hereby modified to read as follows:

June 2012

Confidential Administration Assistant	\$30.00 per hour
---------------------------------------	------------------

SECTION 2: All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3: This Ordinance shall take effect 20 days after final passage and publication as provided by law.
U294651 UNL May 31, 2012 (\$37.24)

HILLSIDE

NOTICE OF PENDING BOND ORDINANCE AND SUMMARY

The bond ordinance, the summary terms of which are included herein, was introduced and passed upon first reading at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Hillside, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey, on May 22, 2012. It will be further considered for final passage, after public hearing thereon, at a meeting of the Township Council to be held at its meeting room in the Municipal Building, Liberty & Hillside Avenues, Hillside, New Jersey, on June 12, 2012 at 7:00 P.M. During the week prior to and up to and including the date of such meeting copies of the full ordinance will be available at no cost and during regular business hours, at the Clerk's office for the members of the general public who shall request the same. The summary of the terms of such bond ordinance follows:

Title: BO-12-011 BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE UNDERTAKING OF VARIOUS IMPROVEMENTS AT THE MARGARET M. ROCHE MEMORIAL SWIMMING POOL FACILITY IN, BY AND FOR THE SWIM POOL UTILITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$150,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO APPROPRIATE A COUNTY GRANT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS.

Purpose(s): Undertaking of the following improvements at the Margaret M. Roche Memorial Swimming Pool Facility in, by and for the Swim Pool Utility of the Township: (A) replacement of filtration system and (B) rehabilitation of wading pool.

Appropriation: \$150,000
Bonds/Notes Authorized: \$75,000
Grants (if any) Appropriated: \$75,000
Section 20 Costs: \$25,000
Useful Life: 15 years

This Notice is published pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:2-17.

Janet Vlasisavljevic RMC
Township Clerk
Township of Hillside
County of Union
State of New Jersey
U294647 UNL May 31, 2012 (\$33.81)

PUBLIC NOTICE

ELIZABETH

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
CHANCERY DIVISION
COUNTY OF UNION
DOCKET NO. F-8403-12

NOTICE TO ABSENT DEFENDANTS

STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO: ABRAHAM BASHNER

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to serve upon FEIN, SUCH, KAHN & SHEPARD, plaintiff's attorneys,

PUBLIC NOTICE

whose address is 7 Century Drive, Suite 201, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054, telephone number #(973) 538-9300, an Answer to the Complaint and Amended Complaint, if any, filed in a civil action in which NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC is Plaintiff and ABRAHAM BASHNER, et al., are defendants, pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, UNION County and bearing Docket No. F-8403-12 within thirty-five (35) days after 05/31/12 exclusive of such date, or if published after 05/31/12, thirty-five (35) days after the actual date of such publication, exclusive of such date. If you fail to do so, Judgment by Default may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. You shall file your answer and proof of service in duplicate with the Clerk of the Superior Court, Hughes Justice Complex, CN-971, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, in accordance with the Rules of Civil Practice and Procedure.

This action has been instituted for the purpose of (1) foreclosing a mortgage dated May 30, 2008 made by ABRAHAM BASHNER as mortgagor to MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS INC AS A NOMINEE FOR CARNegie MORTGAGE LLC recorded on June 16, 2008, in Book 12512 of Mortgages for UNION County, Page 830, et seq., which mortgage was duly assigned to the Plaintiff named above, who is the present holder of said Mortgage, and (2) to recover possession of, and concerns premises commonly known as 635 MAGNOLIA STREET, ELIZABETH, NJ 07201, Block 7, Lot 788.

You are made a defendant because you are a mortgagor and your lien or encumbrance on the mortgaged premises is subject to plaintiff's mortgage.

If you cannot afford or are unable to obtain an attorney, you may communicate with the Legal Services Office of the County of venue by calling: UNION COUNTY LAWYER REFERRAL: (908)353-4715
UNION COUNTY LEGAL SERVICES: (908)354-4340

YOU, ABRAHAM BASHNER are made party defendant to this foreclosure action because you are one of the mortgagors and may be liable for any deficiency and for any lien, claim, or interest you may have in, to or against the mortgaged premises by reason of the Mortgage made by you, ABRAHAM BASHNER, as set forth above.

Upon request, a copy of the Complaint and Amended Complaint, if any, will be supplied to you for particularity.
File YNSR843
Dated: May 23, 2012

JENNIFER M. PEREZ
Clerk of the Superior Court of New Jersey
E294654 PRO May 31, 2012 (\$43.61)

ROSELLE

PUBLIC NOTICE
BOROUGH OF ROSELLE

NOTICE OF A CONTRACT AWARD

The Borough of Roselle, New Jersey has awarded a contract without competitive bidding as a professional service pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i). The contract and the resolution authorizing it are on file and available for public inspection in the office of the Municipal Clerk.

AWARDED: Kologji Simitz
Counselors at Law
923 North Wood Avenue
Linden, NJ 07036

SERVICE: Special Counsel for Code Revision for the Borough of Roselle

DURATION: May 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012

AMOUNT OF CONTRACT: \$20,000.00
U294655 PRO May 31, 2012 (\$14.21)

ROSELLE

PUBLIC NOTICE OF ADOPTION
BOROUGH OF ROSELLE
ORDINANCE NUMBER 2429-12

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE LEASING OF CERTAIN PROPERTY KNOWN AS RALPH E. ARMINIO FIELD (THE "PREMISES") LOCATED ON CHESTNUT STREET, ROSELLE, NEW JERSEY BY THE BOROUGH

NOTICE is hereby given that Ordinance Number 2429-12 was passed and adopted on second and final reading at a regular meeting of the Mayor and Council on May 16, 2012, after 7:00 p.m., 210 Chestnut St., Roselle, N.J.
Lydia D. Agejimi
Deputy Municipal Clerk
U294660 PRO May 31, 2012 (\$11.27)

PUBLIC NOTICE

ELIZABETH

SHERIFF'S SALE
Sheriff's File Number: CH-12001884
Division: CHANCERY
Docket Number: F2517909
County: Union
Plaintiff: NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC VS

Defendant: JOHANNA SAAVEDRA MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS INC, AS NOMINEE FOR EAST COAST MORTGAGE, ANNA PINZON

Sale Date: 06/06/2012
Writ of Execution: 03/07/2012

By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETH TOWNSHIP PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

The property to be sold is located in the City of ELIZABETH, County of UNION and State of New Jersey.

Commonly known as: 111-113 SAYRE STREET, ELIZABETH, NJ 07208.
Tax Lot No. 1282 A/K/A 1282 W13, Block No. 13

Dimension of Lot Approximately: 38X9
Nearest Cross Street: CHERRY STREET
BEGINNING at a point in the northern line of Sayre Street, distant 136.00 feet westerly from the northwesterly corner of Sayre Street and Cherry Street; running thence

"THE SHERIFF HEREBY RESERVE THE RIGHT TO ADJOURN THIS SALE WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE THROUGH PUBLICATION."

PRIOR LIENS/ENCUMBRANCES
NAME OF SECURED PARTY

CURRENT AMOUNT DUE	
\$1,635.13	3rd Party Tax, Water, Sewer- Sold 6/2/08- Cert. No. 0700479
\$2,217.07	2012 Qtr Taxes (may be paid by the lienholder) due 5/1/12
\$3,852.20	TOTAL AS OF April 19, 2012:

Surplus Money: If after the sale and satisfaction of the mortgage debt, including costs and expenses, there remains any surplus money, the money will be deposited into the Superior Court Trust Fund and any person claiming the surplus, or any part thereof, may file a motion pursuant to Court Rules 4:64-3 and 4:57-2 stating the nature and extent of that person's claim and asking for an order directing payment of the surplus money. The Sheriff or other person conducting the sale will have information regarding the surplus, if any.

JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$624,138.25**
Six Hundred Twenty-Four Thousand One Hundred Thirty-Eight and 25/100***

Attorney:
FEIN, SUCH, KAHN & SHEPARD, PC
7 CENTURY DR
SUITE 201
PARSIPPANY NJ 07054
(973)538-4700
Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
Total Upset: \$639,159.43***Six Hundred Thirty-Nine Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Nine and 43/100***
May 10, 17, 24, 31, 2012
U293518 PRO (\$182.28)

ROSELLE

PUBLIC NOTICE OF ADOPTION
BOROUGH OF ROSELLE
ORDINANCE NUMBER 2428-12

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF ROSELLE TO DELETE CHAPTER ARTICLE XIX, SECTION 193, SHADE TREE DIVISION, AND CREATING CHAPTER 4, ARTICLE XX, SECTION 206, SHADE TREE DIVISION OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF ROSELLE

NOTICE is hereby given that Ordinance Number 2428-12 was passed and adopted on second and final reading at a regular meeting of the Mayor and Council on May 16, 2012, after 7:00 p.m., 210 Chestnut St., Roselle, N.J.
Lydia D. Agejimi
Deputy Municipal Clerk
U294658 PRO May 31, 2012 (\$12.74)

www.njpublicnotices.com

Your online source for public notices in New Jersey

CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

PUBLIC NOTICE

ELIZABETH

SHERIFF'S SALE
 Sheriff's File Number: CH-12001882
 Division: CHANCERY
 Docket Number: F0070710
 County: Union
 Plaintiff: BANKUNITED
 VS
 Defendant: SIGFREDO QUILES, SARA
 QUILES

Sale Date: 06/06/2012
 Writ of Execution: 11/07/2013
 By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETHTOWN PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

Property to be sold is located in the CITY OF ELIZABETH, County of UNION, State of New Jersey.
 Premises commonly known as: 41 ATLANTIC STREET, ELIZABETH, NJ 07206

BEING KNOWN as LOT 55, BLOCK 5 on the official Tax Map of the CITY of ELIZABETH

Dimensions: 68.69FT X 25.05FT X 70.33FT X 25.00FT
 Nearest Cross Street: SECOND AVENUE

The Sheriff hereby reserves the right to adjourn this sale without further notice by publication.

*Subject to any unpaid taxes, municipal liens or other charges, and any such taxes, charges, liens, insurance premiums or other advances made by plaintiff prior to this sale. All interested parties are to conduct and rely upon their own independent investigation to ascertain whether or not any outstanding interest remain of record and/or have priority over the lien being foreclosed and, if so the current amount due thereon.

*If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

*If after the sale and satisfaction of the mortgage debt, including costs and expenses, there remains any surplus money, the money will be deposited into the Superior Court Trust Fund and any person claiming the surplus, or any part thereof, may file a motion pursuant to Court Rules 4:64-3 and 4:57-2 stating the nature and extent of that person's claim and asking for an order directing payment of the surplus money. The Sheriff or other person conducting the sale will have information regarding the surplus, if any.

JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$393,559.28
 ***Three Hundred Ninety-Three Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-Nine and 28/100**

Attorney:
 PHELAN HALLINAN & SCHMIEG, PC
 400 FELLOWSHIP RD
 SUITE 100
 MT LAUREL NJ 08054
 (856)813-5500

Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
 A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
 Total Upset: \$406,417.00***Four Hundred Six Thousand Four Hundred Seventeen 00/100**
 May 10, 17, 24, 31, 2012
 U293511 PRO (\$182.28)

ELIZABETH

SHERIFF'S SALE
 Sheriff's File Number: CH-12002034
 Division: CHANCERY
 Docket Number: F1516410
 County: Union
 Plaintiff: LYNX ASSET SERVICES LLC
 VS
 Defendant: WILSON LONDONO;
 CITIBANK, N.A.; BROWN BANK II LP;
 STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Sale Date: 06/13/2012
 Writ of Execution: 04/19/2012
 By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETHTOWN PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

PROPERTY TO BE SOLD IS LOCATED IN THE CITY OF ELIZABETH, COUNTY OF UNION AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY.
 PREMISES ARE COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 11-13 Ursino Place, Elizabeth, NJ 07208
 LOT NO.: 1721
 BLOCK: 11

PUBLIC NOTICE

DIMENSIONS OF LOT: Approximately 9020 IRR
 NEAREST CROSS STREET: Trotters Lane
 THE SHERIFF HEREBY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADJOURN THIS SALE WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE THROUGH PUBLICATION.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND IN THE UNION COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.
 Tax information:
 Current
 JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$522,463.36
 ***Five Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Three and 26/100**
 Attorney:
 LAW OFFICE OF MICHAEL A. ALFIERI
 30 FRENEAU AVENUE
 MATAWAN NJ 07747
 (732)360-9266
 Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
 A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
 Total Upset: \$533,382.33***Five Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-Two and 33/100**
 May 17, 24, 31 June 7, 2012
 U294019 PRO (\$125.44)

ELIZABETH

SHERIFF'S SALE
 Sheriff's File Number: CH-12002037
 Division: CHANCERY
 Docket Number: F00208611
 County: Union
 Plaintiff: BAYVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC
 VS

Defendant: JUAN CARLOS SOKUR;
 ARTURO PAREJA; ELIZABETH GENERAL MEDICAL CENTER; ARTHUR'S AUTO SALES CORP (TENANT)
 Sale Date: 06/13/2012
 Writ of Execution: 02/23/2012

By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETHTOWN PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

The property to be sold is located in the City of ELIZABETH, County of UNION and State of New Jersey.
 Commonly known as: 237-243 CATHERINE STREET, ELIZABETH, NJ and 1036-1044 MAGNOLIA AVENUE, ELIZABETH, NJ 07201
 Tax Lot No. 387 in Block No. 8
 Dimension of Lot Approximately: 81X120

Nearest Cross Street: BEGINNING at a point marking the intersection of the southeasterly sideline of Catherine Street and the southwesterly sideline of Magnolia Avenue, running thence.

THE SHERIFF HEREBY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADJOURN THIS SALE WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE THROUGH PUBLICATION.

PRIOR LIENS/ENCUMBRANCES
 2012 Qtr 2 Due: 05/01/2012 \$1,433.26
 OPEN

Water: Liberty Water 131 Woodcrest Road Cherry Hill, NJ 08034 800-652-6987 Unable to locate account. Account # is necessary to determine status. Please have seller provide evidence of all service at closing.

Sewer: Included in Water Account(s)
 Surplus Money: If after the sale and satisfaction of the mortgage debt, including costs and expenses, there remains any surplus money, the money will be deposited into the Superior Court Trust Fund and any person claiming the surplus, or any part thereof, may file a motion pursuant to Court Rules 4:64-3 and 4:57-2 stating the nature and extent of that person's claim and asking for an order directing payment of the surplus money. The Sheriff or other person conducting the sale will have information regarding the surplus, if any.

JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$577,296.77***
 Five Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-Six and 77/100**

Attorney:
 FEIN, SUCH, KAHN & SHEPARD, PC
 7 CENTURY DR
 SUITE 201
 PARSIPPANY NJ 07054
 (973)538-4700

Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
 A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
 Total Upset: \$590,811.35***Five Hundred Ninety Thousand Eight Hundred Eleven and 35/100**
 May 17, 24, 31, June 7, 2012
 U294011 PRO (\$174.44)

ELIZABETH

SHERIFF'S SALE
 Sheriff's File Number: CH-12001885
 Division: CHANCERY
 Docket Number: F04971310
 County: Union

PUBLIC NOTICE

Plaintiff: FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION
 VS

Defendant: IVAN HEREDIA
 Sale Date: 06/06/2012
 Writ of Execution: 04/09/2012

By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETHTOWN PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

MUNICIPALITY: Elizabeth
 COUNTY: UNION STATE OF N.J.
 STREET & STREET NO: 876-880 Anna Street

TAX BLOCK AND LOT:
 BLOCK: 8 LOT: 123
 DIMENSIONS OF LOT: 75' x 115'
 NEAREST CROSS STREET: Henry Street

SUPERIOR INTERESTS (if any):
 NONE

The Sheriff hereby reserves the right to adjourn this sale without further notice through publication.

Surplus Money: If after the sale and satisfaction of the mortgage debt, including costs and expenses, there remains any surplus money, the money will be deposited into the Superior Court Trust Fund and any person claiming the surplus, or any part thereof, may file a motion pursuant to Court Rules 4:64-3 and 4:57-2 stating the nature and extent of that person's claim and asking for an order directing payment of the surplus money. The Sheriff or other person conducting the sale will have information regarding the surplus, if any.

JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$480,845.50***
 Four Hundred Eighty Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-Five and 50/100**

Attorney:
 POWERS KIRN - COUNSELORS
 728 MARNE HWY
 P.O. BOX 848 - SUITE 200
 MOORESTOWN NJ 08057
 (856)802-1000

Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
 A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
 Total Upset: \$498,619.45 ***Four Hundred Ninety-Eight Thousand Six Hundred Nineteen and 45/100**
 May 10, 17, 24, 31, 2012
 U293503 PRO (\$139.16)

ELIZABETH

ORDINANCE NO. 4305

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ordinance published has been finally adopted by the Mayor and Council of the City of Elizabeth, in the County of Union, New Jersey on May 22, 2012.

YOLANDA ROBERTS, City Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 4305

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETH, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY, APPROPRIATING \$300,000 FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO CITY HALL IN AND FOR THE CITY OF ELIZABETH, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETH, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY (not less than a majority of all members thereof affirmatively concurring), AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. \$300,000 is hereby appropriated from the Capital Surplus Fund for improvements to City Hall, including but not limited to improvements to stairs, structure, sidewalks and masonry, and including all work and materials necessary therefor and incidental thereto.

Section 2. The capital budget or temporary capital budget, as applicable, of the City is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency herewith. In the event of any such inconsistency and amendment, the resolution in the form promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended capital budget or temporary capital budget, as applicable, and capital program as approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services is on file with the City Clerk and is available therefor for public inspection.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with Law.
 U294666 PRO May 31, 2012 (\$28.91).

PUBLIC NOTICE

ELIZABETH

SHERIFF'S SALE
 Sheriff's File Number: CH-12002071
 Division: CHANCERY
 Docket Number: F789211
 County: Union
 Plaintiff: FLAGSTAR BANK, FSB
 VS

Defendant: CELESTINA REYES,
 JEANETTE REYES, BARBARA
 RICHARDSON, AND STATE OF NEW
 JERSEY

Sale Date: 06/13/2012
 Writ of Execution: 03/23/2012
 By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETHTOWN PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

Concise Property Description
 The property to be sold is located in the City of Elizabeth,
 In the County of Union and the State of New Jersey.

Premises commonly known as: 121 Division Street
 Block 7, Lot 195
 Dimensions of Lot (approximately): 33.80' x 100'
 Nearest Cross Street: East Jersey Street

Subject to: \$0.00
 THE SHERIFF HEREBY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADJOURN THIS SALE WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE THROUGH PUBLICATION.

Surplus Money: If after the sale and satisfaction of the mortgage debt, including costs and expenses, there remains any surplus money, the money will be deposited into the Superior Court Trust Fund and any person claiming the surplus, or any part thereof, may file a motion pursuant to Court Rules 4:64-3 and 4:57-2 stating the nature and extent of that person's claim and asking for an order directing payment of the surplus money. The Sheriff or other person conducting the sale will have information regarding the surplus, if any.

JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$311,032.37***
 Three Hundred Eleven Thousand Thirty-Two and 37/100**

Attorney:
 MCCABE WEISBERG & CONWAY, P.C.
 216 HADDON AVE
 SUITE 303
 WESTMONT NJ 08108
 (856) 858-7080

Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
 A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
 Total Upset: \$318,165.95***Three Hundred Eighteen Thousand One Hundred Sixty-Five and 95/100**
 May 17, 24, 31 June 7, 2012
 U294013 PRO (\$148.96)

LINDEN

SHERIFF'S SALE
 Sheriff's File Number: CH-12002038
 Division: CHANCERY
 Docket Number: F05930310
 County: Union
 Plaintiff: AURORA LOAN SERVICES, LLC
 VS

Defendant: JAIMITO RODRIGUEZ AND
 EVELYN RODRIGUEZ
 Sale Date: 06/13/2012
 Writ of Execution: 04/23/2012

By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETHTOWN PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

MUNICIPALITY: Linden
 COUNTY: UNION STATE OF N.J.
 STREET & STREET NO: 1624 Mildred Avenue

TAX BLOCK AND LOT:
 BLOCK: 36 LOT: 7
 DIMENSIONS OF LOT: 43' X 99.27'
 NEAREST CROSS STREET: 257' from Grant Street

SUPERIOR INTERESTS (if any):
 NONE

The Sheriff hereby reserves the right to adjourn this sale without further notice through publication.

Surplus Money: If after the sale and satisfaction of the mortgage debt, including costs and expenses, there remains any surplus money, the money will be deposited into the Superior Court Trust Fund and any person claiming the surplus, or any part thereof, may file a motion pursuant to Court Rules 4:64-3 and 4:57-2 stating the nature and extent of that person's claim and asking for an order directing payment of the surplus money. The Sheriff or other person con-

PUBLIC NOTICE

ducting the sale will have information regarding the surplus, if any.
 JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$304,888.58***
 Three Hundred Four Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Eight and 58/100**

Attorney:
 POWERS KIRN - COUNSELORS
 728 MARNE HWY
 P.O. BOX 848 - SUITE 200
 MOORESTOWN NJ 08057
 (856)802-1000

Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
 A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
 Total Upset: \$312,756.62***Three Hundred Twelve Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty-Six and 62/100**
 May 17, 24, 31, June 7, 2012
 U294010 PRO (\$139.16)

LINDEN

SHERIFF'S SALE
 Sheriff's File Number: CH-12001917
 Division: CHANCERY
 Docket Number: F3202508
 County: Union
 Plaintiff: ONEWEST BANK FSB
 VS

Defendant: QUAYYIEM CUNNINGHAM
 Sale Date: 06/13/2012
 Writ of Execution: 04/10/2012

By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, at the UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 1ST FLOOR, 10 ELIZABETHTOWN PLAZA, Elizabeth, N.J., on WEDNESDAY, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.

Concise Property Description
 The property to be sold is located in the City of Linden,
 In the County of Union and the State of New Jersey.

Premises commonly known as: 906 Lincoln Street
 Block 106, Lot 12
 Dimensions of Lot (approximately): 40' x 100'

Nearest Cross Street: Henry Street
 Subject to: \$0.00
 THE SHERIFF HEREBY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADJOURN THIS SALE WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE THROUGH PUBLICATION.

Surplus Money: If after the sale and satisfaction of the mortgage debt, including costs and expenses, there remains any surplus money, the money will be deposited into the Superior Court Trust Fund and any person claiming the surplus, or any part thereof, may file a motion pursuant to Court Rules 4:64-3 and 4:57-2 stating the nature and extent of that person's claim and asking for an order directing payment of the surplus money. The Sheriff or other person conducting the sale will have information regarding the surplus, if any.

JUDGMENT AMOUNT: \$325,630.22
 ***Three Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Six Hundred Thirty and 22/100**

Attorney:
 MCCABE WEISBERG & CONWAY, P.C.
 216 HADDON AVE
 SUITE 303
 WESTMONT NJ 08108
 (856) 858-7080

Sheriff: Ralph Froehlich
 A full legal description can be found at the Union County Sheriff's Office
 Total Upset: \$333,057.60***Three Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand Fifty-Seven and 60/100**
 May 17, 24, 31 June 7, 2012
 U294016 PRO (\$143.08)

ELIZABETH

ORD. NO. 4306

BOND ORDINANCE STATEMENT AND SUMMARY

The bond ordinance, the summary terms of which are included herein, has been finally adopted by the governing body of the City of Elizabeth, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey, on May 22, 2012 and the 20-day period of limitation within which a suit, action or proceeding questioning the validity of such ordinance can be commenced, as provided in the Local Bond Law, has begun to run from the date of the first publication of this statement. Copies of the full ordinance will be available at no cost and during regular business hours, at the Clerk's office for the members of the general public who shall request the same. The summary of the terms of such ordinance follows:

ORD. NO. 4306

Title:
 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETH, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY, PROVIDING FOR THE ACQUISITION OF FIRE EQUIPMENT

CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT IN THE CITY OF ELIZABETH AND APPROPRIATING \$2,500,000 THEREFOR, AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$2,375,000 IN BONDS OR NOTES OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETH TO FINANCE THE SAME.

Purpose(s):
 (a) purchase of a new pumper and new 100' heavy duty aerial ladder,
 (b) purchase of new tractor, body work to existing trailer for tractor drawn aerial, acquisition of emergency response vehicle and refurbishing of two (2) ambulances, and including all work and materials necessary therefore or incidental thereto
 Appropriation: \$2,500,000
 Bonds/Notes Authorized: \$2,375,000
 Grants (if any) Appropriated: \$ 0.00
 Section 20 Costs: \$150,000
 Useful Life: 8.12 Years

Yolanda Roberts
 City Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 4306

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETH, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY, PROVIDING FOR THE ACQUISITION OF FIRE EQUIPMENT FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT IN THE CITY OF ELIZABETH AND APPROPRIATING \$2,500,000 THEREFOR, AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$2,375,000 IN BONDS OR NOTES OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETH TO FINANCE THE SAME.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETH, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY (not less than two-thirds of all members thereof affirmatively concurring), AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The improvements or purposes described in Section 3 of this bond ordinance are hereby authorized to be undertaken by the City of Elizabeth, in the County of Union, New Jersey (the "City"), as general improvements. For the improvements or purposes described in Section 3 hereof, there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$2,500,000 including the sum of \$125,000 as the down payment for the improvements or purposes pursuant to the Local Bond Law. The down payment has been made available by virtue of the provision in the capital improvement fund in one or more previously adopted budgets.

Section 2. In order to finance the cost of the improvements or purposes not covered by application of the down payment or otherwise provided for hereunder, negotiable bonds or notes are hereby authorized to be issued in the principal amount of \$2,375,000 pursuant to the Local Bond Law. In anticipation of the issuance of the bonds or notes, negotiable bond anticipation notes are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to and within the limitations prescribed by the Local Bond Law.

Section 3. (a) The improvements hereby authorized and the purposes for which the bonds or notes are to be issued, the estimated cost of each improvement and the appropriation therefore, the estimated maximum amounts of bonds or notes to be issued for each improvement are as follows:

(a) Purpose: purchase of a new pumper and a new 100' heavy duty aerial ladder, and including all work and materials necessary therefore or incidental thereto.
 Appropriation and Estimated Cost: \$1,560,000

Amount of Grant: \$0
 Amount of Down Payment: \$78,000
 Estimated Maximum amount of Bonds or Notes: \$1,482,000
 Period or Average Period of Usefulness: 10 years

(b) Purpose: purchase of new tractor, body work to existing trailer for tractor drawn aerial, acquisition of emergency response vehicle and refurbishing of two (2) ambulances, and including all work and materials necessary therefore or incidental thereto.
 Appropriation and Estimated Cost: \$940,000

Amount of Grant: \$0
 Amount of Down Payment: \$47,000
 Estimated Maximum amount of Bonds or Notes: \$893,000
 Period or Average Period of Usefulness: 5 years

(c) The estimated maximum amount of bonds or notes to be issued for the improvements or purposes is as stated in Section 2 hereof.

(c) The estimated cost of the improvements or purposes is equal to the amount of the appropriation herein made therefor.

Section 4. All bond anticipation notes issued hereunder shall mature at such times as may be determined by the chief financial officer; provided that no note shall mature later than one year from its date. The notes shall bear interest at

PUBLIC NOTICE

such rate or rates and be in such form as may be determined by the chief financial officer. The chief financial officer shall determine all matters in connection with notes issued pursuant to this bond ordinance, and the chief financial officer's signature upon the notes shall be conclusive evidence as to all such determinations. All notes issued hereunder may be renewed from time to time subject to the provisions of the Local Bond Law. The chief financial officer is directed to report in writing to the governing body at the meeting next succeeding the date when any sale or delivery of the notes pursuant to this bond ordinance is made. Such report must include the amount, the description, the interest rate and the maturity schedule of the notes sold, the price obtained and the name of the purchaser.

Section 5. The capital budget or temporary capital budget (as applicable) of the City is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this bond ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency herewith. In the event of any such inconsistency and amendment, the resolution in the form promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended capital budget or amended temporary capital budget (as applicable) and capital program as approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services is on file with the Clerk and is available there for public inspection.

Section 6. The following additional matters are hereby determined, declared, recited and stated:

(a) The improvements or purposes described in Section 3 of this bond ordinance is not a current expense. No part of the cost thereof has been or shall be specially assessed on property specially benefited thereby.

(b) The period of usefulness of the improvements or purposes, within the limitations of the Local Bond Law, according to the reasonable life thereof computed from the date of the bonds authorized by this bond ordinance, is 8.12 years.

(c) The Supplemental Debt Statement required by the Local Bond Law has been duly prepared and filed in the office of the Clerk, and a complete executed duplicate thereof has been filed in the office of the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs of the State of New Jersey. Such statement shows that the gross debt of the City as defined in the Local Bond Law is increased by the authorization of the bonds and notes provided in this bond ordinance by \$2,375,000, and the obligations authorized herein will be within all debt limitations prescribed by that Law.

(d) An amount not exceeding \$150,000 for items of expense listed in and permitted under N.J.S.A. 40A:2-20 is included in the estimated cost indicated herein for the improvement or purposes.

Section 7. Any grant moneys received for the purposes described in Section 3 hereof shall be applied either to direct payment of the cost of the improvement or to payment of the obligations issued pursuant to this bond ordinance. The amount of obligations authorized hereunder shall be reduced to the extent that such funds are so used.

Section 8. The full faith and credit of the City is hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and the interest on the obligations authorized by this bond ordinance. The obligations shall be direct, unlimited obligations of the City, and the City shall be obligated to levy ad valorem taxes upon all the taxable real property within the City for the payment of the obligations and the interest thereon without limitation of rate or amount.

Section 9. To the extent that any previous ordinance or resolution is inconsistent herewith or contradictory hereto, said ordinance or resolution is hereby repealed or amended to the extent necessary to make it consistent herewith.

Section 10. This bond ordinance shall take effect 20 days after the first publication thereof after final adoption, as provided by the Local Bond Law.
 U294661 PRO May 31, 2012 (\$135.73)

PUBLIC NOTICE

SPRINGFIELD

Explanation: This Ordinance authorizes the Township Clerk to place on the November 6, 2012 General Election ballot a question asking the voters of the Township of Springfield whether or not they wish to establish a Charter Commission to study the charter of the Township of Springfield.

**TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD
 ORDINANCE NO. 2012-19**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP CLERK TO PLACE ON THE NOVEMBER 6, 2012 GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT A QUESTION ASKING THE VOTERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD WHETHER OR NOT THEY WISH TO ESTABLISH A CHARTER COMMISSION TO STUDY THE CHARTER OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD.

WHEREAS, the Township of Springfield is presently governed by a charter which establishes a Township Committee form of government pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:63-1 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40: 69A-1 et seq. provides a procedure for adoption of optional charter plans; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee believes that it is in the best interests of the residents of the Township of Springfield to review the current charter of the Township through the establishment of a five (5) member Charter Commission, which will be charged with the responsibility and be authorized to hold hearings and public forums, to take evidence and to make recommendations in order to determine whether or not, in comparison with other forms of government in this State, the current Township Committee form is the most appropriate for the Township of Springfield.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the following question be placed on the November 6, 2012 General Election ballot pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40: 69A-1 regarding the creation and election of a Charter Commission for consideration by all of the eligible voters of the Township of Springfield:

"SHALL A CHARTER COMMISSION BE ELECTED TO STUDY THE CHARTER OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD AND TO CONSIDER A NEW CHARTER OR IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PRESENT CHARTER AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS THEREON?"

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that:

1. The Charter Commission members shall also be elected at the same time as the public question is submitted.

2. The Township Clerk shall instruct each voter to vote on the question and, regardless of the manner of his or her vote on the question, to vote for five members of a Charter Commission who shall serve if the question is approved.

3. The nomination and election process for the Charter Commission members shall be done in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40:69A-2 through N.J.S.A. 40:69A-4.

4. This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40:69A-1 et seq.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC does hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced for first reading at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, held on Tuesday, May 22, 2012, and that said Ordinance shall be submitted for consideration and final passage at a regular meeting of said Township Committee to be held on June 12, 2012, Springfield Municipal Building at 7 p.m., at which time and place any person or persons interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning said Ordinance. Copy is posted on the bulletin board in the office of the Township Clerk.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
 Township Clerk
 U294725 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$54.88)

MOUNTAINSIDE

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that public hearings will be held by the Planning Board of the Borough of Mountainside, in the Mountainside Municipal Building, 1385 Route 22, Mountainside NJ on Thursday, June 14, 2012 at 7:30 p.m. on the following applications.

Lopez, 144 Birch Hill Road, Block 15.F Lot 18- Applicant proposes to install solar panels onto the roof of a single-

PUBLIC NOTICE

family dwelling. Previously noticed.

Moore, 236 Beechwood Court, Block 3.A, Lot 20.J-Applicant proposed to install solar panels onto the roof of a single-family dwelling. Existing variances include foundation area over 15 percent, lot coverage over 30 percent, lot area within 150 feet, and the driveway in the side yard. A new variance includes the solar panels, which are considered an accessory structure.

Rosenkrantz, 1107 Maple Court, Block 5.Q, Lot 11-Applicants are proposing to construct an addition and renovations on a single-family dwelling. An existing variance includes lot area within 150 feet. New variances include height over 35 feet, lot area under 15,000 square feet, foundation area over 15 percent and lot coverage over 30 percent, where 41.3 percent is proposed.

Wagner, 1545 Long Meadow, Block 3.A, Lot 108- Applicant is proposing to install solar panels onto the roof of a single-family dwelling. Existing variances include lot width under 100 feet, and lot area within 150 feet. A new variance includes the solar panels, which are considered an accessory structure.

Berkow, 278 Knollcrest Road, Block 16.K, Lot 8- Applicants are proposing an addition of a sun porch onto a single-family dwelling. Existing variances include a lot area under 15,000 square, lot coverage over 30 percent, lot area within 150 feet and driveway in the side yard and foundation area over 15 percent. A new variance includes rear yard under 30 feet.

Gillespie Foods, 856-864 Mountain Avenue, Block 19, Lots 2 & 3- Applicants are proposing to install awning banners onto the front of the store. Existing variance include front yard under 5 feet, side yard under 10 feet, the loading area, and insufficient parking. A new variance includes the installation of the proposed banners.

All applications are subject to the Mountainside Land Use Ordinance and bulk variances may be required. If requested by the board, additional variance and waiver relief may be required.

Other issues may be discussed and action may be taken.
 Ruth M. Rees, Secretary
 U294736 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$41.16)

SPRINGFIELD

**TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD,
 NEW JERSEY**

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

TAKE NOTICE THAT ON THE 19 DAY OF JUNE AT 7:30 P.M. A HEARING WILL BE HELD BEFORE THE SPRINGFIELD BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT AT THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 100 MOUNTAIN AVENUE, SPRINGFIELD, NEW JERSEY ON APPLICATION # 2012-8 REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF MICHAEL AND YASMIN TURCO FOR A FENCE AND VARIANCE OR VARIANCES FOR A FENCE AND ANY OTHER VARIANCES THAT MAY BE NECESSARY AS EVIDENCED BY THE PLANS NOW ON FILE OR AS MAY BE MODIFIED AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT SO AS TO PERMIT THIS VARIANCE THIS APPLICATION IS MADE FOR PREMISES LOCATED AT 222 S. SPRINGFIELD AVE., SPRINGFIELD, NEW JERSEY, KNOWN AS BLOCK 1805, LOT(S) 29 ON THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD TAX MAP WHEN THE CALENDAR IS CALLED YOU MAY APPEAR EITHER IN PERSON OR BY AGENT OR ATTORNEY AND PRESENT ANY OBJECTIONS WHICH YOU MAY HAVE TO THE GRANTING OF THIS APPLICATION. ALL PAPERS PERTAINING TO THE APPLICATION MAY BE SEEN IN THE OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER OF THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD LOCATED IN THE ANNEX BUILDING, 20 NORTH TRIVETT AVENUE, SPRINGFIELD, N.J.
MICHAEL TURCO, APPLICANT
 U294674 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$23.03)

SPRINGFIELD

Explanation: This resolution is to award a contract pursuant to public bidding law to M. Sky Construction Corp. for the First Aid Squad/Library Parking Lot Project - Contract No. SP-12-05 (COAF).

**TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD
 RESOLUTION NO. 2012-134**

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS, the Township of Springfield did advertise for and accept bids for the First Aid Squad/Library Parking Lot project (Contract No. SP 12-05); and WHEREAS, pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1, et seq., and upon recommendation of the Assistant Township Engineer, M. Sky Construction Corp. has been determined to be the lowest responsible bidder.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, that a contract is hereby awarded to M. Sky Construction Corp. in the amount of \$61,052.75, for the First Aid Squad/Library Parking Lot project (Contract No. SP 12-05); and that the Mayor and the Clerk of the Township of Springfield are hereby authorized, respectively, to execute and attest to an agreement with M. Sky Construction Corp., pursuant to bid specifications, and in a form approved by the Township Attorney.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township Clerk publish a notice of this action in the official newspaper of the Township within 10 days from the adoption of this Resolution; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a Certificate showing the availability of funds for the Contract authorized hereby has been provided by the Chief Financial Officer and is attached hereto.

TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at a Regular Meeting by the Township Committee, of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, on Tuesday, May 22, 2012.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
 Township Clerk
 U294704 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$29.89)

SPRINGFIELD

Explanation: This resolution is for award of professional services contract to Keller & Kirkpatrick, for design plans, specifications and construction, inspection/administration services for the 2012 Road Improvements Project. (COAF)

**TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD
 RESOLUTION NO. 2012-131**

WHEREAS, the Township of Springfield is in need of contracting for engineering and related services, for the 2012 Road Improvements Project, within the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq., requires a resolution authorizing the award of the contract for professional services without competitive bids and that the contract itself must be available for inspection; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, that the Mayor and the Clerk of the Township of Springfield are hereby authorized, respectively, to execute and attest to an agreement with Keller & Kirkpatrick, Inc., for surveying, engineering, bidding and construction coordination services, at a fee not to exceed \$18,300.00 pursuant to Proposal for Professional Services dated May 4, 2012. This contract is awarded without competitive bidding as a "professional services contract" in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5 (1) (a) (1) of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township Clerk publish a notice of this action in the official newspaper of the Township within 10 days from the adoption of this Resolution; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a Certificate showing the availability of funds for the Contract authorized hereby has been provided by the Chief Financial Officer and is attached hereto.

TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at a Regular Meeting by the Township Committee, of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, on Tuesday, May 22, 2012.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
 Township Clerk
 U294691 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$32.83)

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
 Township Clerk
 U294691 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$32.83)

SUMMIT

CITY OF SUMMIT

Request for Informal Proposal
 Commercial Real Estate/
 Auction Services

CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

Public Notices
on Line
www.njpublicnotices.com
 Your online source for
 public notices in New Jersey

PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Summit is accepting Informal Proposals to obtain professional services from a Commercial Real Estate Marketing/Auction Services firm for the sale of municipal property located at 2 Walnut Street, Summit, NJ. In accordance to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i), the Office of the City Administrator is soliciting proposals from vendors. If interested, please go to the City of Summit website at www.cityofsummit.org for proposal requirements and additional information. Sealed proposals must be submitted to the City Administrator no later than 12:00 PM on Friday, June 22, 2012.

Dated: 5/18/12
May 31, June 7, 2012
U294672 OBS (\$27.44)

SPRINGFIELD

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
CHANCERY DIVISION
UNION COUNTY
DOCKET NO. F-8530-12

NOTICE TO ABSENT DEFENDANTS

STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO: JORGE ADAMES

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to serve upon FEIN, SUCH, KAHN & SHEPARD, plaintiff's attorneys, whose address is 7 Century Drive, Suite 201, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054, telephone number #(973) 538-9300, an Answer to the Complaint and Amended Complaint, if any, filed in a civil action, in which **ONEWEST BANK, FSB** is Plaintiff and **MARIA I. OROZCO, et al.**, are defendants, pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, UNION County and bearing Docket No. F-8530-12 within thirty-five (35) days after 05/31/2012 exclusive of such date, or if published after 05/31/2012, thirty-five (35) days after the actual date of such publication, exclusive of such date. If you fail to do so, Judgment by Default may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. You shall file your answer and proof of service in duplicate with the Clerk of the Superior Court, Hughes Justice Complex, CN-971, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, in accordance with the Rules of Civil Practice and Procedure.

This action has been instituted for the purpose of (1) foreclosing a mortgage dated January 30, 2007 made by **MARIA I. OROZCO** as mortgagor to **MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.** AS NOMINEE FOR **INDYMAC BANK, FSB**, A FEDERALLY CHARTERED SAVINGS BANK recorded on February 16, 2007, in Book 12055 of Mortgages for UNION County, Page 347, et seq. which mortgage was duly assigned to the Plaintiff named above, who is the present holder of said Mortgage, and (2) to recover possession of, and concerns premises commonly known as 2 WARNER AVE., SPRINGFIELD, NJ 07081, Block 404, Lot 4.

If you cannot afford or are unable to obtain an attorney, you may communicate with the Legal Services Office of the County of venue by calling:
UNION COUNTY LAWYER REFERRAL: (908)353-4715
UNION COUNTY LEGAL SERVICES: (908)354-4340

YOU, **JORGE ADAMES** are made party defendant to this foreclosure action because you hold a judgment/lien/mortgage which may be against the owner/mortgagors and for any right, title and interest you may have in, to or against the subject property. Upon request, a copy of the Complaint and Amended Complaint, if any, will be supplied to you for particularity.

Dated: May 23, 2012
File YIND1649

JENNIFER M. PEREZ
Clerk of the Superior
Court of New Jersey

U294669 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$41.16)

SUMMIT

CITY OF SUMMIT
NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT
HEARINGS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Common Council of the City of Summit will meet at the City Hall in the City of Summit on Wednesday evening, June 6, 2012, at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of considering the report and maps of the City Engineer, dated May 8, 2012, with reference to the assessment of lands and real estate benefited by reason of the improvements, as follows:

2008 Pedestrian Safety Project
(Address #175 Springfield Avenue Only)

175 Springfield Avenue in and by the

PUBLIC NOTICE

City, by the construction or reconstruction of sidewalks and curbs, being adjacent to those lands designated on the official tax map of the City as Lot 16, Block 3501, including all structures, appurtenances, equipment, site work, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, and prescribed by Ordinance #09-2858, passed on June 16, 2009.

Woodland Avenue Improvement Project:

A portion of Woodland Avenue from DeForest Avenue to River Road in and by the City, by the construction or reconstruction therein of granite block curbs and concrete sidewalks adjacent to those lands designated on the official tax map of the City as Lots 6 to 9 in Block 1904, Lots 1 and 2 in Block 1905, Lots 13 to 16 in Block 1902, Lots 1 to 11 in Block 2001, Lots 15, 16, 23, 24 and 26 to 30 in Block 1203, Lots 8 to 12 in Block 1202, Lots 23 to 33 and 42 to 44 in Block 1101, Lots 1 to 4 in Block 1103, Lots 5 to 8 in Block 1102, Lots 1 and 30 in Block 304, Lots 1 to 11 in Block 303, Lots 1 and 27 in Block 105, Lots 13 to 24 in Block 301, Lots 1 to 9 in Block 302, Lots 14 to 24 in Block 106 and Lot 1 in Block 901, including all storm water drainage facilities, structures, appurtenances, equipment, site work, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, and prescribed by Ordinance #09-2879, passed on December 1, 2009.

Parkview Terrace Improvement Project
(Includes Clearview Drive, Oaklawn Road & Midland Terrace):

A portion of Parkview Terrace, Midland Terrace, Clearview Drive and Oaklawn Road in and by the City, by the construction or reconstruction therein of granite block curbs adjacent to those lands designated on the official tax map of the City as Lots 1 to 23 in Block 4706, Lots 1 to 10 in Block 4705, Lots 1 to 7 in Block 4708, Lots 1 and 9 to 20 in Block 4704 and Lots 4 to 7 in Block 4601, including all structures, appurtenances, equipment, site work, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, and prescribed by Ordinance #09-2881, passed on December 1, 2009.

New England Avenue Improvement Project:

A portion of New England Avenue from Springfield Avenue to Kent Place Boulevard in and by the City, by the construction or reconstruction therein of granite block curbs and concrete sidewalks adjacent to those lands designated on the official tax map of the City as Lots 2 to 5, 6, 01 to 6, 30 and 7, in Block 1804, Lots 1, 01 to 1, 09, 16, 17, 01 to 17, 07, 18, 01 to 18, 51 and 19, 01 to 19, 07 in Block 1803, Lot 53 in Block 1802, Lot 2 in Block 1306 and Lot 1 in Block 1303, including all storm water drainage facilities, structures, appurtenances, equipment, site work, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, and prescribed by Ordinance #09-2883, passed on December 1, 2009.

Norwood Avenue Improvement Project:

A portion of Norwood Avenue, Crescent Avenue and Sherman Avenue in and by the City, by the construction or reconstruction therein of granite block curbs adjacent to those lands designated on the official tax map of the City as Lot 1 in Block 1901, Lots 1 and 2 in Block 1903, Lot 6 in Block 1902 and Lot 1 in Block 1204, including all structures, appurtenances, equipment, site work, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, and prescribed by Ordinance #10-2916, passed on October 19, 2010.

Beekman Road Improvement Project:

A portion of Beekman Road in and by the City, by the construction or reconstruction therein of granite block curbs and concrete sidewalks adjacent to those lands designated on the official tax map of the City as Lots 2 to 7 in Block 1306, Lots 1 to 14, 16 to 18 and 25 to 42 in Block 1405, Lots 1 to 10 in Block 1701, Lots 3 to 10 and 28 to 34 in Block 1702, Lots 14 to 16 in Block 1703, Lots 1 and 15 in Block 1801 and Lots 47 to 53 in Block 1802, including all storm water drainage facilities, structures, appurtenances, equipment, site work, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, and prescribed by Ordinance #10-2920, passed on November 3, 2010.

Miele Place & Plain Street Improvement Project:

Portions of Miele Place and Plain Street in and by the City, by the construction or reconstruction therein of granite block curbs and concrete sidewalks adjacent to those lands designated on the official tax map of the City as Lots 4 to 27 in Block 402, Lots 1 and 3 to 30 in Block 403 and Lots 13 to 29 in Block 404, including all storm water drainage facilities, structures, appurtenances, equipment, site work, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, and prescribed by Ordinance

PUBLIC NOTICE

#10-2922, passed on November 3, 2010.

Sunset Drive Improvement Project:

A portion of Sunset Drive in and by the City, by the construction or reconstruction therein of granite block curbs and concrete sidewalks adjacent to those lands designated on the official tax map of the City as Lots 28 to 37, 37, 01 and 38 to 46 in Block 2901 and Lots 1 to 18 in Block 2902, including all storm water drainage facilities, structures, appurtenances, equipment, site work, work and materials necessary therefor or incidental thereto, and prescribed by Ordinance #10-2924, passed on November 3, 2010.

Said report and maps are now on file in the office of the City Clerk, and said Common Council will at that time or at any subsequent meeting adopt and confirm said report with or without alteration as it may deem proper.

David L. Hughes, City Clerk
May 24, 31, 2012
U294443 OBS (\$179.34)

SPRINGFIELD

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD,
NEW JERSEY

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

TAKE NOTICE THAT ON THE 19 DAY OF JUNE AT 7:30 P.M. A HEARING WILL BE HELD BEFORE THE SPRINGFIELD BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT AT THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 100 MOUNTAIN AVENUE, SPRINGFIELD, NEW JERSEY ON APPLICATION # 2012-7 REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF MINDY AND RICHARD STRAUSS FOR A VARIANCE OR VARIANCES FOR AN ADDITION

www.njpublicnotices.com

Your online source for
public notices in New Jersey

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE

AND ANY OTHER VARIANCES THAT MAY BE NECESSARY AS EVIDENCED BY THE PLANS NOW ON FILE OR AS MAY BE MODIFIED AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT SO AS TO PERMIT AN ADDITION. THIS APPLICATION IS MADE FOR PREMISES LOCATED AT 22 ANN PLACE, SPRINGFIELD, NEW JERSEY, KNOWN AS BLOCK 3601, LOT 27 ON THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD TAX MAP WHEN THE CALENDAR IS CALLED, YOU MAY APPEAR EITHER IN PERSON OR BY AGENT OR ATTORNEY, AND PRESENT ANY OBJECTIONS WHICH YOU MAY HAVE TO THE GRANTING OF THIS APPLICATION. ALL PAPERS PERTAINING TO THE APPLICATION MAY BE SEEN IN THE OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER OF THE PLANNING BOARD OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD LOCATED IN THE ANNEX BUILDING, 20 NORTH TRIVETT AVENUE, SPRINGFIELD, N.J.

Mindy and Richard Strauss
APPLICANTS
U294667 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$23.03)

SPRINGFIELD

Explanation: This resolution is to award a contract pursuant to public bidding law to Corby Associates for the installation of Playground Equipment at Pool Playground - Contract Number SP 12-06.

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD
RESOLUTION NO. 2012-127

WHEREAS, the Township of Springfield did advertise for the installation of Playground Equipment at Pool Playground - Contract Number SP-12-06; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-7, et seq., and upon recommendation of the Assistant Township Engineer, Corby Associates has been determined to be the lowest responsible bidder; and

PUBLIC NOTICE

SPRINGFIELD

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD
NOTICE OF SALE OF PROPERTY FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AND OTHER MUNICIPAL LIENS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, Mary Jo Walsh, Tax Collector of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, New Jersey, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 54:5-1, et seq., will sell at public auction on Wednesday, June 6, 2012 in the Town Hall at 100 Mountain Avenue, Springfield, New Jersey at 10:00 A.M., the lands hereinafter described. Said properties will be sold subject to redemption at the lowest rate of interest, but not to exceed 18% per annum. Payment for said parcels shall be made prior to the conclusion of the sale in the form of cash, certified check, or money order, or parcels will be resold. Any parcel without a bidder will be sold to the Township of Springfield for 18% per annum. At any time before the sale, the Collector will receive payment of the amount due on any property with interest and costs incurred up to the time of payment by CASH, CERTIFIED CHECK OR MONEY ORDER.

The sale is made pursuant to Chapter 5, Title 54 of the Revised Statutes of the State of New Jersey, as amended, industrial properties may be subject to the Spill Compensation and Control Act (N.J.S.A. 58:10-23, 11 et seq), the Water Pollution Control Act (N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 et seq) and the Industrial Site Recovery Act (N.J.S.A. 13:1K-6 et seq). In addition the township is precluded from issuing a tax sale certificate to any prospective purchaser who is or may be in any way connected to the prior owner or operator of the site. Pursuant to the Soldier and Sailors Civil Relief Act (N.J.S.A. 38:23C-19), this provision applies to the collection of taxes or assessments and provides certain unique relief to those qualifying individuals. In the event the owner of the property is on active duty in the military service, the Tax Collector should be notified immediately. The names shown are as they appear in the tax duplicate, and do not necessarily mean that these parties are the current owners of the properties.

Township of Springfield Tax Sale Notice

Block	Lot	Owner	Location	Amount	
109	12	White, Robert & Dorothy	442 Morris Ave	2,558.78	T
201	16	Molina, G & Christoforeidis, A	70 Morrison Rd	95.58	P
202	12	Behar, Richard & Sheryl	64 Denham Rd	6,198.18	T
205	4	Boschen, Scott	352-364 Morris Ave	6,695.73	T
302	3	Nguyen, Diane	50 Springfield Ave	297.33	B
403	7	Rothspan, Allan & Tirza	14 Alvin Terr	6,826.04	T
504	6	Baltway & Morris Assoc	611 Morris Ave	119.54	T
504	7	Baltway & Morris Assoc	609 Morris Ave	35,869.61	T/B
504	8	631 Broadway Associates	18 Baltusrol Way	222.71	T
505	2	Moresse, Jerry	585 Morris Ave	12,539.60	T/B
505	3	Pacifico, Aldo & Franco	575 Morris Ave	6,815.75	T
609	11	Nacci, Lorenzo & Marilyn	7 Robin Ct	8,878.73	T
609	32, 08	Silvestri, Annette	445 Morris Ave # 8-A	3,126.66	T
					C008A
705	17	Stevens, Don & Jacie	295 Morris Ave	4,596.28	T
807	19	Pacifico, Aldo & Tatiana	60 Garden Oval	2,173.58	T
809	13	Fine, Carina	69 Linden Ave	501.16	S
901	6	Sanchez, Gerardo & Kim	85 Meisel Ave	6,153.30	T
904	24	Paya, W & Calad, A	23 Battle Hill Ave	6,110.83	T
904	32	Chaikin, Jason & Lisa	16 Washington Ave	201.95	T
906	27	Ruocco, William & Filomena	26 Joanne Way	2,713.49	T
1002	1,239	Kelly, Sean	58A Troy Drive	3,349.75	T
					C058A
1104	1	Lanes, Jeffrey	205 Hawthorn Ave	7,003.00	T
1104	18	Moresse, Jerry	211 Hawthorn Ave	9,351.48	T
1304	17	Berger, Neal & Debra	6 Eton Place	7,046.58	T
1305	33	Salvato, V & Gilgar, L	65 Henshaw Ave	9,291.17	T
2701	8	Angelo, Michael	15 Far Hills Rd	5,176.06	T
2702	12	Sloponco, Anthony & Liza	60 Green Hill Rd	4,686.75	T
2802	12	Manto, T R & Danscuk, M&A	122 Kipling Ave	3,812.41	T
2901	49	Haidri, Amirali	202 Hillside Ave	11,954.96	T
2902	13	Wortman, Laura	65 Diven St	5,104.60	T
2902	39	McMillon, Marcia	46 Ruby St	38.59	T
2902	47	Davis, Linda	610 S Springfield Ave	61.65	T
2902	48	Flesch, Patricia	608 S Springfield Ave	279.45	T/P
2902	54	Nelson Springfield Assoc	6 Nelson Place	2,156.60	T
2904	32	Harris, Dorothy	22 Meckes St	5,161.77	T
3001	20	Casas, Antonio & Maria	135 New Brook Lane	15,741.31	T
3003	53	Milto, Judy	2 Kemp Drive	9,704.68	T
3103	7	Frank, Schail & Lourdes	22 Bernadette Ct	10,342.41	T
3103	8	Padovano, Alfred & Diane	26 Bernadette Ct	16,128.74	T
3901	5	Holhill Corp	304 Route 22 West	173,920.76	T/B

U293266 OBS May 10, 17, 24, 31, 2012 (\$411.60)

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, that a contract is hereby awarded to Corby Associates, PO Box 496, 590 Grand Avenue, Ridgefield, NJ, 07657 in the amount of \$18,295.00 for the installation of Playground Equipment at Pool Playground - Contract Number SP-12-06, and that the Mayor and the Clerk of the Township of Springfield are hereby authorized, respectively, to execute and attest to an agreement with Corby Associates pursuant to bid specifications, and in a form approved by the Township Attorney.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township Clerk publish a notice of this action in the official newspaper of the Township within 10 days from the adoption of this Resolution; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a Certificate showing the availability of funds for the Contract authorized hereby has been provided by the Chief Financial Officer and is attached hereto, indicating that the appropriation for the within expenditure is charged to Account Nos. G-02-11-746-000-110 (\$985,71) and G-02-11-750-000-110 (\$17,309.29).

TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at a Regular Meeting by the Township Committee, of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, on Tuesday, May 22, 2012.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
Township Clerk
U294703 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$32.83)

SPRINGFIELD

Explanation: This Resolution authorizes the Township to enter into an agreement with the County for "Union County Commodity Resale System ID#99016-UCCRS for Gasoline and Diesel Fuel."

CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE

**TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD
RESOLUTION NO. 2012-133**

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, has benefited from the five (5) year commodity resale agreement with the County of Union since 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee is desirous of continuing to reap the savings through this advantageous opportunity for the denizens of Springfield.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, that authorization is given to the Mayor and/or Township Administrator and Municipal Clerk to sign the "Union County Commodity Resale System ID#99016-UCCRS for Gasoline and Diesel Fuel" for another five (5) year term.

TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at a Regular Meeting by the Township Committee, of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, on Tuesday, May 22, 2012.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
Township Clerk
U294702 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$21.56)

SPRINGFIELD

Resolution: Authorizes Heating Resource Group (HRG) of Marlton, New Jersey, to perform heating system investigation, design and engineering oversight services in the Municipal Building at 100 Mountain Avenue (COAF).

**TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD
RESOLUTION NO. 2012-128**

Whereas, the Township of Springfield is continuing its energy conservation efforts to reduce energy costs and save energy; and

Whereas, there are problems with uneven heat distribution throughout the municipal building, frequent heating problems and complaints from employees with the heating system; and

Whereas, it has been estimated that 30-50% of natural gas consumption may be reduced by a new, energy efficient, boiler, pumps and related heating equipment; and

Whereas, the Township did seek proposals for heating system investigation, design, and engineering oversight services; and

Whereas, the lowest responsible bid was from HRG, 130 Bortons Road of Marlton, New Jersey 08053 at a cost not to exceed \$15,000 to perform heating system investigation, design and engineering oversight services for the municipal building.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Township of Springfield awards a contract for heating system investigation, design, and engineering oversight services of the municipal building at 100 Mountain Avenue in an amount not to exceed \$15,000.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a Certificate showing the availability of funds for the Contract authorized hereby has been provided by the Chief Financial Officer and is attached hereto, indicating that the appropriation for the within expenditure is charged to Account No. C-04-10-001-000-530.

TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at a Regular Meeting by the Township Committee, of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, on Tuesday, May 22, 2012.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
Township Clerk
U294686 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$32.34)

SPRINGFIELD

Explanation: This resolution awards a professional service contract to Joseph Cappa, Esq., for the services of Rent Leveling Board Attorney.

**SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP
RESOLUTION NO. 2012-126**

WHEREAS, there exists a need for the professional services of Rent Leveling Board Attorney for the Township of Springfield and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq., specifically N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5, permits the award of professional services without public advertisement as defined in N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.7 or competitive bidding, pursuant to the provisions of

PUBLIC NOTICE

SPRINGFIELD

Explanation: This Ordinance amends Chapter XXII entitled, "Parks, Pool and Recreation Areas" by repealing and replacing Sections 27-1.1 through 27-2.4 in their entirety and replacing same with new Sections 27-1.1 through 27-2.7.

**SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP
ORDINANCE 2012-20**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER XXII OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE ENTITLED, "PARKS, POOL AND RECREATION AREAS" BY (I) AMENDING THE TOWNSHIP PARKS OPERATING HOURS, (II) ADDING A DEFINITION SECTION, (III) AMENDING PROHIBITED CONDUCT; AND (IV) AMENDING THE VIOLATIONS AND PENALTY SECTION.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey that Chapter XXII entitled, "Parks, Pool and Recreation Areas" is hereby amended as follows:

SECTION I: Sections 27-1 through 27-2.4 are hereby repealed and replaced in their entirety with the following new language. The remainder for Chapter XXII shall remain unchanged. The new Sections shall read as follows:

CHAPTER XXVII PARKS, POOL AND RECREATIONAL AREAS
27-1 PARK HOURS.

27-1.1 Hours of Closing; Special Permits.

No person or group of persons shall occupy or use any public park or playground or any portion thereof for any purpose between the hours of 10:00 p.m. of each day and sunrise of the following day, except upon prior application for a special permit, upon good cause shown therefor, directly to the Township Committee. The granting of any such permit shall be at the discretion of the Township Committee.

27-1.2 Violations and Penalties.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be liable to the penalty stated in Chapter I, Section 1-5.

27-2 PROHIBITED USES; PERMITS.

27-2.1 Use in Parks Prohibited.

No person shall:

a. Drink, use, or possess any intoxicating beverage while in any municipal public park, area or playground in the Township.

b. Take part in or abet the playing of any games involving throwing or otherwise propelling objects such as balls, stones, arrows, javelins, horseshoes, quoits or model airplanes before 9:00 a.m.

c. For any leagues or organizations, take part in or abet the playing of any games involving thrown or otherwise propelled objects such as balls, stones, arrows, javelins, horseshoes, quoits or model airplanes without a permit issued by the Recreation Department.

d. Bring a dog, cat or other pet, whether leashed or running free, onto any public park or playground or any portion thereof at any time, excluding Green Acres Park on Morris Avenue.

e. Play or practice golfing.

27-2.2 Exceptions.

A permit to do any act prohibited by the provisions of this section, except for subsection 27-2.1d and e may be requested in advance, in writing, upon good cause shown, to the Township Committee, which permit may be granted, in the discretion of the Township Committee, upon such terms and conditions as the Committee may deem applicable. A permit to do any act shall authorize the same only insofar as it may be performed in strict accordance with the terms and conditions thereof. Any violation by its holder or the holder's agents or employees of any terms or conditions thereof shall constitute grounds for its revocation by the Committee or by its authorized representative, whose action therein shall be final. The holder of such permit, together with the holder's agents and employees, shall be jointly and severally liable to the Township for all damages and loss sustained by the Township. Neither the recovery or collection of such damage shall in any manner relieve such holder or person from liability to punishment for any violation of any provision of this section.

27-2.3 Standards and Procedures.

Permits for events as stated in subsection 27-2.1 shall be obtained by application to the Department of Recreation in accordance with the following procedures:

PUBLIC NOTICE

a. A person seeking issuance of a permit hereunder shall file an application with the Department of Recreation in accordance with the following procedures:

1. The name and address of the applicant.

2. The name and address of the person, persons, corporation or association sponsoring that activity, if any.

3. The day and hours for which the permit is desired.

4. The park or portion thereof for which the permit is desired.

5. Any other information which the Department of Recreation shall find reasonably necessary for a fair determination as to whether a permit should be issued.

b. Standard for issuance of a use permit by the Department of Recreation includes the following standards:

1. That the proposed activity or use of the park will not unreasonably interfere with or detract from the general public enjoyment of the park.

2. That the proposed activities and use will not unreasonably interfere or detract from the promotion of public health, wealth or safety in recreation.

3. That the proposed activity or uses that are reasonably anticipated will not include violence, crime or disorderly conduct.

4. That the proposed activity will not entail an extraordinary burdensome expense or policing by the Township.

5. That the facilities desired have not been reserved for another use on that date and hour requested in the application.

c. An application shall be made to the Recreation Department during normal business hours, one (1) day in advance of the proposed use. Permits shall be issued on a first-come basis.

d. Any person, league or organization which has obtained a valid permit shall have paramount rights to use the park or portion thereof for the activity, day and hour for which the permit is issued, and all activity which interferes with the operation of the valid permit shall yield to the permit holder.

27-2.4 Issuance or Denial of Permits; Appeals.

The Department of Recreation shall apprise an applicant, in writing, of its reason for refusing a permit, and any aggrieved person or organization shall have a right to appeal to the Township Committee by service of a written notice thereof on the Director of Recreation and the Township Clerk within five (5) days of the refusal. The decision of the Township Committee shall be final.

CHAPTER XXVII PARKS, POOL AND RECREATIONAL AREAS

27-1 Definitions

As used in this Chapter:

Enforcement Officer shall mean any officer of the Springfield Township Police Department, Springfield Township Auxiliary Police, Director of Recreation or recreation employee or park staff.

Park facilities shall mean any Township park or playground.

Impermissible Conduct shall mean behavior that is not permitted at a recreation facility.

Impermissible Uses shall mean activities prohibited at a recreation facility.

Nudity shall mean a naked or unclothed person.

Public Indecency shall mean the deliberate exposure of in public or in view of the general public by a person of a portion or portions of his or her body, in circumstances where the exposure is contrary to local moral or other standards of appropriate behavior.

Recreation Facilities shall mean all land, improvements and equipment owned by the Township of Springfield used for active and passive recreation activities.

Wheeled motorized vehicle shall mean a self-propelled vehicle or machine which rolls on wheels. This definition does not include mowers, trucks, maintenance vehicles owned, leased and operated by the Township.

27-1.2 Park Hours.

A. **Hours of Closing; Special Permits.**
No person or group of persons shall occupy or use any public park or playground or any portion thereof for any purpose between the hours of (i) 7:00 pm to sunrise from November 1 through March 31 and (ii) 9:00 pm to sunrise from April 1 through October 31, except upon prior application for a special permit, upon good cause shown therefor, directly to the Township Committee. The granting of any such permit shall be at the discretion of the Township Committee. The parks

PUBLIC NOTICE

operating hours are not applicable to Township's lighted baseball fields. Use of the Township's tennis courts and/or basketball courts shall not exceed a two (2) hour limit.

27-2 PROHIBITED USES; PERMITS.

27-2.1 Rules of Conduct

No person shall:

a. Take part in or abet the playing of any games involving throwing or otherwise propelling objects such as balls, stones, arrows, javelins, horseshoes, quoits or model airplanes before 9:00 a.m.

b. For any leagues or organizations, take part in or abet the playing of any games involving thrown or otherwise propelled objects such as balls, stones, arrows, javelins, horseshoes, quoits or model airplanes without a permit issued by the Recreation Department.

c. Bring a dog, cat or other pet, whether leashed or running free, onto any public park or playground or any portion thereof at any time.

d. Play or practice golfing.

e. Engage in fighting or violent behavior.

f. Spit, urinate or defecate except in designated facilities.

g. Litter.

h. Exhibit public nudity or public indecency.

i. Use threatening or obscene language.

j. Alter or adjust any fence, play surface or piece of gym equipment (including but not limited to playground equipment or basketball rims) without the prior written approval of the Township of Springfield.

k. Smoke.

l. Possess a firearm or knife.

m. Build fires.

n. Possess any type of glass container.

o. Use any type of artificial illumination for any Township field or recreation facility without the prior approval of the Township of Springfield.

p. Operate any type of motorized vehicle except on driveways or parking lots without the prior approval of the Township of Springfield.

q. For-profit entities are strictly prohibited from using the Township's fields, basketball courts and tennis courts.

27-2.2 Exceptions.

Exceptions will be considered in subsection 27-2.1 only for subsections (a), (b), (c) and (p) may be requested in advance, in writing, upon good cause shown, to the Director of Recreation. A permit to do any act shall authorize the same only insofar as it may be performed in strict accordance with the terms and conditions thereof. Any violation by its holder or the holder's agents or employees of any terms or conditions thereof shall constitute grounds for its revocation by the Director of Recreation or his/her authorized representative, whose action therein shall be final. The holder of such permit, together with the holder's agents and employees, who violates such terms and conditions, shall be jointly and severally liable to the Township for all damages and loss sustained by the Township. Neither the recovery or collection of such damage shall in any manner relieve such holder or person from liability to punishment for any violation of any provision of this section.

27-2.3 Permitting Procedures.

Permits for events as stated in subsection 27-2.1(a) and (b) shall be obtained by application to the Department of Recreation in accordance with the following procedures:

1. A person seeking issuance of a permit hereunder shall file an application with the Department of Recreation and provide the following information:

1. The name and address of the applicant.

2. The name and address of the person, persons, corporation or association sponsoring that activity, if any.

3. The day and hours for which the permit is desired.

4. The park or portion thereof for which the permit is desired.

5. Any other information which the Department of Recreation shall find reasonably necessary for a fair determination as to whether a permit should be issued.

b. Standards of review for permitting application by the Department of Recreation.

1. That the proposed activity or use of the park will not unreasonably interfere with or detract from the general public enjoyment of the park.

2. That the proposed activities and use will not unreasonably interfere or detract from the promotion of public

PUBLIC NOTICE

health, wealth or safety in recreation.

3. That the proposed activity or uses that are reasonably anticipated will not include violence, crime or disorderly conduct.

4. That the proposed activity will not entail an extraordinary burdensome expense or policing by the Township.

5. That the facilities desired have not been reserved for another use on that date and hour requested in the application.

c. An application shall be made to the Recreation Department during normal business hours, three (3) days in advance of the proposed use. Permits shall be issued on a first-come basis.

d. Any person, league or organization which has obtained a valid permit shall have paramount rights to use the park or portion thereof for the activity, day and hour for which the permit is issued, and all activity which interferes with the operation of the valid permit shall yield to the permit holder.

27-2.4 Issuance or Denial of Permits; Appeals.

The Department of Recreation shall apprise an applicant, in writing, of its reason for refusing a permit, and any aggrieved person or organization shall have a right to appeal to the Township Administrator by service of a written notice thereof on the Director of Recreation and the Township Clerk within five (5) days of the refusal. The decision of the Township Administrator shall be final.

27-2.6 Expulsion from Recreational Facilities

If an enforcement officer determines that a person has violated Section 2-1 above, he or she may:

A) First Offense: Cause the offender to be removed from all recreation facilities for the balance of the day on which the violation occurred and for two (2) additional days immediately following the date of the First Offense.

B) Second Offense: Cause the offender to be removed from all recreation facilities for the balance of the day on which the violation occurred and for five (5) additional days immediately following the date of the Second Offense.

C) Third Offense: Cause the offender to be removed from all recreation facilities for the balance of the day on which the violation occurred and issue to such offender a Notice of Trespass prohibiting the offender from entering the recreation facility for the balance of the calendar year in which the Third Offense occurred.

27-2.7 Violations and Penalties.

In addition to the offender being removed from the recreation facility as described in Section 27-2.6, any person violating any of the provisions of Section 2-1 shall, upon conviction thereof, be liable to the monetary penalties provided for in Section 1-5 of the Township Code.

SECTION II. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed as to said inconsistencies and conflicts.

Specifically, the fees set forth in this Ordinance shall supersede the fees currently set forth in the Township Code.

SECTION III. If any section, part of any section, or clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the remaining provisions of this Ordinance, and each section and subsection thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more of the subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases may be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

SECTION IV. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication according to law.

Linda M. Donnelly, does hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced for first reading at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, held on Tuesday, May 22, 2012, and that said Ordinance shall be submitted for consideration and final passage at a regular meeting of said Township Committee to be held on June 12, 2012, Springfield Municipal Building at 7 p.m., at which time and place any person or persons interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning said Ordinance. Copy is posted on the bulletin board in the office of the Township Clerk.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
Township Clerk
U294713 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$231.28)

www.njpublicnotices.com
Your online source for
public notices in New Jersey

PUBLIC NOTICE

HILLSIDE
TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE
PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance has been introduced on first reading at a meeting of the Township Council held Tuesday evening, May 22, 2012 and will be considered for adoption at a meeting of the Township Council to be held at the Municipal Building, Liberty and Hillside Avenues on June 12, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be considered. All persons interested will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning such ordinance.

A copy of this ordinance has been posted in the bulletin board upon which public notices are customarily posted in the Township of Hillside and a copy is available up to and including the time of said meeting to the members of the general public of the Township who shall request same, at the Township Clerk's Office, Liberty and Hillside Avenues, Hillside New Jersey.

By Direction of the Township Council
Janet Vlaisavljevic, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE
COUNTY OF UNION STATE OF
NEW JERSEY

Ordinance Number -0-12-012

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE TO INCLUDE A NEW CHAPTER 262 ("SOURCE SEPARATION AND RECYCLING").

WHEREAS, there exists a need to supplement the Township Code's provisions governing the collection, disposal and recycling of solid waste and recyclable materials in order to ensure compliance with the State of New Jersey's standards governing recycling; and

WHEREAS, upon the recommendations of the Township of Hillside's Director of Public Works, the Union County Recycling Coordinator, and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, the Township has developed standards aimed at attaining compliance with State law and regulation, increasing the Township's recycling rates and providing for effective recycling enforcement; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Hillside's Superintendent of Public Works recommends adoption of the changes set forth herein below.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Hillside in the County of Union and State of New Jersey that the Township of Hillside Code (the "Code") is hereby amended to add a new Chapter 262 ("Source Separation and Recycling") as follows:

1. A new Chapter 262 ("Source Separation and Recycling") is hereby added to the Township Code, which shall read:

Chapter 262. Source Separation and Recycling

§ 262-1. Definitions. As used in this Chapter, the following terms shall have the definitions set forth herein below.

Commercial and Institutional Premises - means retail, wholesale, restaurants, taverns, schools, institutions - including government, warehouses, construction sites, factories, offices, etc., but specifically excludes Fairs, Parks, Concerts, and other Temporary Outdoor Events;

Commingled - means a combining of non-putrescible source-separated recyclable materials for the purpose of recycling;

Covered Electronic Device - shall constitute a subset of electronic waste which shall include only the following: a computer central processing unit of a laptop computer or desktop computer, a cathode ray tube, a cathode ray tube device, a flat panel display or similar video display device with a screen that is greater than 4 inches measured diagonally and that contains one or more circuit boards, including a television, and cell phones.

Designated Recyclable Materials - means those materials designated below that shall be source separated for the purpose of recycling. These materials include:

A. Designated Materials for Residential Waste Generators:

- Aluminum, tin, steel
- Corrugated cardboard;

PUBLIC NOTICE

- Glass Containers
- Grass, Brush, Leaves
- Household Batteries
- Leaves
- Mixed Paper
- Motor Oil
- Motor Oil Filters
- Newspaper
- Office Paper
- Plastic Containers (#1 & #2)
- Tires
- Vehicle Batteries
- White Goods (air conditioners, refrigerators)
- Wood
- Universal Waste

B. Designated Materials For Commercial, Institutional and Industrial Waste Generators:

- Aluminum, tin, & steel
- Computers and Peripherals
- Corrugated Cardboard
- Fluorescent bulbs
- Glass Containers
- Grass, Brush, Leaves
- Leaves
- Mixed Paper
- Masonry (asphalt, brick, block, concrete)
- Motor Oil
- Motor Oil Filters
- Newspaper
- Office Paper
- Plastic Containers (#1 & #2)
- Tires
- Vehicle Batteries
- White Goods (air conditioners, refrigerators)
- Wood
- Universal Waste

Electronic Waste - shall mean a computer central processing unit ("CPU") and associated hardware including keyboards, modems, printers, scanners and fax machines; a cathode ray tube, a cathode ray tube device, a flat panel display or similar video display device with a screen that is greater than 4 inches measured diagonally and that contains one or more circuit boards, including a television, and cell phones;

Solid Waste - shall have the meaning given to it in Chapter 261 "Solid Waste", at §261-1, to the extent it is not inconsistent with the definition of Designated Recyclable Material set forth above.

Multifamily Dwelling - means any building or structure, or complex of buildings in which three or more dwelling units are owner-occupied or rented or leased, or offered for rental or lease, for residential purposes (see N.J.S.A. 13:1E-99.13a.) and shall include hotels, motels, or other guest houses serving transient or seasonal guests as those terms are defined under subsection (j) of section 3 of the "Hotel and Multiple Dwelling Law," P.L. 1967, c. 76 (C.55:13A-1 et seq.).

Municipality - means the Township of Hillside, New Jersey.

Municipal Recycling Coordinator - means the person or persons appointed by the Township Council and who shall be authorized to, among other things, enforce the provisions of this Ordinance, and any rules and regulations which may be promulgated hereunder;

Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) Stream - means all solid waste generated at residential, commercial, and institutional establishments within the boundaries of the Township of Hillside

Recyclable Material - means those materials which would otherwise become solid waste, and which may be collected, separated, or processed and returned to the economic mainstream in the form of raw materials or products;

Source-separated Recyclable Materials - means recyclable materials which are separated at the point of generation by the generator thereof from solid waste for the purposes of recycling, (including, where applicable, universal waste);

Source Separation - means the process by which recyclable materials are separated at the point of generation by the generator thereof from solid waste for the purposes of recycling;

Universal Waste - shall mean a specific hazardous waste stream that has been designated by EPA or those waste streams identified in the New Jersey Universal Waste Rule (N.J.A.C. 7:26A-7). Only the following materials may be managed as universal waste:

- Rechargeable batteries and button cell batteries;
- Mercury containing equipment, including thermometers and thermostats;
- Pesticides;
- Fluorescent lamps (light bulbs);
- Electronic waste; and
- Oil-based paints and finishes.

§ 262-2. Source Separation Exemption from Source Separation Requirements

A. Mandatory source separation: It shall be mandatory for all persons

PUBLIC NOTICE

who are owners, tenants, or occupants of residential and non-residential premises, which shall include but not be limited to retail and other commercial premises, as well as government, schools and other institutional premises within the Township of Hillside, to separate designated recyclable materials from all solid waste. Designated recyclable materials shall be deposited separate and apart from other solid waste generated by the owners, tenants, or occupants of such premises and shall be placed separately at the curb or other designated location(s) in a manner and on such days and times as may be hereinafter established by regulations promulgated by the Township of Hillside.

B. Exemptions: Certain persons occupying commercial or institutional premises (hereinafter also referred to as a commercial/institutional generator) within the Township of Hillside may obtain an exemption from the source separation requirements contained within this Chapter if they demonstrate that they meet the specified exemption criteria. To be eligible for an exemption pursuant to this Chapter, a commercial or institutional generator of solid waste shall file an application for exemption with the Municipal Recycling Coordinator on forms to be provided for this purpose. The form shall include, at a minimum, the following information: the name of the occupant of the commercial or institutional premises; the street address location and lot and block designation upon which the premises is located; the name, official title and phone number of the person making application on behalf of the occupant of the commercial or institutional premises; the name, address, official contact person and telephone number of the facility which provides the recycling services provider for the applicant's designated recyclable materials; a certification of the applicant indicating that 1) the applicant's designated recyclable materials will be recycled, and 2) on no less than an annual basis, said recycling services provider or commercial/institutional generator shall provide written documentation to the Municipal Recycling Coordinator of the total number of tons collected and recycled for each designated material.

§ 262-3. Collection of Recyclable Materials

The collection of recyclable material shall be in the manner prescribed as follows:

A. All containers and brown paper bags containing recyclable materials shall be placed, prior to collection, between the curb and the sidewalk, or in the absence of curb and sidewalk, as near to the street as not to constitute a danger, where such receptacles shall be readily accessible to the collector without providing obstruction to pedestrians. The owner or occupant of the premises shall keep all receptacles clean and in safe handling condition. Receptacles or other items to be disposed of shall be placed as noted above anytime after 6:00 PM of the day immediately preceding the day of collection, but no later than 6:00 AM of the day of collection. After collection, any containers shall be removed from the curbside by no later than 7:00 PM of the day of collection.

B. All receptacles and dumpsters shall be maintained in accordance with this Chapter and with §261-7 and §261-25 of the Township Code.

§ 262-4. Residential Dwelling Compliance Requirements

A. The owner of every residential property shall be responsible for compliance with this Ordinance. Citizens are responsible for 1) source separating all designated recyclable materials according to this ordinance and 2) delivering all designated recyclable materials to the Township of Hillside's collection system (including curbside collection and the Township's Electronic Waste drop-off center and used motor oil drop off center). All designated recyclable materials must be source separated. No designated recyclable materials are permitted to be placed in or mixed with garbage put out for garbage collection. No garbage is permitted to be placed in or mixed with recyclable materials which are placed in the Township of Hillside's recyclables collection system.

B. For multifamily unit residential dwellings, the owner and manager are jointly responsible for the following:

(1) Establishing and maintaining a recycling system for the premises. Ensuring that recycling is carried out on the premises in compliance with the requirements of this ordinance. The property owner/manager is responsible for setting up and maintaining the recycling system. The

PUBLIC NOTICE

property owner/manager is responsible for receiving and responding to Warnings, Notices of Violation, and Penalty Assessments and for correcting violations. The property owner/manager will be expected to correct violations promptly and to make necessary direct contacts with residents.

(2) The recycling system must provide for all designated recyclables in the residential waste stream. The recycling system may utilize separate containers for each recyclable material or it may provide for two or more materials to be placed in one container provided that the recycling transporter can collect commingled materials. Containers must be clearly marked and the area neatly maintained. Container capacity must be adequate to hold the amount of materials generated between pick-ups. It must be clear to an inspector that the system is being serviced.

(3) Ensuring that the system is being used properly by employees and tenants. There must not be garbage in the recycling containers or recyclables in the garbage containers. The property owner/manager is responsible for resolving problems which may arise from the improper use of containers and for training employees and tenants to properly understand and use the recycling system.

(4) Written notification of recycling collection rules ("Notice") shall be issued by the owner/manager to new tenants on or prior to the initial date of occupancy and to all residents on a quarterly basis. Copies of the quarterly Notice, or other proof of distribution of the Notice, must be provided to the Municipal Recycling Coordinator at the time of each quarterly Notice mailing or distribution, but not later than two (2) weeks after the first day of each calendar year quarter (January 1st, April 1st, July 1st, October 1st).

(5) In the event that the property owner/manager chooses not to utilize the Township's curbside recyclables collection program, then the property owner/manager is responsible for arranging to have recyclables collected by a properly registered recycling transporter and for resolving any problems with the transporter of recyclables. In addition, a property owner/manager choosing to utilize its own recycling transporter shall comply with the following:

(a) The property owner/manager must arrange to obtain sufficient documentation from the recyclables transporter in order to report the actual tonnages of materials recycled at the subject property at least once per year. The property owner/manager may also satisfy this requirement by arranging to have the recyclables transporter provide such documentation directly to the municipality. In the event the owner/manager arranges for the transporter to report directly to the municipality, the owner/manager remains obligated to maintain documentation demonstrating that its obligations to report annual tonnages have been satisfied and to alert the Recycling Coordinator as to such arrangement. In the event the municipality provides recyclables collection service to the subject property, annual tonnage reporting and proofs are not required to be made or maintained under this section.

(b) Single/Dual Stream Recycling: multi-family dwelling property owners/managers may opt to collect recyclables in a single stream or dual stream (fiber, commingled) provided the receiving facility has the ability to separate and maximize the capture rate of the designated recyclables.

§ 262-5. Commercial Premises, Institutional Premises and Construction Site Compliance Requirements

A. The owner/operator of commercial or institutional premises or, in the case of a construction site, the contractor, (hereinafter referred to within this section as the "responsible party"), shall ensure that a recycling system is established and that it is operated in compliance with the requirements of this ordinance. The responsible party shall set up and maintain an on-site recycling system. The responsible party is responsible for receiving and responding to Warnings, Notices of Violation, and Penalty Assessments and for correcting violations promptly. For purposes of this section, in the event the identity of the contractor can not be determined, then the owner of the property shall be deemed the responsible party.

B. The recycling system must be established and maintained so that it is conveniently accessible to users. The recycling system must provide for the recycling of all designated recyclables in the commercial/institutional waste stream. The recycling system

PUBLIC NOTICE

may utilize separate containers for each recyclable material or it may provide for two or more materials to be placed in one container provided the recyclables transporter can take the materials commingled. Containers must be clearly marked and the area neatly maintained. Container capacity must be adequate to hold the amount of materials generated between pick-ups. It must be clear to the inspector that the system is being serviced.

C. The responsible party must ensure that the recycling system is being used properly by employees, customers and tenants. There must not be garbage in the recycling containers or recyclables in the garbage containers. The responsible party shall instruct all employees, tenants, and customers as to the obligation to use, and the methods for using, the recycling system. The responsible party shall resolve all problems which may arise from the use, or failure to use the recycling system.

D. If tenants, customers or employees are involved in the waste disposal process (i.e. fast food stores or company cafeteria), the recycling system must take this participation into account and provide for ready recycling of appropriate materials, and the responsible party shall furnish adequate written notice to tenants, customers and employees as to their respective responsibilities.

E. The responsible party shall arrange for recyclables to be removed from the premises and for assuring that such materials ultimately enter the recyclables market. The responsible party shall arrange to have recyclables collected by a properly registered recycling transporter and shall resolve any problems with the transporter of recyclables.

F. The responsible party shall arrange to obtain documentation from the applicable recyclables transporter(s) sufficient to report the actual tonnages of materials recycled from the subject premises at least once per year. The tonnage report shall be filed with the Recycling Coordinator no later than March 1st of each year for the preceding years recycling tonnages. The responsible party may satisfy this requirement by arranging to have the recyclables transporter(s) provide such documentation directly to the municipality. In the event the responsible party arranges for the transporter to report directly to the municipality, the responsible party remains obligated to maintain documentation demonstrating that its obligations to report annual tonnages have been satisfied and to alert the Recycling Coordinator as to such arrangement. In the event the municipality provides recyclables collection service to the subject property, annual tonnage reporting and proofs are not required to be made or maintained under this section.

G. Single/Dual Stream Recycling: Commercial and Institutional establishments may opt to collect their recyclables in a single stream or dual stream (fiber, commingled) provided the receiving facility has the ability to separate and maximize the capture rate of the designated recyclables.

H. Recycling Containers: Commercial and Institutional establishments that have outdoor garbage containers for their customers must also have outdoor recycling containers. There must be sufficient recycling containers for any mandated recyclables in the commercial/institutional waste stream.

I. All schools must provide written notice at the beginning of each school year, to all students, teachers, and other staff on the recycling requirements. The notice must contain a contact number to call if they observe any problems associated with recycling or if recycling is not properly occurring.

J. Single stream recycling of mixed classes of construction recyclables: So long as the practice is permitted by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP), Construction/Demolition sites may opt to collect all recyclables in one container provided there are no other non-recyclable materials (including solid waste) in that container. To qualify for this provision, recyclables must be transported to a Recycling Facility or Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) that is properly permitted by the NJDEP and has certified that they have the ability to separate out and maximize the capture rate of the mandated materials. The specific materials that may be commingled together will be determined by the provisions in the receiving Facility's permit or other formal operating approval. Only MRF's that have entered into an Agreement with the Union County

(Continued on Next Page)

PUBLIC NOTICE

N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4; and; WHEREAS, Joseph Cappa, Esq., has completed and submitted a Business Entity Disclosure Certification which certifies that Joseph Cappa, Esq. has not made any reportable contributions to a political or candidate committee of the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield in the previous year, and that the Contract will prohibit Joseph Cappa, Esq., from making any reportable contributions for the term of said Contract, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, this Contract was not awarded through a "fair and open process" pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee believes it to be in the best interest of the Township to enter into a Professional Services Contract with Joseph Cappa, Esq.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, and State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute the attached Contract for Professional Services with Joseph Cappa, Esq., to provide the professional services of Rent Leveling Board Attorney for the Township of Springfield for calendar year 2012 at a stipend for such services of \$250 per month, payable upon the receipt of a voucher to the CFO of the Township.

2. This Contract is awarded without competitive bidding as a "professional service" under the provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law, more specifically N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5, which permits such work to be performed without advertising for bids.

3. A Certificate showing the availability of funds for the Contract authorized hereby shall be provided by the Chief Financial Officer and is attached hereto and made a part hereof, indicating that the appropriation for the within expenditure is charged to Account No. 2-01-21-187-000-270.

4. The Business Disclosure Entity Certification shall be placed on file with this Resolution.

5. A notice of this action shall be printed in the official newspapers required by law within ten (10) days of the adoption of this Resolution.

6. In addition to the above, the Attorney for the rent leveling board shall be afforded a secretary/assistant. The position of secretary/assistant is a part time position having a term for a period of time not to exceed one year. The annual stipend for this position is \$2000.00. For the year ended December 31, 2012, the position of secretary/assistant is awarded to William Ruocco. The appropriation for the expenditure is charged to Account No. 2-01-21-187-000-201 and a Certificate of available funds is attached hereto.

7. TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at a Regular Meeting by the Township Committee, of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, on Tuesday, May 22, 2012.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
Township Clerk
U294694 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$53.90)

SPRINGFIELD

EXPLANATION: This Ordinance amends Section 7-12, entitled, "Municipal Park Permit" by establishing a permitting process for Township businesses and amends Section 7-38 entitled, "Public Parking Lots and Hourly Fee Parking" by designating the number of metered spaces in Lot # 3.

**SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP
ORDINANCE 2012-18**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 7-12 ENTITLED, "MUNICIPAL PARK PERMIT" BY ESTABLISHING A PERMITTING PROCESS FOR TOWNSHIP BUSINESSES AND AMENDS SECTION 7-38 ENTITLED, "PUBLIC PARKING LOTS AND HOURLY FEE PARKING" BY DESIGNATING THE NUMBER OF METERED SPACES IN LOT #3.

BE IT ORDERED by the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey that Chapter VII entitled, "Traffic" is hereby amended as follows:

SECTION I. Section 7-12, entitled, "Municipal Park Permit" is hereby amended by adding subparagraph (h.) regarding business parking permits. The new amendment shall read as follows:

7-12 MUNICIPAL PARKING PERMIT

a. An application for a permit provid-

PUBLIC NOTICE

ing parking at any permit parking space within the Township may be filed with the Police Records Bureau by presentation of proof of a currently valid New Jersey driver's license; the payment of a fee as set forth hereafter; a completed application; and a motor vehicle registration certificate and current automobile liability insurance card for the vehicle to which the permit is to be affixed except as set forth in subparagraph (h.) below. The fee shall be due in full for the entire permit period, notwithstanding that a portion of the period may have expired; fees shall not be prorated. Permits may be obtained for a full year, beginning on the first of February, or for a three (3) month period beginning on the first of February, May, August or November. A senior permit will be available to any person sixty-two (62) years of age or older at the time of application, upon appropriate proof.

b. There shall be a maximum of 110 total permits issued at any given time.

c. In the event that an application for a permit is denied by the Police Special Services/Traffic Unit, the denial shall be communicated in writing to the applicant who shall have the right, within ten (10) days of the receipt of the denial, to appeal the denial to the Township Committee (unless the denial is due to the maximum number of permits having previously been issued, which denial is not appealable). Notice of the appeal shall be made in writing, and addressed to the Township Clerk. Within thirty (30) days after receipt of the notice of appeal, the Township Committee shall schedule a hearing for action on the appeal. Failure of the Township Committee to act within thirty (30) days of the notice of appeal shall be deemed to be affirmation of the denial and the applicant may thereafter proceed with any available legal means of appeal.

d. A permit shall be affixed to the vehicle as follows:

1. On vehicles with a rear window, on the outside surface at the lower left so that it can be read by a person standing outside the vehicle.

2. On vehicles without a rear window, on the outside surface of the rearmost left-hand side window at the lower right-hand corner so that it can be read by a person standing outside the vehicle.

3. All permits must be removed from the vehicle upon expiration. Only current valid permits may be affixed to a vehicle.

e. A valid permit is: a parking permit issued in accordance with this section; affixed by its own self-adhesive on the vehicle to which it is originally issued, as indicated on the permit application; clearly legible and unobscured. The permit application shall be retained in the course of business as a record of the Township. No person shall transfer, loan or sell a parking permit and no person shall knowingly permit the transfer, loaning or sale of a parking permit.

f. **Penalty.** Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be subject to a fine of not less than ten (\$10.00) dollars nor more than fifty (\$50.00) dollars or, in default of the payment of the fine, imprisonment for a period not exceeding ten (10) days, neither otherwise stated.

g. Permit fees shall be as follows:

Standard permit fee: Yearly \$ 300.00

Quarterly 75.00

Senior permit fee: Yearly 200.00

Quarterly 50.00

Non-resident permit fee:

Yearly 400.00

Quarterly 100.00

h. The Township may offer business parking permits to business located within the Township in order to provide adequate parking for its employees. These permits shall be issued based upon the availability of parking spaces and the needs of the employer. These permits shall be made available at the annual fee of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars and may be transferable amongst employees as set forth in the policy established by the Township Administrator in cooperation with the Springfield Police Department.

SECTION II. Section 7-38 entitled, "Public Parking Lots and Hourly Fee Parking" is hereby amended by amending subsection 7-38.3(d) entitled, "Regulation of Municipal Lots" by designating eight (8) metered spots in Lot #3. The remainder of Section 7-38 shall remain unchanged. The amendment shall read as follows:

7-38 PUBLIC PARKING LOTS AND HOURLY FEE PARKING.

7-38.1 On Street Hourly Fee Parking.

The streets and avenues specified are hereby designated and established as hourly fee parking zones.

Name of Street Days Hours Time Limit

Sides RESERVED

No parking space shall be established

PUBLIC NOTICE

in any location that standing or parking therein would infringe upon or violate the provisions of N.J.S.A. 39:4-138.

7-38.2 Designation of Municipal Parking Lots

a. Municipal Parking Lot No. 1 is hereby designated as the municipally owned property located between the easterly side of Center Street, the northerly side of Hannah Street and the westerly side of Mountain Avenue, being known and designated on the Tax Map as Block 707, Lot 1. Parking spaces therein shall be numbered sequentially beginning with 001 and running through 199, as needed.

b. Municipal Parking Lot No. 2 (commonly known as Duffy's Corner) is hereby designated as the municipally owned property located on the north side of Morris Avenue, opposite Caldwell Place, being known and designated on the Tax Map as Block 206, Lot 6. Parking spaces therein shall be numbered sequentially beginning with 201 and running through 299, as needed.

c. Municipal Parking Lot No. 3 is hereby designated as the municipally owned property located on the northwest corner of the intersection of

PUBLIC NOTICE

HILLSIDE

**TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE
PUBLIC NOTICE**

Ordinance 0-12-012
Continuation from page 34

Utilities Authority are permitted to lawfully accept recyclable construction materials generated from within the Township of Hillside. The Union County Utilities Authority maintains a list of such MRF facilities.

K. All food service establishments, as defined in the Health Code, shall, in addition to compliance with all other recycling requirements, be required to recycle grease and/or cooking oil created in the processing of food or food products, and maintain such records as may be prescribed, for inspection by any code enforcement officer. All food service establishments, in addition to the reporting requirements contained within the Township Code at §253-45(B) governing the reporting of grease and cooking oil use, treatment and disposal, shall report to the Township Recycling Coordinator for the subject quarter the following information: the amount of grease and cooking oil recycled, and the name, address, phone number and contact person for each recycling entity or entities collecting their grease and/or oil. The required reports shall be due on the fifteenth day of January, April, July and October of each year.

VI. Compliance Requirements for Fairs, Parks, Concerts, Street Festivals, and other Outdoor Events

A. For each outdoor event, the event organizer, property owner and operator of the location at which such an event takes place (hereinafter referred to within this section VI as the "responsible parties"), are jointly responsible for providing a recycling system that is operated in compliance with the requirements of this municipal ordinance.

B. The recycling system must provide for the collection of any mandated recyclables generated at the event in appropriate containers. It must be clear to an inspector that the system is being serviced. Containers must be clearly marked and the area neatly maintained. There must not be garbage in the recycling containers or recyclables in the garbage containers. Container capacity must be adequate to hold materials between pick-ups. There must be sufficient recycling containers for any mandated recyclables generated at the event.

C. The responsible parties for the event location are jointly responsible for arranging for recyclables to be removed from the premises and for ensuring that they are taken to an approved recyclables market. The owner/operator/contractor may make arrangements to deliver the recyclables to the municipal collection system (drop-off center or curbside collection) if permitted by the municipality. Otherwise, the responsible parties are jointly responsible for arranging to have recyclables collected and transported and for resolving any problems with the transporter of the recyclables.

D. The recycling system must be made accessible and available to all patrons, customers, and employees. Notices/signs must be provided to ensure all are aware of their responsibilities.

E. The responsible parties are joint-

PUBLIC NOTICE

Church Mall and Morris Avenue, being known and designated on the Tax Map as Block 207, Lot 2. Parking spaces therein shall be numbered sequentially beginning with 301 and running through 399, as needed.

7-38.3 Regulation of Municipal Parking Lots

a. General regulations.

1. No person shall park any vehicle longer than [two (2)] three (3) successive hours and they shall pay hourly parking fees during the time parked, except as otherwise set forth herein between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., except Sundays or legal holidays, except for vehicles displaying a valid parking permit issued by the Township.

2. No parking is permitted between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 5:00 a.m., except for vehicles displaying a valid parking permit issued by the Township.

3. Parking during the hours of 6:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. and 5:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. shall be free and shall not be time limited.

4. **Commercial Activities.** It shall be a violation of this section for any person to cause or permit the transaction of any commercial business within or upon any

PUBLIC NOTICE

ly responsible for obtaining pertinent documentation in order to report, and shall report to the Recycling Coordinator, the tonnages of materials recycled at least once per year or else they must arrange to have the collector provide that documentation directly to the Recycling Coordinator.

F. The recycling system may utilize separate containers for each recyclable material or it may provide for two or more materials to be placed in one container. The responsible parties may opt to collect recyclables in a single stream or dual stream (fiber, commingled) provided the receiving facility has the ability to separate and maximize the capture rate of the designated recyclables.

VII. New Developments of Multi-Family Residential Units or Commercial, Institutional, or Industrial Properties (Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 13:1E-99.13(a) and 99.16(c)).

A. Any application to the Hillside Township Planning Board for subdivision or site plan approval for the construction of multi-family dwellings of three or more units, single-family developments of 50 or more units, or any commercial, institutional, or industrial development proposal for the utilization of 1,000 square feet or more of land, must include a recycling plan. This plan must contain, at a minimum, the following:

(1) A detailed analysis of the expected composition and amounts of solid waste and recyclables generated at the proposed development; and

(2) Locations documented on the application's site plan that provide for convenient recycling opportunities for all owners, tenants, and occupants. The recycling area shall be of sufficient size, convenient location and contain other attributes (signage, lighting, fencing, etc.) as may be determined by the Municipal Recycling Coordinator.

B. Prior to the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy by the Township of Hillside, the owner of any new multi-family housing or commercial, institutional, or industrial development must supply a copy of a duly executed contract with a hauling company for the purposes of collection and recycling of source-separated recyclable materials, in those instances where the municipality does not otherwise provide this service.

C. Provision shall be made for the indoor, or enclosed outdoor, storage and pickup of solid waste, to be approved by the municipal engineer.

VIII. Prohibition of the Collection of Solid Waste Mixed with Recyclable Materials

A. It shall be unlawful for solid waste collectors to collect solid waste that is mixed with, or contains visible signs of, designated recyclable materials. It is also unlawful for solid waste collectors to remove for disposal those bags or containers of solid waste which visibly display a warning notice sticker or some other device indicating that the bag or container contains designated recyclable materials.

B. It shall be the responsibility of the resident or occupant to properly segregate the uncollected solid waste for proper disposal or recycling. Allowing such non-separated solid waste and recyclables to accumulate will be considered a violation of this article and the local sanitary code.

C. Once placed in the location identified by this Ordinance, or any rules or regulations promulgated pursuant

PUBLIC NOTICE

municipal parking lot. Any person violating the provisions of this paragraph shall be subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars.

5. **Senior Citizen Parking.** Residents of Springfield Township, sixty-two (62) years of age and up, may obtain monthly, a one (1) day parking pass, to park in Lot 2 (Duffy's Corner) or Lot 3 (Church Mall). The parking pass is valid only for the date issued, allocated to one per household and must be obtained seventy-two (72) hours prior to the requested date of use. Parking shall be allocated to Permit Only parking spaces. Residents seeking such a pass must present a valid driver's license and registration to the Township Clerk's office.

b. **Lot 1 regulations.** There shall be 31 (thirty one) parking spaces located along the easterly side of the Lot, adjoining Mountain Avenue, designated as Permit Only parking, and shall be numbered P108 through P138. All remaining spaces shall be hourly park-

CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

PUBLIC NOTICE

to this Ordinance, no person, other than those authorized by the municipality, shall tamper with, collect, remove, or otherwise handle designated recyclable materials.

IX. Enforcement
The Public Works Department Code Enforcement Official, the Department of Health, the Building Department Code Enforcement Officials, the Police Department, the Union County Office of Health Management and the Union County Utilities Authority are hereby empowered to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance. An inspection may consist of, but is not limited to, sorting through bags and other containers to detect the presence of solid waste and/or any recyclable materials.

X. Violations and Penalties
Any person or entity that violates or fails to comply with any provision of this Ordinance or any of the rules and regulations promulgated hereunder shall, upon conviction thereof, be punishable by a fine not less than \$25, nor more than \$2000, for a first offense and by a fine not less than \$50, nor more than \$2000, for a second and subsequent offenses. In addition to a mandatory fine, violators may also be subject to a period of community service of not less than 5 days but not to exceed 90 days. Each day for which a violation of this Ordinance occurs shall be considered a separate offense.

Fines levied and collected by the Township pursuant to the provisions of this Ordinance shall be immediately deposited into a Municipal Recycling Trust Fund which Fund is hereby authorized to be, and shall be, established by the Township's Chief Financial Officer for the purposes expressed herein. Monies in the Municipal Recycling Trust Fund shall be used for the expenses of the municipal recycling program, including but not limited to the employment of enforcement officers, equipment, and other employees necessary to discharge the Township's obligations to abide by and enforce this ordinance.

2. **Severability.** Each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase of this Ordinance is declared to be an independent section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase. If any portion of this Ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstances, shall be adjudged or otherwise determined to be invalid, unconstitutional, void, or ineffective for any cause or reason, such determination shall not affect the remaining provisions of this Ordinance, and the application of such remaining provisions shall not be affected thereby and shall remain in full force and effect, and to this end, the provisions of this Ordinance are severable.

3. This Ordinance is not meant to repeal any provisions of the Code other than those designated herein, but to add to its requirements, and all Ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are repealed only to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict.

This Ordinance shall take effect 20 days after final passage and publication as provided by law.
U294657 UNL May 31, 2012 (\$449.33)

www.njpublicnotices.com
Your online source for public notices in New Jersey

PUBLIC NOTICE

ing.
c. Lot 2 regulations. There shall be 45 (forty-five) spaces designated as Permit Only parking, which shall be numbered P219 through P263. All remaining spaces shall be hourly parking.
d. Lot 3 regulations. [All spaces shall be designated as Permit Only parking and numbered with a prefix of "P".] There shall be 13 (thirteen) spaces designated as Permit Only parking, which shall be numbered P316 through P328. In addition, there shall be eight (8) spaces designated as hourly parking which shall be numbered 308 through 315. Permit Only parking, parking fees and time limits shall not apply on Saturdays.

7-38.4 Parking Fee Regulations

a. All persons parking in an on street hourly parking zone or in a municipal parking lot hourly parking space during designated hours shall pay a fee of one (\$1.00) dollar for each hour of parking.
b. It shall be unlawful and a violation of the provisions of this section for a vehicle to remain in an hourly parking space beyond the time period paid for or beyond any stated time limit even if paid for.
c. It shall be unlawful to place into or cause to be placed into any parking fee collection device any slug, device, or metallic substitute for a coin, any counterfeit or fake dollar bill, or in any other manner to fraudulently pay required fees.
d. It shall be unlawful for any person to tamper with, open, willfully break or destroy any parking fee collection device.
e. Penalty. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be subject to a fine of not less than ten (\$10.00) dollars nor more than fifty (\$50.00) dollars or, in default of the payment of the fine, imprisonment for a period not exceeding ten (10) days,

PUBLIC NOTICE

unless otherwise stated.

SECTION III. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed as to said inconsistencies and conflicts. Specifically, the fees set forth in this Ordinance shall supersede the fees currently set forth in the Township Code.
SECTION IV. If any section, part of any section, or clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the remaining provisions of this Ordinance, and each section and subsection thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more of the subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases may be declared unconstitutional or invalid.
SECTION V. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication according to law.

Linda M. Donnelly, does hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced for first reading at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, held on Tuesday, May 22, 2012, and that said Ordinance shall be submitted for consideration and final passage at a regular meeting of said Township Committee to be held on June 12, 2012, Springfield Municipal Building at 7 p.m., at which time and place any person or persons interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning said Ordinance. Copy is posted on the bulletin board in the office of the Township Clerk.

Linda M. Donnelly, RMC
Township Clerk
U294706 OBS May 31, 2012 (\$171.01)

www.njpublicnotices.com

Your online source for public notices in New Jersey

PUBLIC NOTICE

CLARK

PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT, the following action was adopted at the Public Meeting of the Clark Planning Board, held on May 3, 2012: The application of Weida, LLC, was granted approval for preliminary and final major site plan approval for the property located at 1084 Raritan Road, Block 60, Lots 61 and 62, Clark, New Jersey, to construct an outpatient surgical center.
The file papers for the above decision

PUBLIC NOTICE

are available at the Clark Township Building Department, 430 Westfield Avenue, Clark, New Jersey, for public review during 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

FINK ROSNER
ERSHOW-LEVENBERG, LLC

Stanley Fink, Esq.
Attorneys for Applicant
U294729 EAG May 31, 2012 (\$13.72)

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE

HILLSIDE

CY 2012 Municipal Budget

TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE, COUNTY OF UNION

FOR THE CALANDAR YEAR ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 2012

Revenue and Appropriation Summaries

Summary of Revenues - Current Fund	Anticipated	
	CY 2012	TY 2011
1. Surplus	2,100,000.00	572,000.00
2. Total Miscellaneous Revenues	10,325,721.12	5,403,374.97
3. Receipts from Delinquent Taxes	1,946,083.00	1,100,000.00
4. Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	28,652,501.92	14,930,282.28
5. Minimum Library Tax	617,597.08	0.00
Total General Revenues	43,641,903.12	22,005,657.25

Summary of Appropriations - Current Fund	Anticipated	
	CY 2012	TY 2011
1. Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages	16,906,722.00	9,152,900.00
Other Expenses	17,380,222.12	8,856,504.46
2. Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations	4,439,443.00	887,362.79
3. Capital Improvements	60,000.00	30,000.00
4. Debt Service	1,255,516.00	1,278,890.00
5. Judgments	0.00	0.00
6. Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	3,600,000.00	1,800,000.00
Total General Appropriations	43,641,903.12	22,005,657.25
Total Number of Employees - Full & Part Time	291	291

CY 2012 Dedicated Swim Pool Utility Budget

Summary of Revenues	Anticipated	
	CY 2012	TY 2011
1. Operating Surplus	29,525.00	
2. Miscellaneous Revenues	106,000.00	100,700.00
2. Deficit (General Budget)	0.00	0.00
Total Revenues	135,525.00	100,700.00

Summary of Appropriations	Anticipated	
	CY 2012	TY 2011
1. Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages	80,250.00	68,700.00
Other Expenses	40,450.00	21,000.00
4. Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations	14,825.00	11,000.00
Total Appropriations	135,525.00	100,700.00
Total Number of Employees - Full & Part Time	15	15

Balance of Outstanding Debt -December 31,2011

	General	Swim Pool Utility
Principal - Notes	2,412,000.00	0.00
Principal-Bonds	1,593,000.00	0.00
Principal-Loans	837,871.00	0.00
Outstanding Balance	4,842,871.00	0.00

Notice is hereby given that the budget and tax resolution was approved by the Township Council of the Township of Hillside, County of Union on May 8th, 2012.

A hearing on the budget and tax resolution will be held at the Municipal Building, Liberty and Hillside Avenues, Hillside, New Jersey, on June 12th, 2012, at 7:00 o'clock (PM) at which time and place objections to the Budget and Tax Resolution for the year 2012 may be presented by taxpayers or other interested persons.

Copies of the budget are available in the office of Janet Vlasisajevic, Township Clerk, at the Municipal Building, Liberty and Hillside Avenues, Hillside, New Jersey, 07205, (973) 926-3000, during the hours of 9:00 (A.M.) to 4:30 (P.M.).
U294636 UNL May 31, 2012 (\$864.00)

Never Clean Your Gutters Again®

Call Now For A FREE Estimate!
(877) 366-0907



NJ HIC #13/H043/H800 © 2012 Lechnor Corporation 1152 Route 10, Unit D, Randolph, NJ 07869

-Virginia Seaside Lots-

Spectacular 3+ acre estate lots in the most exclusive development on the seaside (the mainland) overlooking Chincoteague Bay, islands and ocean beyond. Gated entrance, caretaker, private paved roads, community pier, boat ramp, pool and club house which includes 2 bdrm. guest suites for property owners. Great climate, fishing, clamming and National Seashore beaches nearby. Just 30 miles south of Ocean City, Md. Absolute buy of a lifetime, recent bank sale makes these lots available at 1/3 original price! Priced at only \$49,000 to \$65,000.

For more info call (757) 824-5284

or email: oceanlandtrust@yahoo.com

website with pictures: www.corbinhall.com

Union
County

Classified

**Call (908)
686-7850**

ORDER YOUR AD

Call Daily
Monday through Friday 9:00 AM - 5 PM
and our Classified Consultant
will help to create your ad.

Use your computer
Day or Night - 24/7
localsource.coolerads.com

FAX or MAIL

Worrall Community Newspapers
P.O. Box 1596
Union, NJ 07083

FAX 908-686-4169

DISTRIBUTION

UNION COUNTY TOWNS
Union, Kenilworth, Roselle Park, Hillside,
Linden, Roselle, Rahway, Elizabeth,
Clark, Granford,
Summit, Springfield, and Mountainside

ESSEX COUNTY TOWNS
Maplewood, South Orange, West Orange,
East Orange, Orange, Irvington,
Vailsburg, Nutley, Belleville,
Bloomfield and Glen Ridge

RATES

20 words or less \$20.00 per insertion
Additional 10 words.....\$6.00 per insertion
Contract Rates Available

COMBO - BEST BUY

Ask about our 2 county combo rate and
save \$\$\$. All classified ads appear online
without additional charges

**ADD A PHOTO - 1x1" Only \$8.00
TO YOUR AD**

DEADLINES

In-column 2:30 PM Tuesday
Display - Space reservation 5 PM Friday
Ad Copy 12 noon Monday
Business Directory 4 PM Thursday

ADJUSTMENTS

Adjustments: We make every effort to avoid
mistakes in your classified advertisement. Please
check your ad the first day it runs! We cannot be
responsible beyond the first insertion. Should an
error occur please notify the classified department.
Worrall Community Newspapers, Inc. reserves the
right to reject, revise or reclassify any advertisement
at any time.

CHARGE IT

All classified ads require prepayment.
Please have your card handy when you call..



**SEE YOUR AD
ON THE INTERNET**

E-Mail your ad to us at
class@thelocalsource.com

localsource.coolerads.com

OR

Fax: your ad to us at
or 908-686-4169

BONUS

All Help Wanted Employment ads
include a fax or email link allowing applicants
to apply by responding online. Resumes can
be sent as attachments.

GARAGE SALES

30 words \$31.00
Garage Sale signs, price stickers, balloons,
helpful hints, inventory sheet and
Rain Insurance available.

ADS ONLINE

CoolerAds 24/7 at
localsource.coolerads.com
No cost for items priced under \$100.00. Limit one item per ad for 20 words,
and two ads per customer per week. Heading must be Miscellaneous (745).
NO PHONED IN ADS WILL QUALIFY.

AUTOMOTIVE

One low price to advertise - 10 weeks
20 words for \$39.00
No word changes permitted
Add a photo for \$8.00

Let Us Help You With Our
AUTO SPECIAL



20 words - 10 WEEKS of Exposure including LocalSource.com for \$39⁰⁰ in
UNION County or 10 WEEKS of Exposure for \$59⁰⁰ in UNION & ESSEX County

LOCAL JOB SEARCH

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED

ATTENTION Experienced Reefer Drivers:
GREAT PAY/Freight Lanes from Presque
Isle, ME. Boston-Leigh, PA. 1-800-277-
0212 or www.primeinc.com

CEO, FULL/ TIME Permanent Position in
Union, NJ. Responsible for planning,
organizing, directing & overseeing co.
activities in target market of IT-enabled
medical office practice management &
billing systems & electronic health
records. Bachelor's degree in Engg or
related field (or foreign equiv. deg) + 5
years progressive post-baccalaureate
experience in job offered or related occu-
pation(s) in the field of medical office doc
management systems, such as manage-
ment consultant or executive in charge of
client projects, or related position(s); or
Master's degree in Engg or related field
(or foreign equiv deg) + 3 years of such
experience. Significant business travel
may be required. Resumes to HumanRe-
sources@DMBI.com or DMBI, Inc., Attn.
Ankur Patel, President, 2222 Morris Ave,
2nd Fl, Union, NJ 07083. No calls, please.

CAREGIVER- To care for elderly. Part
time. Light housekeeping, some cooking.
Romanian Language is a plus. Call 973-
661-4105, leave message.

DRIVERS Flexible overtime, Full or Part-
time. Modern Trucks. Local Orientation.
Quarterly Safety Bonus. Single Source
Dispatch. Requires 3 months recent expe-
rience. 800-414-9569
www.driveknight.com

HELP WANTED

DRIVERS SIGN-ON Bonus \$2000 -
\$7500 Solo & Teams. 1 year OTR CDL-A-
Hazmat. Up to .513. 877-628-3748
www.driveNCTrans.com

EXPERIENCED DRIVERS - Great Home
Time! Regional LTL Opportunities avail-
able in Burlington, NJ. Earn up to \$1100
or more per week. Plenty of Miles!
www.driveffe.com 855-780-8011

MEDICAL BILLING STAFF, PART-TIME,
And FRONT DESK PART-TIME. Two
positions, across from St. Barnabas in
private medical office. Must be experi-
enced. Will train. Fax resume 973-669-
0805 or call 973-669-5800

HELP WANTED

MAKE A DIFFERENCE...WORK CLOSE TO HOME!
EARN TOP RATES \$\$

Don't miss your opportunity!

Throughout Northern NJ

- Bilingual a +
- All Shifts Available
- Weekends Only OK
- Must have reliable transportation
- Drivers Preferred
- Paid Vacation
- Live-in Work Available
- Refer-a-friend bonus



Call or visit the office nearest you:

Weehawken: 4100 Park Ave, Weehawken, NJ • 201-865-1777
Fort Lee: 2125 Center Ave, Suite 207, Ft Lee, NJ • 201-461-9595
W. Orange: 59 Main St, Suite 300, W. Orange, NJ • 973-325-3040
Scotch Plains: 1801 E. 2nd St, Lower Lvl, Scotch Plns, NJ • 908-322-8883

PREMIER
home health care services, inc.

METROPOLITAN
home health care of new jersey

EOE

AUTOMOTIVE

AUTO FOR SALE

2002- KIA RIO, 4 door, AM/FM radio, A/C,
42,500 miles. \$2,000 or best offer. Call
908-486-2691.

AUTOS WANTED

CASH FOR CARS! Any Make, Model or
Year. We Pay MORE! Running or Not. Sell
Your Car or Truck TODAY. Free Towing!
Instant Offer: 1-888-545-8647

DONATE YOUR VEHICLE. Receive
\$1000 Grocery Coupons. United Breast
Cancer Foundation. Free Mammograms,
Breast Cancer Info www.ubcf.info FREE
Towing, Tax Deductible, Non-Runners
Accepted. 1-800-728-0801

DONATE YOUR CAR, Truck or Boat to
Heritage for the Blind. Free 3 Day Vac-
ation, Tax Deductible, Free Towing, All
Paperwork Taken Care Of. 888-438-1090

HONDA, TOYOTA, NISSANS, SUV'S and
Jeeps. All vehicles WANTED. 2001 AND
up. Top cash paid. 24 hour. CASH Pick-
up. Any condition 732-496-1633

BOATS

34' 2005 Silverton Flybridge Convertible.
Twin 8.1 Crusader Engines, 130 hrs,
7.5 kw Kohler generator, GPS, Radar,
Many extras. 150k Firm. No Brokers. Con-
tact Brian 267-250-1322

BOATS

38' 2006 SILVERTON FLYBRIDGE CON-
VERTIBLE. Twin 425hp Crusader
Engines. 106 hours. 10kw Kohler gener-
ator. GPS, Radar, many extras. Boat like
new. Qualified buyers only. \$185,000. Call
Bob 609-737-9214.

TRUCKS FOR SALE

2006 FORD F150 STX, 4-wheel drive,
AM/FM radio with CD player, burglar
alarm, auto remote start, bedliner, 4.6V8
engine, 9,210 miles. Asking \$16,000 or
best offer. Call 908-688-5013

\$ Let Us Help You \$

AUTO SPECIAL

20 Words - \$39.00
Price Includes Repeating your
Ad nine times if necessary and
a listing on the internet.

For More Information
Please Call Classified at
908-686-7850

\$ \$

HELP WANTED

MAINTENANCE WORKER- City of Summit NJ -Full time Maintenance -Experience & knowledge of interior & exterior building maintenance, including plumbing & carpentry required. Highly motivated individual able to work independently. Must possess HS Diploma or equivalent, possess or have ability to obtain valid NJ CDL Class B with in 4 months of hire. Duties include responding to weather related emergencies. Salary range: \$45,872 - \$59,643. Applications available at www.cityofsummit.org. Apply with resume and/or completed application to: summitdcs@cityofsummit.org; fax 908-608-1214, or mail to Department of Community Services, 512 Springfield Avenue, Summit, NJ 07901. Deadline 6/4/12. EOE.

NEW TO TRUCKING?

Your career starts now! • \$0 Tuition Cost • No Credit Check • Great Pay & Benefits. Short employment commitment required. Call: 866-447-5413 www.joinCRST.com

PARKING ATTENDANT PART-TIME. N.J. Driver's license required with a clean record. All shifts, must work Saturday. Call 973-376-4140 between 11am-6pm

RECYCLING ENFORCEMENT CLERK-The Borough of Roselle Park is accepting applications for a part time seasonal employee not to exceed 20 (twenty) hours per week, 6am-10am. Send cover letter, resume, and references to: Donna Corrigan, Recycling Coordinator, 110 East Westfield Avenue, Roselle Park. Roselle Park is an equal opportunity employer.

PUZZLE APPEARS IN OUR A&E SECTION



SUDOKU

PUZZLE APPEARS IN OUR A&E SECTION

ANSWER:

2	3	1	9	5	7	4	8	6
4	5	8	2	6	3	9	7	1
9	7	6	8	4	1	5	2	3
3	8	7	6	9	5	1	4	2
1	4	9	7	2	8	3	6	5
6	2	5	3	1	4	8	9	7
7	1	3	4	8	2	6	5	9
8	9	2	5	3	6	7	1	4
5	6	4	1	7	9	2	3	8

HELP WANTED

Township of Hillside
Part time Confidential Administrative Assistant

Responsible, energetic individual wanted to perform a variety of sensitive administrative duties. Must have excellent writing skills and be familiar with MS Word, Excel and Outlook. Education and/or experience in management or business administration or related area preferred. Must pass thorough background investigation, medical and psychological examination.

Please submit resume and cover letter to: Chief of Police
Hillside Police Department
Municipal Building
Hillside, New Jersey 07205

THE TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE is seeking to hire a total of eight (8) individuals for a summer youth employment program for the Hillside department of public works, ages 16 to 18 for a period of nine (9) weeks, July 2nd through August 31, 2012, thirty (30) hours per week at a salary of \$10.00 per hour. Applications for the positions will be accepted beginning June 4, 2012 and ending on June 15, 2012. All applicants will be subject to a background check. All applicants must be a resident of the Township of Hillside. Please submit applications to the Township Clerk's office, 1409 Liberty Ave, Hillside, NJ 07205. The Township of Hillside is an equal opportunity employer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SOCIAL SECURITY DISABILITY BENEFITS. WIN or Pay Nothing! Start Your Application In Under 60 Seconds. Call Today! Contact Disability Group, Inc. Licensed Attorneys & BBB Accredited. Call 866-970-8473.

THE GEORGE MARGITICH
RUSSIAN MALE CHAMBER
CHORUS,

Presents Concerts Of Russian Orthodox Sacred Music, Or A Combined Concert Of Sacred And Secular Music. Currently We Are Auditioning For First And Second Tenors, Baritones And Basses. (It is not necessary to know Russian. We provide the music in phonetics.) Interested Singers, Please E-mail George Margitich at EPCGM@AOL.COM, or Andrew Miketzuk at AMIKETZUK@AOL.COM. Visit Our Website: WWW.GEORGEMARGITICHRUSSAIN-MALECHORUS.COM

INSTRUCTION

INSTRUCTION

ATTEND COLLEGE Online from Home. *Medical, *Business, *Criminal Justice. Job placement assistance. Computer available. Financial Aid if qualified. SCHEV certified. Call 800-488-0386 www.CenturaOnline.com

AIRLINES ARE HIRING- Train for hands on Aviation Maintenance Career. FAA approved program. Financial aid if qualified- Housing available. CALL Aviation Institute of Maintenance (877)818-0783

INSTRUCTION

AIRLINES ARE HIRING- Train for hands on Aviation Maintenance Career. FAA approved program. Financial aid if qualified- Housing available. CALL Aviation Institute of Maintenance (877)818-0783

MISCELLANEOUS

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

100 Percent Guaranteed Omaha Steaks - SAVE 65 percent on the Family Value Collection. NOW ONLY \$49.99 Plus 3 FREE GIFTS & right-to-the-door delivery in a reusable cooler. ORDER Today. 1-888-697-3965 or www.OmahaSteaks.com/family02, use code 45069NVJ

DISH Network. Starting at \$19.99/month PLUS 30 Premium Movie Channels FREE for 3 Months! SAVE! & Ask About SAME DAY installation! CALL -877-992-1237

MANTIS DELUXE TILLER. NEW! Fast-Start engine. Ships FREE. One-Year Money-Back Guarantee when you buy DIRECT. Call for the DVD and FREE Good Soil book! 866-969-1041

OrganoGold - Organic coffee, green tea, and more. The healthier beverages place your order now Revolutionarycoffee.organoGold.com or call B.Holmes 888-951-4441

ESTATE/HOUSE SALE

SPRINGFIELD- 589 MOUNTAIN AVENUE. Friday, Saturday, June 1,2, 9am-4pm. Partial contents of Summer House at Martha's Vineyard. Rattan and other furniture, excellent quality. Lamps, Rugs, Dishes, Baskets, numerous other items.

WANTED TO BUY

ANTIQUES & OLDER FURNITURE,
Dining Rooms • Bedrooms,
Breakfronts • Secretaries, Etc.
Call Bill
973-586-4804

AAAA LIONEL, American Flyer, Ives and other trains and old toys. Collector pays highest cash prices. 973-334-8709, 201-404-8030.

CASH FOR COINS! Buying All Gold and Silver. Also Stamps and Paper Money, Entire Collections, Estates. Travel to your home. Call Marc in NJ 1-800-488-4175

WANTED UNEXPIRED DIABETIC TEST STRIPS. Up to \$26/ box. Pre-paid Shipping Labels. Hablamos Espanol. Call 1-800-267-9895 www.SellDiabeticstrips.com

SERVICES OFFERED

DRIVEWAYS

B. HIRTH PAVING Residential/Commercial • Asphalt Work • Parking Areas • Sealing Resurfacing • Curbing. Truck & Backhoe Rental. Free Estimates, Fully Insured. All Year Service, serving Union County and Vicinity. Call 7 Days A Week. 908-789-9508 908-687-0614.

DRIVEWAYS

PATERNO PAVING
Driveways - Parking Lots
Coat Sealing, Concrete Sidewalks, All Type Curbs, Paving Blocks.
Free Estimates Fully Insured
908-245-6162 or 908-245-0459

ELECTRICIANS

ABLE ELECTRIC
"If it's electric, we do it!"
Interior and Exterior, Lighting,
Repairs, New Construction,
Free Estimates
Call 908-688-2089 Lic. #11500

FENCING

TOM'S FENCING
- ALL TYPES
NEW AND REPAIRS
SMALL JOBS WELCOME
LICENSED FREE ESTIMATES
30 YEARS EXPERIENCE.
CALL: 908-272-5692

FINANCING

CREDIT CARD DEBT? LEGALLY HAVE IT REMOVED! Need a Minimum \$7,000 in debt to qualify. Utilize Consumer Protection Attorneys. Call now 1-866-652-7630 for help.

EVER CONSIDER A Reverse Mortgage? At least 62 years old? Stay in your home & increase cash flow! Safe & Effective! Call Now for your FREE DVD! Call Now 866-967-9407

SOCIAL SECURITY DISABILITY BENEFITS. WIN or Pay Nothing! Start Your Application In Under 60 seconds. Call Today! Contact Disability Group, Inc. Licensed Attorneys & BBB Accredited. Call 877-865-0180

GUTTERS LEADERS

TED'S GUTTERS
GUTTER TOPPERS
All Types -
Roof Repairs
Underground Drain Expert
973-472-8660
201-674-8305

HANDYMAN

OVER 30 YEARS
Mr. Reliable HANDYMAN
YES.... We Can Do, That Job!
908-462-4755,
INSURED. Lic # 13VH00147700.

HEALTH & FITNESS

ATTENTION DIABETICS with Medicare. Get a FREE Talking Meter and diabetic testing supplies at NO COST, plus FREE home delivery! Best of all, this meter eliminates painful finger pricking! Call 888-903-6658.

HEALTH & FITNESS

ATTENTION SLEEP APNEA SUFFERERS with Medicare. Get Free CPAP Replacement Supplies at No Cost, Plus Free home delivery! Best of all, prevent red skin sores and bacterial infection! Call 866-993-5043.

ATTENTION JOINT & Muscle Pain Sufferers: Clinically proven all-natural supplement helps reduce pain and enhance mobility. Call 888-474-8936 to try Hydraxflexin RISK-FREE for 90 days

CANADA DRUG CENTER is your choice for safe and affordable medications. Our licensed Canadian mail order pharmacy will provide you with savings of up to 90 percent on all your medication needs. Call Today 888-459-9961 for \$25.00 off your first prescription and free shipping.

DIABETES/CHOLESTEROL/Weight Loss. Bergamonte, a Natural Product for Cholesterol, Blood Sugar and Weight. Physician recommended, backed by Human Clinical Studies with amazing results. Call today and save 15% off your first bottle! 888-470-5390

WERE YOU IMPLANTED WITH A ST. JUDE RIATA DEFIBRILLATOR LEAD WIRE between June 2001 and December 2010? Have you had this lead replaced, capped or did you receive shocks from the lead? You may be entitled to compensation. Call Attorney Charles Johnson 1-800-535-5727

HEATING

QUALITY AIR Conditioning & Heating, Inc. Gas, steam, hot water and hot air heat. Humidifiers, circulators, zone valves, air cleaners. Call 973-467-0553, Springfield, NJ

HOME IMPROVEMENTS

PLAZA HOME IMPROVEMENTS

Siding • Windows • Roofing
Kitchens • Bathrooms • Basements
Extensions • Concrete • Masonry
Free Estimates • 100% Finance
No Down Payment • Fully Insured
Reference Available
• NJ License #13VH04875400
1-800-735-6134

TOBEN HOME IMPROVEMENT - Remodeling, Carpentry, Tile, Repairs & Installation. 908-591-3670. Free Estimates, Fully Insured. Lic# 13VH01639200.

ADVERTISE TODAY!

CLASSIFIED ADS
GET RESULTS!
CALL US AT

908-686-7850

Donate Your Car!

Personalized Songs for Sick Children



Free Towing • Any Condition
24 Hr P/U • Tax-Deductible

Seen on:

31E
NBC

TODAY

Se Habla
Espanol

SONGS
LOVE.
The Medicine of Music™
www.songslove.org



1-888-909-7664

LANDSCAPING

ANTONE LANDSCAPING

Residential & Commercial

- Weekly Maintenance
- New Lawns • Seed or Sod
- New Plantings • Shrubs/Trees
- Certified Pesticide Applicator
- Professional Service

Free Estimates, Fully Insured.
973-467-0127.

D'ONOFRIO & SON

Complete Landscape Service
Spring/ Fall Clean-up
Lawn Maintenance, Shrubbery
Design/ Planting, Mulching, Chemical
Applications, Tree Removal
Fully insured/Licensed,
13VH03673500
Free Estimates

973-763-8911

EJS LANDSCAPING

- Spring Clean-ups
- Weekly Lawn Service
- Bush Trimming
- Small Tree Work

Please Call 908-247-8386

Green Acres

LANDSCAPING / CONSTRUCTION
Masonry, Irrigation, Paving, Seed-
ing, Mulch Patios, Complete Lawn
Maintenance & Much More
Fully Insured Senior Citizen Discount
NJ Lic#13VH03679800

908-966-4876

www.greenacrescon.com

J & C LANDSCAPING
Affordable, Reliable

- Lawn Maintenance
- Clean up • Planting
- Snow Plowing

Serving Union, Springfield
Millburn, Short Hills, Maplewood
South Orange, Livingston
Call today for an estimate!!

862-485-5055

J & K SERVICES

- Property Maintenance
- Lawn Maintenance
- Yard Clean-up
- Auto Detailing

908-451-3828

MISCELLANEOUS

ADVERTISE YOUR product or service nationwide or by region in up to 12 million households in North America's best suburbs! Place your classified ad in over 750 suburban newspapers just like this one. Call 908-686-7850 or email us at class@thelocalsource.com

ATTEND COLLEGE online from Home. *Medical, *Business, *Criminal Justice, *Hospitality. Job Placement Assistance. Computer available. Financial Aid if qualified. SCHEV certified. Call 888-220-5975. www.CenturaOnline.com

AIRLINES ARE HIRING. Train for hands on Aviation Career. FAA approved program. Financial aid if qualified. Job placement assistance. Call Aviation Institute of Maintenance. 877-564-4204

AT&T U-Verse for just \$29.99/month! Save when you bundle Internet+Phone+TV and get up to \$300 Back! (Select plans). Limited Time Call Now! 866-944-0810.

DISH Network. Starting at \$19.99/month PLUS 30 Premium Movie Channels FREE for 3 Months! SAVE! & Ask About SAME DAY Installation! Call 1-866-944-6135.

MISCELLANEOUS

HELP WANTED!! Extra income! Mailing Brochures from home! Free supplies! Genuine opportunity! No experience required. Start immediately!
www.theworkinghub.com

MY COMPUTER WORKS

Computer problems? Viruses, spyware, email, printer issues, bad internet connections - FIX IT NOW! Professional, U.S. - based technicians. \$25 off service. Call for immediate help. 1-888-904-1215

STOP PAYING too much for TV! Satellite is CHEAPER than Cable! Packages for \$19.99/month-FREE Movies, Free upgrades & FREE HD: Limited offer- Call Now! 800-371-7386

SAVE on Cable TV-Internet-Digital Phone. Packages start at \$89.99/month (for 12 months). Options from ALL major service providers. Call Acceller today to learn more! CALL 1-877-736-7087

MOVING/STORAGE

KANGAROO MEN

All types of moving and hauling. Problem solving our specialty. Call now!

"We Hop To It"

973-228-2653

License PM 00576

PLUMBING

BLEIWEIS PLUMBING & HEATING
All types heating systems, installed and serviced. Gas hot water heater, Bathroom & Kitchen remodeling. REASONABLE RATES. Fully Insured & Bonded. Plumbing Lic. #7876. 908-686-7415

MAX SR. &

PAUL SCHOENWALDER
Established 1912

Installation & Service Lawn Faucets, Sump Pumps, Toilets, Water Heaters, Alterations, Gas Heat, Faucet Repairs, Electric Drain & Sewer Cleaning
Serving the Homeowner
Business & Industry
908-686-0749 464 Chestnut Street,
Union, NJ. Master Plumber's
Lic. #9645, #11181
SENIOR CITIZEN DISCOUNT

RECYCLING

MAX WEINSTEIN SONS, INC.
Honest Weights-Best Prices
Always Buying Scrap Metals - 2426
Morris Avenue Union M-F 8am-4:30pm/
Saturday 8am-1pm
908-686-8236/Since 1919

ROOFING

SLATEMASTER -

"The slate roof professionals"

Insurance claims accepted
Slate and Tile Roof Repairs
Windows-Carpentry-Masonry
Chimney work- Sheet Metal
Historic Restorations
Our 30th year

973-673-8900.

TREE EXPERTS

BOYLE TREE

SURGERY CO.

ESTABLISHED 1922

TREE & STUMP REMOVAL

PRUNING

TREE SURGERY IN

ALL ITS BRANCHES

Union 908-964-9358

Use Your Card... Quick and Convenient!

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Cash Paid Everyday! \$100.00 Guaranteed Today! Call Today - Start Today - Paid Today. No Experience Necessary. Internet Access Required. Call NOW For Recorded Details (559) 546-1510

EARN up to \$150 per day. Undercover Shoppers Needed to Judge Retail & Dining Establishments. Experience Not Required. Call Now 1-888-891-4244

MAKE UP TO \$2,000.00+ Per Week! New Credit Card Ready Drink-Snack Vending Machines. Minimum \$4K to \$40K+ Investment Required. Locations Available. BBB Accredited Business. (800)962-9189

OrganoGold
UNLIMITED INCOME \$\$\$
#2 Most drank beverage after water
#2 Most traded commodity after oil
It's Easy, It's Simple, It's Coffee
Business Investment \$1,350.00 inventory included
OrganoGold - B.Holmes 888-951-4441
Only serious need inquire.

Do-It-Yourself Ideas



Round BBQ Set

This round barbecue set, designed to seat eight, is the ideal place to enjoy an old-fashioned backyard barbecue. Add a shade umbrella (available at home centers) and start the festivities early.

The completed table is 52 inches in diameter, but it may easily be enlarged.

Round Barbecue Set plan

(No. 239) . . . \$9.95

Picnic Tables Package

4 plans incl. 239

(No. C91) . . . \$22.95

Please add \$4.00 s&h

Call for a free catalog.

To order, circle item(s), clip and send with check to:

U-Bild

3800 Oceanic Dr., Ste. 107
Oceanside, CA 92056

Please be sure to include your name, address, and the **name of this newspaper**. Allow 1-2 weeks for delivery.

Or call (800) 82-U-BILD
u-bild.com

Money Back Guarantee



GARAGE/YARD SALES

MISCELLANEOUS

GARAGE/YARD SALES

ROSELLE, 441 BROOKLAWN Avenue, off Wood Avenue. Saturday- June 2, 9am-5pm. Clothes, baby toys, household items etc.

GARAGE/YARD SALES

UNION, 803 SALEM Road. Saturday, June 2, 9am-5pm. Rain or Shine. Household items, clothing, furniture, baby items, toys, bric-a-brac, more.

Use Your Card... Quick and Convenient!

Worrall Community Newspapers
Will Make Your Sale A Success

LOOKING FOR EXTRA CASH?

HAVE A GARAGE SALE!



Your Ad Plus This Kit Makes Having A Garage Sale Easy!

ESSEX COUNTY OR UNION COUNTY
1 Week \$31.00/ 30 Words
BOTH COUNTIES 1 Week \$45.00/ 30 Words

Our Kit Contains:

- 3 Heavy Duty All-Weather Fluorescent Garage Sale Signs
- 140 Fluorescent Green Pre-Priced Labels
- Successful Tips for a "No Hassle" Sale
- Pre-Sale Checklist
- Sales Record Form
- 2 Wooden Sign Stakes, 24 inch with Assembly Bands
- E-Z Assembly Instruction Sheet
- Rain Date Insurance - *We will publish your ad again for 1/2 Price*

Please check garage sale ordinances with your local town hall

For More Information Call Classified At
908-686-7850

Garage Kit Can Be Purchased Separately For \$10.00



**LocalSource.
CoolerAds.com**

**Make Your Classified Ads
COOLER!!!**

**Place your own Classified ads
at your own convenience**

24 hour on-line service

**YOUR AD CAN APPEAR IN
11 ESSEX & UNION COUNTY
NEWSPAPERS AND ON OUR
POPULAR WEBSITE.**

- ✓ Build your own ad
- ✓ Check proof and price
- ✓ Pay online



WORRALL

**Convenient
Secure
Fast Results**

LOCALSOURCE.COM

"Your Best Source for Community Information"

Essex County: Belleville Post, The Independent Press of Bloomfield, East Orange Record, The Glen Ridge Paper, Irvington Herald, News-Record of Maplewood and South Orange, Nutley Journal, Orange Transcript, Vailsburg Leader, West Orange Chronicle.
Union County LocalSource: Union, Kenilworth, Roselle Park, Hillside, Linden, Roselle, Rahway, Elizabeth Clark, Cranford, Summit, Springfield & Mountainside

REAL ESTATE

RENTAL

APARTMENT TO RENT

BLOOMFIELD- 4 ROOMS, SECURED AREA. 1-2 Bedrooms. Completely renovated. Heat/hot water included. Near transportation. No pets. Security negotiable. Call 973-429-0769.

ELIZABETH-

**1, 2 Bedroom & Studios
From \$625/month.
Newly Renovated
Includes Heat & Hot Water
908-355-0262**

ELIZABETH-

Garden Apartments:
Studios \$650, 1 Bedrooms \$775,
2 Bedroom Duplex \$1150
Heat/ hot water/ parking included
Immediate occupancy. No pets
Call 908-355-3636

HILLSIDE, Newly renovated. 2 bedrooms plus bonus room, Living room, dining room, appliances. Nice area. \$1100/month, Section 8 welcome. 732-803-5468.

ORANGE- 3 BEDROOM APARTMENT for rent. Newly renovated. \$1,000/per month plus utilities, 1 month security. Available Now. Call 973-464-3031.

APARTMENT TO RENT

ROSELLE PARK -1 Bedroom, living room, dining room, kitchen, bath. Wall-to-wall carpeting, newly renovated. Heat/hot water supplied. Call 908-419-5662.

SPRINGFIELD

Short Hills border
1 & 2 BDRMS Fr \$1475
Fitness center, parking.
Lofts/basements available.

Walk to NYC train.
SHORT HILLS CLUB VILLAGE
forestrealtyinc.com
973-379-4500

WEST ORANGE, 4 bedrooms, 2 bath apartment, 2,000sf. Hardwood floors throughout, large dining room. Washer/dryer hookup. Plenty of parking. \$2200/month, heat included. No pets. Available June. 732-539-7827

OFFICE TO RENT

WEST ORANGE, Street front offices, Northfield Avenue, 1500sf. Also available 600sf. Prime location. Call Cary 732-272-5700

**ADVERTISE
TODAY!**

**CLASSIFIED ADS
GET RESULTS!
CALL US AT
908-686-7850**

REAL ESTATE

CONDOMINIUMS

CRANFORD, 22 RIVERSIDE DRIVE. Open House. 6/3, 12-4pm. FSBO. 3rd floor, 1 bedroom, 1 bath, large rooms, newly carpeted & tile. Freshly painted, with garage and elevator. \$179,900.

LAND FOR SALE

UPSTATE NY Land Sale "Sportsman Bargain" 3 acres with cozy cabin. Close access to Oneida Lake -\$17,995. * Large River -over 900 ft. 18 acres along fishing/ swimming river -\$49,995. "Timberland Investment"-90 acres deer sanctuary, beautiful timber studs, small creek - \$99,995. Over 100 new properties. Call 800-229-7843 Or visit landandcamps.com

VIRGINIA SEASIDE Lots- Spectacular 3+ acre estate lots in exclusive development on the seaside (the mainland) overlooking Chincoteague Bay, islands and ocean beyond. Gated entrance, caretaker, private paved roads, community pier, pool and club house which includes 2 bedroom guest suites for property owners. Great climate, fishing, clamming and National Seashore beaches nearby. Just 30 miles south of Ocean City, Md. Absolute buy of a lifetime, recent bank sale makes these lots available at 1/3 original price! Priced at only \$49,000 to \$65,000. For info call (757) 824-5284, email: oceanlandtrust@yahoo.com, pictures on website:www.corbinhall.com

REAL ESTATE CLASSIFIEDS

**SELLING
YOUR HOME?
RENTING YOUR PROPERTY?**

Placing an ad in our Essex County or Union County Classified Section is a great way to reach *thousands* of potential buyers on a weekly basis. Include a photo. Contact us today!

E-mail us at:

class@thelocalsource.com

Search the local classifieds
on the Internet at:

www.localsource.com

PLACE YOUR CLASSIFIED ADS TODAY!

908-686-7850



SPORTS



Photo by JR Parachini

The boys' North 2, Group 3 pole vault competition at South Plainfield's Frank Yost Field was to be completed last Saturday after the North 2, Group 2 action finished last Friday. Here, a Summit athlete excels in the boys' pole vault competition during the second and final day of the Union County meet at Plainfield's Hub Stine Field on May 18.

Track continues with groups competition Meet of Champs is Thursday

By JR Parachini
Sports Editor

The top track and field athletes from Union County who advanced from last weekend's sectional competition will be vying for individual state championship glory this weekend when the group meets are contested at two sites.

Beginning tomorrow at 4 p.m. and continuing Saturday at 11 a.m. at both sites, Non-Public B, Group 2 and Group 3 will be contested at South Plainfield's Frank Yost Field and Non-Public A, Group 1 and Group 4 at Lombardi Field in Old Bridge, located at Carl Sandburg Middle School.

The season will conclude Thursday at Lombardi Field when the annual Meet of Champions is contested.

In the first day of North 2, Group 3 competition held at South Plainfield last Friday, Cranford's Adham McGuire - also a football standout for Cranford's N2, G3 state championship team last fall - captured the long jump event with a mark of 21-1 and 3/4 feet.

Summit girls' that won events in the North 2, Group 2 competition included Daria Chadwick and Aleixa Diaz.

Chadwick captured the 100-meter hurdles event in a record time of 14.63. The previous mark of 14.7 was established in 2002 by Hanover Park's Sara Bekele.

Diaz was first in the 400-meter intermediate hurdles in a time of 1:04.15.

Dayton baseball sought to reach tomorrow's title game Bulldogs bested Bloomfield Tech in quarters

By JR Parachini
Sports Editor

SPRINGFIELD — Chas Bohannon didn't waste any time going right after the Bloomfield Tech lineup.

He challenged the Spartans right away, daring them to try to get around on a fastball that had excellent movement. His off speed pitch also found the plate, fooling several batters.

"I was getting out in front with my fastball pretty good and my curveball was working for me," the junior right hander said. "I was throwing it (curveball) for first pitch and it was helping me out in the count."

In control from the start after retiring the visitors in order in the first - with the last two batters striking out - Bohannon went on to toss a four-hitter in leading third-seeded Dayton past sixth-seeded Bloomfield Tech 8-1 last Friday in a North 2, Group 1 baseball quarterfinal at Ruby Field.

"I thought Chas did a nice job locating his fastball today, he worked off of that, and he had a nice curveball," Dayton third-year head coach Mike Abbate said. "The biggest thing was just making sure that he threw strikes. He did that by getting ahead and in high school baseball if you get ahead and throw strikes, you'll be fine."

Bohannon, in an economical 94-pitch complete game outing, struck out eight, walked two and the only run he allowed was unearned. He improved to 6-1 on the season.

More importantly, for the third straight year the Bulldogs advanced to the North 2, Group 1 semifinals.

Dayton was seeking to advance to a sectional final for the first time since reaching the Central Jersey, Group 1 championship game in 2005. Abbate was to send senior right hander Tommy Losito (11-0) to the mound Tuesday when the Bulldogs were scheduled to play at second-seeded Ridgefield in the semifinals. Tuesday's other semifinal pitted 12th-seeded Hoboken at top-seeded Dunellen.

The final is scheduled for tomorrow at the higher seed.

Hoboken won at Dayton 6-0 in last year's semifinals and reached the final as the 11th seed. The Red Wings then lost at fourth-seeded Roselle Park 5-4 in the championship game, falling in the bottom of the seventh.

Two years ago in the semifinals, Dayton lost at second-seeded High Tech 4-3 in a game played at Laurel Hill Park in Secaucus.

Three years ago, the Bulldogs finished 2-16 before their re-emergence.

Losito is 9-0 in nine starts this season and his other two appearances are wins in relief. Including 6-1 as a sophomore and 8-1 as a junior, he is 25-2 for his three-year varsity career. He may be the first Dayton senior pitcher to have an 11-0 record this late in the season.

"I've been so proud of my team for just hanging on behind me and my catcher Joe (Policastro) with my emotions, keeping me in track," said Losito, describing his six-hitter last Thursday that halted 14th-seeded Glen Ridge 2-1 at Brearley. Losito struck out eight, did not walk a batter and also produced the game-winning hit, blasting a solo home run in the bottom of the sixth that snapped a 1-1 tie.

While Losito is dangerous at the plate - batting over .400 - leading the team in hitting with an average higher is lefty-swinging leadoff batter Alec Marcantonio. The sophomore center fielder - after lining out hard to center his first time up - produced the game-winning hit against Bloomfield Tech when he smashed a two-run single to right field with the bases loaded and one out in the second. That hit gave the Bulldogs the lead for good at 2-0.

Dayton added a third run in the second as the result of an outfield error, Bohannon drove in the fourth run on an RBI-single in the third and then the Bulldogs struck for their final four runs in the fourth. Senior right fielder Matt Roland drove in a run with an opposite field single to right, Joe Iuliano delivered an RBI with a single to center and then after another run scored as the result of a wild pickoff attempt at first base, Policastro singled up the middle to drive in Dayton's last run.

Dayton won its second straight to improve to 20-4, with the Bulldogs winning 20 games for the first time since the 2005 squad - under the guidance of present Bound Brook head coach Chris Loeffler - went 22-5. The 2005 team also reached the Union County Tournament championship game and won the Mountain Valley Conference's Valley Division championship.

Abbate led Dayton to the Union County Conference's Valley Division title in 2010 and this year's squad to the UCC's Mountain Division crown. Dayton went 12-0 in the Mountain Division this year and will not make up league home games against Rahway and Union Catholic.

Two big home division wins, sparked by Losito home runs and mound victories those days, include a 5-4 triumph over Johnson and a 4-3 decision vs. Roselle Catholic.

• NORTH 2, GROUP 1

FINAL

Friday, June 1

Semifinal winners at the higher seed

SEMIFINALS

Tuesday, May 29

12-Hoboken at 1-Dunellen

3-Dayton at 2-Ridgefield

•

**LOSITO MAY BE THE BEST PITCHER
NOBODY KNOWS ABOUT;
HE HAS TO 'PITCH' TO PRODUCE THE
SUCCESS HE ATTAINS**

Tommy Losito does not take the mound and then blow batters away with a 90 miles per hour fastball.

He has to mix up his pitches to keep batters off balance as well as off the bases.

On Thursday against Glen Ridge he had to make an adjustment right away to stay ahead of the hitters.

"My curveball wasn't working at first, or my changeup, so I was throwing fastballs and they were getting around on it," said Losito, who had an impressive earned-run average of 1.11 going into the Glen Ridge game.

See **LOSITO**, Page 42

SPORTS

Losito took mound Tuesday to get Bulldogs to the final

(Continued from Page 41)

"I started mixing up cutters and stuff like that and then my curveball started working in the end."

Losito, like most pitchers, seeks to have the ability to get batters out with more than just one pitch.

"I really want to get my curveball over because I don't like just relying on a fastball," said Losito, who also offered that his top two pitches were his cutter and two-seam. "I work my fastballs in and out to try to get some movement on them and then when my curveball and changeup are working I feel really good."

After a promising first year on the varsity level, with Dayton finishing 14-12, Losito was just as consistent last season, helping lead Dayton to a final record of 17-7. Including this year's present 20-4 mark, the Bulldogs are 51-23 under Abbate, with Losito winning half of those games.

"It's been great," Losito said. "I've been working so hard for this my whole life, since I was a little kid."

Losito will continue pitching in college on the Division 3 level at Drew University in Madison.

"This year's been great, but I always want to do better," Losito said. "I'm never really satisfied."

In last year's sectional semifinal at Ruby Field against Hoboken, Losito was locked in a pitcher's duel with Hoboken then-junior lefty Kenny Roder. The game was scoreless going into the top of the seventh when Losito, who was working on a no-hitter, walked the leadoff batter.

Abbate then had to take Losito out because he cramped up. That baserunner came around to score, with Hoboken scoring the game's only six runs in that inning. Losito ended up suffering his only loss last season. He has not been beaten since.

"That was a heck of a game up until that point," Abbate said. "It all starts on the mound. The biggest thing with Tommy is that he doesn't walk many people."

A pitcher with control keeps his fielder's behind

him sharp and his coach from pulling his hair out.

"He'll make them put it in play," Abbate said. "You can look around at all the positions and have MVPs at every position and you may not win, unless you have an MVP on the mound and Tommy has been that for us."

Here's a look at the games that Losito has won this year:

April 3: Dayton 11, Summit 1
- at Dayton, division (Opening Day)

April 10: Dayton 12, Rahway 0
- at Rahway, division

April 13: Dayton 16, Brearley 4
- at Dayton (in relief)

April 15: Dayton 11, Metuchen 4
- at Roselle Park (in relief)

April 20: Dayton 5, Johnson 4
- at Dayton, division

April 24: Dayton 4, Roselle Catholic 3
- at Dayton, division

April 28: Dayton 5, Union Catholic 1
- at Dayton, UCT first round

May 3: Dayton 7, Gov. Livingston 3
- at GL, UCT quarterfinals

May 10: Dayton 13, Brearley 0
- at Brearley, division

May 16: Dayton 3, Johnson 1
- at Johnson, division

May 24: Dayton 2, Glen Ridge 1
- at Brearley, North 2, Group 1 first round



Photo by JR Parachini

After a 17-season stint that included an impressive record of 312-144 (.684), three county championships and one sectional crown, Chris Flinn has stepped down as Union's varsity softball coach. Here, Flinn is pictured with 2010 senior standouts, from left, Kristen Wilson, Amanda Kardys, Allie Davis and Amanda Ruhl.

Union softball was winner under Flinn Led Farmers to 3 UCT titles

By JR Parachini
Sports Editor

Being able to send top-notch pitchers to the mound and having the aid of valuable assistant coaches by his side made coaching softball a lot of fun for longtime Union High School educator Chris Flinn.

After retiring last year from teaching health and physical education at UHS for 32 years, Flinn decided to coach the varsity softball team for a 17th season.

Flinn, 60, coached the Farmers to more than 300 wins, including three county championships, one sectional title, one state final appearance and many conference crowns.

Now he is stepping down as Union's coach. An impressive final record of 312-144 (.684) includes 14 winning seasons, with Union averaging an 18-8 record since he became the head coach in 1996.

Flinn's program was as successful and consistent as any other in Union County since he took over the reigns from George Hopkins, whose last year as the head coach was 1995 when Union went 28-2 and reached the Group 4 semifinals. Union's junior varsity coach for four years before a 10-season stint as Hopkins' assistant coach, Flinn has nothing but fond memories to look back on when talking about the teams and players he coached during his tenure.

"Many people, including umpires, would come up to me and say that for many years we always had good pitching," said Flinn, who was named State Coach of the Year by The Star-Ledger in 2009.

See **SUCCESSFUL**, Page 43



Photo by JR Parachini

STANDOUT SEASON COMPLETE - The Summit girls' lacrosse team saw its season end last Thursday at Chatham in a 21-8 loss in the North 2, Group 2 final. The Hilltoppers finished 15-4 and captured a record fourth consecutive Union County Tournament championship.

SPORTS



Photo by JR Parachini

The Dayton football team, here on offense at left behind soon-to-be senior quarterback and Rutgers-bound Anthony Cioffi, is still in search of a new head coach.

Dayton Bulldogs are still seeking a new grid coach

Chango resigns shortly after being named

By JR Parachini
Sports Editor

Two weeks after officially being named Dayton's new head football coach, Joe Chango decided to resign from the position.

"The administration and I shared a different vision when it came to assembling a staff," Chango said last Friday.

After coaching at West Orange the past six seasons as head coach John Jacobs' offensive coordinator, Chango applied for the Dayton position. He was approved at the May 7 Springfield Board of Education meeting.

Chango, a 1995 Dayton graduate who played varsity football for the Bulldogs under head coach Ed Manigan his junior and senior seasons of 1993 and 1994, handed in his letter of resignation Monday, outlining the reasons for his departure.

"I decided it was in my best interests to step down," Chango said.

Chango, who grew up in Kenilworth, is back at West Orange and will resume his duties as offensive coordinator for a seventh straight season.

"I asked John Jacobs if it was possible for me to come back and he welcomed me with open arms," Chango said. "I'm lucky to have the guys that I have there that care about me."

"I thought my journey was going home to coach at Dayton. Then I realized that my home all along was at West Orange. It's unfortunate, but everything happens for a reason."

Chango said that he told the returning West Orange players last Wednesday that he was coming back.

"They were elated," Chango said. "I love coaching kids and I'm lucky to have that here at West Orange."

"We're considered family here. I realize how lucky I am to be where I am now."

Dayton Athletic Director Lance Jacobs said last Friday that he's "optimistic" somebody will be in place by the next board of education meeting.

"Hopefully, we'll have something done in the very near future," Jacobs said.

Chango, a Tulane graduate who began coaching high school football in Louisiana, was to be a head coach for the first time.

He's been an assistant coach at schools in New Jersey since 2001.

"Any time that you have somebody in place and they resign like that it's disappointing," Jacobs said. "It puts us in a state of flux for a little bit until we have leadership in that role filled. I'm disappointed for the kids."

Including Dayton, there were six head football coach openings in Union County this off-season, with the other five filled. Over in nearby Essex County, new head coaches were also named at Nutley and Millburn.

"It's late in the year to get everything organized," Jacobs said. "We have our staff in place, all that's there."

Jacobs said that there is one assistant job that is vacant as well.

"The new coach would be able to present somebody to the board for their consideration," Jacobs said.

Dayton went through a good number of head football coaches from the mid-1980s to 2000. After a four-year absence of football from 2001-2004, coaches Joe Goerge and Bob Martin brought the program back, starting with junior varsity in 2005 and then varsity returning in 2006.

Goerge and Martin led Dayton to winning and playoff seasons in 2009 and 2010 and to the program's second playoff victory in 2010.

Goerge resigned following the 2011 season after a highly-successful six-season stint as Dayton's varsity head coach.

"We still have Joe and Bobby here to help out," Jacobs said. "Dayton athletics is no stranger to adversity."

"This is a good position and Dayton is a great place to coach."

Successful coach led UHS softball

(Continued from Page 42)

"I had a lot of great players and a lot of great assistant coaches and we had some pretty good pitchers, which is why we were successful."

The most prominent hurlers during Flinn's reign as head coach were right handers Laura Labonia, Rayneesha Adams and Laura Maloney and lefty Amanda Kardys. All four pitched in Union County Tournament championship games, with Labonia winning three and Adams and Kardys one.

Labonia in 1997 as a senior and Kardys in 2009 as a junior were Star-Ledger Second Team All-State selections. Labonia was the Star-Ledger Union County Player of the Year as a junior in 1996, Adams as a senior in 2000 and Kardys in 2009. Maloney was a four-year varsity player who pitched her final three seasons before graduating in 2004.

Krista Hosp, a talented left hander, was able to be the starting pitcher her senior year in 1998 after Labonia graduated - Hosp played first base prior to that - and helped lead the Farmers to the North 2, Group 4 championship game that season after winning two state tournament games.

"Pitching is very important in softball," Flinn said. "We had a stretch where we had very good pitchers and also some great players."

One all-county and all-groups player who graduated in 1995 and was a role model others could look up to was standout athlete Kelly Kulick, who has become a pioneer in women's sports for her present success as a professional bowler.

Flinn's top assistant coach the last eight years, Kathy Pellerito, played with Kulick at Union. Flinn's other key assistant coaches were Mike Reilly, Sue Zawacki - who starred on Union's Group 4 state championship team - and Kristin Alvarez.

Flinn also acknowledged the assistance of past Union Athletic Director Bill Parsons and present Athletic Director Linda Ionta. They were instrumental in putting together the annual one-day tournament at Union that involves four teams and four games on an April Saturday. The tournament began in 1998. This year, Union lost to Wayne Valley 12-3 and beat Bayonne 6-5.

Four players from Flinn's highly-successful 2009 team that went 27-5 who are playing in college now include Kardys pitching at Emory, catcher Hana Gross at Alfred, center fielder Jessica Goncalves at Richard Stockton and first baseman Kristen Wilson at Ramapo.

Flinn, a Warren native who attended St. Benedict's Prep in Newark and then St. Peter's College in Jersey City, is now teaching activity classes and supervising student-teachers at Kean University.

"I really enjoy it," said Flinn, who also served on the seeding committee for the states for 14 years and the county seeding committee for 12. "They take their assignments very seriously."

Flinn's first win as Union's head coach came on April 2, 1996 when the Farmers, behind a Labonia three-hitter, tamed Newark East Side 24-1 at Union.

Flinn's final victory came May 16 when the Farmers won at Summit 6-0 behind the only career no-hitter thrown by senior right hander Jessica Ludolph.

"Only two batters reached base against Jessica, one on a walk and one on a strikeout, with the ball getting past the catcher," Flinn said.

Ludolph is one of six seniors that will be lost to graduation. The others include catcher Ashley Dembeck and outfielders Stephanie Dahmer, Michelle Russo, Alyssa Cioffi and Rachelle Angebrandt.

"The kids all worked very hard," Flinn said. "We ran into some really good teams, with their pitching stronger than ours. We had some injuries too that hurt us."

Three key juniors returning are shortstop Gina Petro - who was a team captain along with Dembeck - right handed pitcher Brianna Creegan and first baseman Lisa Barattucci.

Three valuable sophomores who still have two years remaining are left fielder and speedy leadoff batter Lori Blanco, third baseman Jenna Sorrentino and right handed pitcher Alexis Shupe.

• See story at www.localsource.com - Union County Navigator for Flinn's yearly record and the records of the three pitchers that led the Farmers to UCT championships under his tenure as head coach.



LIKE US &
FOLLOW US

facebook.com/UCLocalSource
twitter.com/UCLocalSource

*****CAR-RT LOT**C010

277796

25-OCT-12

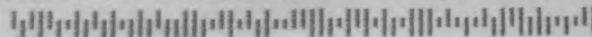
S1 P7

66

MIRIAM BEIN/HILLSIDE LIBRARY

1409 LIBERTY AVE

HILLSIDE NJ 07205-1345



SPORTS

UNION COUNTY DIAMOND TEAMS THAT ADVANCED TO TUESDAY

BASEBALL (2 teams)

Tuesday, May 29

Sectional semifinals

North 2, Group 3

12-Morristown at 1-Cranford

North 2, Group 1

3-Dayton at 2-Ridgefield

Finals are scheduled for tomorrow at the higher seeds.

Tuesday's other semifinal in North 2, Group 3 was

3-Mendham at 2-West Morris.

Tuesday's other semifinal in North 2, Group 1 was

12-Hoboken at 1-Dunellen.

SOFTBALL (5 teams)

Tuesday, May 29

Sectional semifinals

North 2, Group 3

8-Rahway at 4-Warren Hills

North 2, Group 1

12-Roselle Park at 1-Whippany Park

7-New Providence at 6-Secaucus

Sectional quarterfinals

Non-Public, North A

7-Union Catholic at 2-DePaul

Non-Public, North B

6-St. Mary's, Rutherford at 3-Kent Place

Public school finals are scheduled for tomorrow

and non-public for Tuesday.

BOYS' LACROSSE GROUP 1 STATE TITLE GAME

WAS TO BE PLAYED YESTERDAY, FEATURING SUMMIT

The Summit boys' lacrosse team put its 19-1 record on the line yesterday vs. Glen Ridge in the Group 1 state championship game, most likely played at a neutral site.

A berth in the upcoming Tournament of Champions was on the line for top-seeded Summit and third-seeded Glen Ridge.

Summit captured Group 2 honors a year ago, while Glen Ridge won Group 1.

Summit entered yesterday's contest with a record of 87-3 in its last 90 games, beginning with the first match of the 2009 season.

Virgos and Professionals triumph in softball action

The following are Union Suffragettes Girls Softball League results from Week No. 6, which were games played May 19 at Biertuempfel Park in Union:

SENIOR DIVISION

Virgos 14, Scorpions 9: The Virgos had eight girls produce RBI, led by Joanna Stern, who drove in five runs with two doubles and also scored twice. Sarah Fisher scored three runs and had two RBI, Tyanna Reynolds drove in two runs and Krystle Vera drove in a run with a double and scored three times. Amanda Ferrigno and Chelsea Jenkins scored twice. Lauren Buchanan gave up three runs on three hits in the three innings she pitched. The Scorpions were led by Suzette Garrido, who was 2-for-3 with three RBI and Erika Grusinski who had four RBI. Amanda Torres and Sofia Santos scored three runs, while Nicole Supino and Lauren Erdman drove in the other Scorpion runs. Tomia Henry singled and scored and Angelica Gonzalez also singled.

Capricorns 4, Aquarians 4 (tie): The Capricorns received perfect pitching for three innings from Caryn Filippone, who struck out three. Alanna Smith and Allannah Bucu drove in runs with doubles, while Laura Corveleyn was 2-for-3 with an RBI and Jessica Dragone drove in a run. Tanajha Roberts hit a line drive single and the defense was sparked by second baseman Joann Zbozien. The Aquarians remained unbeaten by salvaging the tie, led by Brittani Fiorenza's three-run first inning home run, which drove in Jennifer Maltese and Alicia Rodriguez. Both of those players reached base after hitting safely. Tristan Scheiner finished strong on the mound, pitching three shutout innings to keep the Caps in check the final three frames.

Libras 10, Pisces 3: The Libras scored eight runs in the third inning, lifted by the clutch hitting of Erica Robles, Lexi Laraway and Caitlin Gurdowski. Alay Sabogal and Kayla Keane came up with the big defensive plays and Robles pitched three scoreless innings. The Pisces were sparked by Caitlin Jordan, who was 2-for-2 with a single, a double and an RBI, and Kelsey Krupa, who banged out a triple. The defensive effort was led by catcher Katie Ruopp, who threw out a runner stealing attempting to steal third and also caught a third strike foul tip to end an inning. The Pisces also turned an impressive double play, with Melanie Krupa throwing to Alyssa Steinmetz and Steinmetz throwing to Sydnee Santiago.

Geminis 14, Comets 12: The Geminis were led by Becca Lyn McRobbie, who was 4-for-4 with three RBI and Margaret Ford, who was 4-for-4 with two RBI.

Adrianna Belmonte was 2-for-4 with a triple and four RBI, while Maeve Ford was 3-for-4 with an RBI and Larrell Daves 2-for-4 with a double and an RBI. Brianna Cortez and Marilyn Torres scored twice and Dominica Killean also scored for the Geminis.

The Fords pitched three innings, combining for three strikeouts. Jennifer Puschak played outstanding in left field. Sasha Korn, Christina Melchionna, Meaghan Brant, Kayla Warnock and Yvonne Solomon combined for 16 hits and nine runs to lead the Comets. Stephanie Ng pitched one strong inning, striking out the side.

STANDINGS:

Aquarians (4-0-1), Virgos (3-1-1), Libras (4-2-0), Capricorns (2-2-2), Geminis (2-3-0), Pisces (2-3-0), Scorpions (2-3-0), Comets (2-4-0), Leos (1-4-0).

JUNIOR DIVISION

Professionals 18, Diplomats 11: The Professionals had 10 girls drive in runs, led by Alyssa Thomas, who was 2-for-2 with an RBI and three runs. The defense was aided by two double plays, while Ezinne Igwe and Asia Suggs provided solid pitching. The Diplomats were led by Olivia Cocchiarella, who was 4-for-4 with a home run and two doubles and Lindsey Rotoly, who had two doubles and two RBI. Megan Sloane doubled and pitched three strong innings, allowing four runs and striking out four. Hanna Yosevich reached base three times and scored a run and Jenna Vesey reached base twice. The defense was sparked by Vesey and first-year players Lauren Sloane and Emily Schroeder.

Inventors 18, Explorers 8: Kimberly Cruz slugged a grand slam to lift the Inventors. Arielle Roman had a bases-clearing triple, Anna Holland was 2-for-4 with a triple and two RBI and Annie Langan was 2-for-3 and scored three runs. The Inventors received superb pitching from Grace Caraglia, who pitched three scoreless innings and struck out four. Kayla Mantilla struck out three in two innings.

Scholars 26, Entertainers 9: The Scholars had nine girls drive in runs, led by Leslie Echevarria, who hit a home run, doubled and had five RBI. Tamia Howell also homered, Jessica Arita doubled and had two RBI and Jenna Arita and Amanda Mangan also drove in two. The defense was led by Gabrielle Lamadieu, Tyler Darby and Echevarria.

Competitors 9, Educators 8: Zoe Foster walked with the bases loaded to drive in the winning run. Grace Enderle, Angelina Dapante and Sara Castro walked before Foster did. Emily Hayes pitched three scoreless innings and struck out six. Ashley Ferrigno blasted two home runs and drove in four. The Educators gave it their all, lifted by Sophia Cruz and Vicelle Juanites who were both 2-for-3 with a double. Jenel Garcia struck out six in three innings.

STANDINGS:

Scholars (6-0-0), Inventors (5-1-0), Competitors (4-1-0), Artists (2-3-0), Diplomats (2-3-0), Professionals (2-3-0), Entertainers (2-4-0), Explorers (1-4-0), Educators (0-5-0).

Union baseball concludes season at record of 13-13

The Union baseball team was defeated at Hillsborough 8-1 in last Saturday's North 2, Group 4 quarterfinals and finished 13-13.

Union won a season-high five straight prior to the Hillsborough game, including its first state tournament contest, which was a 5-3 win on the road against Bayonne.

The Farmers also reached the UCT championship game.

UNION COUNTY SPORTS

Share your Sports News or Photos:
UnionCountySports@yahoo.com



908-686-7700

fax 908-686-4169

@UnionCitySports

Deadline for submissions on Monday at noon