

# Five Bond Issues on the Ballot

Town of Vienna and other Fairfax County voters will be asked to vote yes or no on five bond issues in the November 4 general election.

Bonds are a form of long-term borrowing to finance public facilities, spreading the cost of purchase and construction over many years. Because bonds constitute a future obligation of the taxpayers, the law requires that their issuance be approved by the voters.

Here is a brief summary of the County bond issues that will be on the November 4 ballot:

\* **Neighborhood Improvement Program** — \$12,330,000. Many older neighborhoods lack such public facilities as sidewalks, curbs, gutters and storm sewers. In neighborhoods where improvements are requested and approved, the cost of sidewalks, curbs and gutters, and driveway entrances are shared by the County and the landowners. The cost of all other improvements such as streets and storm sewers, is financed with public funds. The proposed bond issue would provide those funds.

\* **Storm Drainage Improvements** — \$12,060,000. In 1971, voters authorized an \$11 million bond issue to begin a comprehensive program to eliminate serious flooding problems and control soil erosion. The additional \$12.06 million in bonds would finance the second phase of this program.

\* **Public Safety Facilities** — \$19,700,000. These funds would finance the construction of police stations and fire stations with emergency medical facilities and the reconstruction and enlargement of the existing fire training center, courthouse and garage facilities for maintenance and repair of County vehicles.

\* **Adult Detention Center** — \$8,550,000. The County's prisoner population has already outgrown the detention facilities completed in 1978. The proposed bond issue would provide an additional 96 cells and a 60-space work-release center.

\* **Public Library Facilities** — \$10,430,000. These bond funds would be used to renovate the central library and construct three new regional libraries.

Next month's *Newsletter* will explain the four Virginia Constitutional questions on the ballot.

For voter information, call the General Registrar's office at 385-8100 or 385-VOTE, a 24-hour information service.

## Vienna Woman's Club to Sponsor Art Exhibition and Auction Oct. 4

The Vienna Woman's Club is sponsoring an art exhibition and auction on Saturday, October 4, at the Church of the Holy Comforter, 543 Beulah Rd., NE. A preview of the art will be held at 7:30 p.m., with the auction beginning at 8:30 p.m. Champagne and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

The auction is an opportunity to view and acquire exclusive editions or original graphics, oils and watercolors by international award-winning artists, including Rockwell, Hinte, School of Paris Artists, Dali, Picasso, Miro and Chagall. Each work of art is in a frame individually selected to complement that particular piece. All art is unconditionally guaranteed.

Donations are \$3 per person. Tickets are available by calling Delores Hill at 938-9826 or Carolyn Storch at 938-2530.

### Mailbox Vandalism Is Ongoing Problem for Many Residents

Many town residents who receive curbside mail delivery have an ongoing problem of vandals damaging their mailboxes. Parents are urged to convey to their children that not only is damaging a mailbox or tampering with its contents a federal offense, but that all vandalism is senseless destruction.

# October Calendar



- 1 & 2 — Five Hills Garden Club Show at the Community Center, 4-10 p.m. Wednesday, 9 a.m.-noon Thursday.
- 3 — Teen concert at the Community Center, 8-11 p.m.
- 4 — Vienna Woman's Club Art Exhibition and Auction at Church of the Holy Comforter. Preview at 7:30 p.m., auction at 8:30 p.m.
- 6 — Town Council meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall. (Call the Vienna Newslite, 938-4499, the weekend before the meeting for an update on agenda items.)
- 7 — Historic Windover Board of Review meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 8 — Planning Commission meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall. Newspaper Pickup Day.
- 10-12 — Antiques Show & Sale at the Community Center, noon-10 p.m. Friday, noon-8 p.m. Saturday, noon-6 p.m. Sunday.
- 13 — Columbus Day. Town Hall closed. No trash pickup. Jitneybus will operate on Saturday schedule.
- 14 — Fall Cleanup begins. Mayor's Advisory Committee meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 15 — Board of Zoning Appeals meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 16 — Architectural Review Board meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 17-19 — Gem & Mineral Show at the Community Center, 9 a.m.-10 p.m. all three days.
- 18 — Health Fair at Emmaus United Church of Christ, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- 20 — Town Council meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall. (Call the Vienna Newslite, 938-4499, the weekend before the meeting for an update on agenda items.)
- 22 — Planning Commission meeting, 8 p.m. at Town Hall. Newspaper Pickup Day.
- 24 — Vienna-Falls Sweet Adelines "Road Show to Atlanta," free concert at the Community Center, 8 p.m.
- 27 — Halloween Party for children at the Community Center, 2:30-3:30 p.m. for ages 4 and 5, 4-5 p.m. for ages 6 through 10.
- 28 — Transportation Safety Commission meeting, 7:45 p.m. at Town Hall.
- 29 — Annual Halloween Parade, sponsored by Chamber of Commerce and Jaycees, 7 p.m. (Rain date October 30.)
- 30 — Bike auction at Vienna Police Department, 5 p.m.
- 31 — Halloween.

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## Fall Cleanup October 14th

The Town's annual Fall Cleanup will begin on Tuesday, October 14. During the cleanup, residents may place unwanted items at the curbside for free pickup by Public Works crews. Discards may include building materials, furniture, scrap metal, household appliances, tree limbs, brush and other debris.

Items should be placed at the curbside away from fire hydrants and water meters. Brush and branches should be placed in a separate pile to help the cleanup go faster.

The cleanup will start in the Northeast section of town and proceed clockwise through Southeast, Southwest and Northwest. The time needed to cover each section is hard to determine; therefore, all residents should have their discards at the curbside by October 14. Because cleanup crews comprise the same personnel who perform street maintenance and other necessary public works duties, there is time for only one cleanup sweep of the town. Once a section has been covered, crews cannot double back.

The Committee for Helping Others (CHO), which provides help to the needy in the Vienna area, is in constant need of furniture, kitchen equipment, tableware and appliances in good operating condition. Vienna residents are encouraged to call CHO rather than discard usable items during the Fall Cleanup. Please call CHO Furniture Chairman Earl Sawyer, 573-6198 (evenings), or Walker Smith, 560-1980.

**Town Hall Will Be Closed Monday, October 13, for Columbus Day.  
There Will Be No Trash Pickup that Day.  
The Jitneybus Will Operate on a Saturday Schedule.**

## Colorful Halloween Parade Set

Vienna's 34th annual Halloween Parade, sponsored by the Vienna Chamber of Commerce and the Vienna Jaycees, will step off at 7 p.m. Wednesday, October 29 (rain date October 30).

Colorful floats, marching bands, horses, cartoon characters and children in their Halloween costumes will all be included in the festivities. As in previous years, the parade will begin at Maple Avenue and Branch Road and move along Maple to Courthouse Road. The units will turn left on Courthouse and then left again on Locust Street to Waters Field, where the parade will disband.

In keeping with the parade's theme of "Salute to the International Year of the Family," the Chamber of Commerce Parade Committee will select a Vienna child and his or her family to lead the parade as Grand Marshal. The selection will be made by means of a letter-writing contest among elementary school students, "Why I Would Like to Be Grand Marshal of the Halloween Parade with My Family." All Vienna area elementary students are eligible to enter the contest.

Letters of 100 words or less must be submitted to the Chamber office, 302 Maple Ave., W. by October 8. The winner will be announced October 15. For more information, call the Chamber at 281-1333.

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## Vienna Police Officers Honored For Their Life-Saving Actions

Town of Vienna police officers Daniel Marcey and Wilson Stallings have received the Police Hall of Fame "Good Samaritan Award" in recognition of their actions last summer which saved the life of a heart attack victim.

On June 30, Marcey and Stallings responded to a report of a collapsed bicyclist on Old Courthouse Road. The victim was in cardiac arrest, and the officers performed cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) while waiting for rescue units to arrive.

Fairfax County Rescue Supervisor Richard Steinberg has commended Marcey and Stallings for their proper execution of CPR, "a procedure which is difficult to perform under the best of conditions. I would also like to commend the Vienna Police Department for having the foresight to require CPR training for their officers. It obviously is paying off."

Steinberg also acknowledged the officers' prompt and accurate radio communications, "clarifying the true nature of the emergency, allowed EOC (Emergency Operations Center) to send the necessary additional equipment before the originally dispatched rescue unit arrived on the scene, thus saving critical minutes of response time."

## Literacy Council Needs Volunteers

The Literacy Council of Northern Virginia is seeking volunteers who would like to tutor the illiterate adult or the adult who does not speak English. No previous training or experience is required.

The Literacy Council is offering two training workshops in October. To register for one of these workshops or for similar workshops to be given in January and April 1981, call 256-3444. Tutors receive certification by the National Affiliation for Literacy Advancement.

When a volunteer completes the tutor training workshop, the placement directors select an appropriate adult student for the tutor. Student and tutor then arrange for a meeting time and place convenient to both. Tutoring sessions may be held in public libraries, schools, church meeting rooms or in the home.

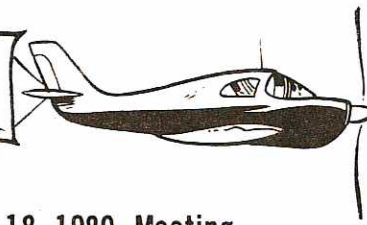
## Police Department to Hold Bike Auction

The Vienna Police Department will hold an auction of unclaimed bicycles on Thursday, October 30, at 5 p.m. Interested persons may view the bikes at police headquarters behind Town Hall and submit sealed bids any time prior to the auction. Successful bidders will be notified by phone if they are not present at the auction.



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Vienna Merchants.  
Sales-related taxes help defray  
the cost of local government  
in Vienna.

## Council Action



### Results of Town Council's August 18, 1980, Meeting

- \* Denied the request for rezoning parts of Lots 34 and 22, Windover Sub-division, from RS-16 to C-1.
- \* Recommended to the Circuit Court that G. Herbert Fahy be reappointed to the Board of Zoning Appeals for a five-year term. Reappointed Lowell Schweickart for a three-year term on the Board of Directors of Historic Vienna, Inc.
- \* Denied the request for speed bumps on St. Andrews Drive.
- \* Adopted criteria for the installation of stop signs.
- \* Accepted the bid of \$12,237.00 submitted by Wilbar Truck Equipment, Inc. for a Loadmaster-LM 125 T, funds to come from budgeted funds.
- \* Accepted the bid of \$6,980.00 submitted by Auto Test Products, Ltd. for an engine analyzer with infrared tester, funds to come from budgeted funds.

### Results of Town Council's September 8, 1980, Meeting

- \* Approved in concept the beautification plan for Maple Avenue presented by the Vienna Welcome Wagon Club, expressed appreciation for the effort it represents and authorized the Town Manager to advise and assist the club in its implementation.
- \* Approved the installation of a street light on the property of 611 Tazewell Road as requested by residents.
- \* Cancelled draft authority for Charles I. Johnson III effective September 18, Mr. Johnson having resigned his position with the Town.
- \* Gave notice of an Executive Session on October 27 for the purpose of receiving a briefing by the Town Attorney on the legal aspects of potential litigation incident to the Council's decision on the Marco Polo rezoning application.
- \* Adopted a proclamation concerning the Northern Virginia Community Foundation.

## Health Education and Screening Fair

A health education and screening fair will be held Saturday, October 18, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Emmaus United Church of Christ, 900 Maple Ave., E.

The fair will feature an educational mime show and exercise instruction; free screening for abnormalities in blood pressure, blood count, height, weight, vision and hearing; and a \$6, 25-panel blood test that includes cholesterol, glucose and thyroid. (A four-hour fast is recommended before taking the blood test.)

The fair is open to anyone 18 and older. For more information, call 657-8480 (day) or 938-1203 (evening).

## Gasoline Thefts on the Increase

As the price of gasoline keeps increasing, syphoning of gas from parked vehicles has become more frequent. Losses of \$30 to \$50 are not uncommon. Citizens are encouraged to install locking gas caps on their vehicles to help prevent gasoline thefts.

## Fall Antiques Show and Sale October 10-12, 1980

Vienna Community Center

Noon - 10 p.m. Friday

Noon - 8 p.m. Saturday

Noon - 6 p.m. Sunday

Admission - \$2 each

\$1.50 with Ticket

Food & Drink Available

## Summer Beautification Winners

Four town businesses have won the summer quarter business beautification competition, sponsored by the Town of Vienna and the Vienna Chamber of Commerce. The quarterly competition is part of an ongoing program of litter control and beautification in Vienna's commercial areas.

The winners in four business categories are:

Service Stations - Vienna Mobil, 102 Maple Ave., W.

Office Buildings - R.J.L. Associates, 144 Church St., N.W.

Food Services - Bob's Big Boy, 315 Maple Ave., E.

Retail Businesses - Money & King Funeral Home, 171 Maple Ave., W.

"Clean & Green" awards will be presented to these winners at the next Chamber of Commerce meeting on October 9.

Judging was carried out by a committee representing the Town government, the Chamber of Commerce and citizens. The committee rated the winning businesses best overall in the areas of litter and weed control, painting and repairs and landscaping.

The committee also named the following businesses for honorable mention in recognition of their beautification efforts:

Service Stations - Vienna Shell, 256 Maple Ave., E.

- Vienna Sunoco, 410 Maple Ave., E.

Office Buildings - United Virginia Bank, 515 Maple Ave., E.

- Bank of Vienna, 374 Maple Ave., E.

Food Services - Vienna Inn, 120 Maple Ave., E.

- Steak & Ale, 215 Maple Ave., W.

Retail Businesses - Wolftrap Motel, 430 Maple Ave., W.

- Potpourri Flower Shoppe/Foxy Lady Apparel, 139/141 Church St., N.W.

One more quarterly competition will be held this fall before the "Best Looking Business for 1980" is chosen from among the quarterly winners.

## Don't Give Purse Snatchers the Opportunity

Shoppers are warned against leaving purses unattended in shopping carts. It takes only a moment for a thief to snatch a purse while the customer's back is turned. For added security, leave unneeded cash, checks and credit cards at home.