KICKING OFF ANOTHER SEASON...The Westfield PAL NFL Football League recently kicked off another season.

Golf Outing, Garage Sale Announced by The Arc

AREA – The Arc of Union County, which provides services to individuals with developmental disabilities and their families, has announced several upcoming events.

On Thursday, October 4, a Golf Outing will be held at the Shackamaxon Country Club in Scotch Plains to benefit the organization.

Registration will be held at 10 a.m., with lunch at 11 a.m.; a shotgun start at noon; cocktails at 5:30 p.m. and the awards presentation and dinner at 6 p.m. The cost is $275 per golfer.

A General Membership Meeting will take place on Thursday, October 25, at 7:30 p.m. at The Arc, located at 1225 South Avenue in Plainfield.

On Saturday, November 10, a Garage Sale will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the New Providence Boro Municipal Building on Academy Street.

The event will benefit the Murray Hill Child Development Day Care Center in Murray Hill, which is run by The Arc.

For further information on any of these events, please call Patricia O'Neill, Director of Resource Development, at (908) 754-7826 or Yolanda T. Bell, Support Specialist, at (908) 754-7422.

Children Can Try Their Hand At Art of Rubbing on Sunday

WESTFIELD – The Miller-Cory House Museum, located at 614 Mountain Avenue in Westfield, will feature a program on rubbings, an ancient art form that originated in China, this Sunday, September 30, between 2 and 5 p.m.

The program will be presented by Patricia D'Angelo of Westfield. Children will have an opportunity to try their hand at rubbing on decorative surfaces which will be available at the museum.

Costumed docents will be on hand to guide visitors through the fully-furnished, 1740 farmhouse. The last tour will begin at 4 p.m.

Seasonal foods will be prepared over the open hearth by Christine Glazer of Cranford and Patricia Looloian of Princeton, using authentic recipes and cooking techniques that were practiced by early Americans.

The museum's gift shop offers a variety of Colonial reproductions, cookbooks and educational items. The museum will be closed on Sunday, October 7, and will reopen the following Sunday, October 14, with a program about an 18th-century fur trader and trapper.

Admission to the museum is $2 for adults, 50 cents for students and free for children under age 6. For more information, please call (908) 232-1776.

U. C. 60+ SOFTBALL CHAMPS...Creative Industries won the Union County 60+ Softball League title. Pictured, left to right, are: front row; Tony Ciavatta, Dom Deo, Geroge Merlo, Norm Stunpf, Don Robertson and Art Kopacz; second row, Ralph DelVecchio, Sy Feingold, Charles Brown, Joe Murano and John McCarthy; back row, Bob Canales, Ed Ganczewski and Ed Malko.

Nature Club to Feature Raptor Trust Speaker

MOUNTAINSIDE – The Greater Watchung Nature Club's monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 2, at 8 p.m. at the Courthouse of the Mountainside Municipal Building, located at Route 22, East, and New Providence Road. The Courthouse is the second building and is best reached by entering right from New Providence Road.

The program will feature Ellen Goldberg, Education Director of the Raptor Trust, who will speak on the difference between hawks and owls and explore their biology and ecology. Raptors are already beginning their migrations along many nearby flyways.

On Saturday, October 6, the club will sponsor a trip to Sandy Hook, which is on the Atlantic flyway and is an excellent site during spring and fall for viewing migratory birds, according to a club spokeswoman.

The group will meet at 7 a.m. at the Marshall's parking lot off of Central Avenue just prior to entering the Garden State Parkway for carpooling, or at the first parking lot at Sandy Hook at 8 a.m.

Participants are asked to bring lunch, binoculars and spotting scopes and are advised to dress warmly. Guests are always welcome at club meetings and other events.

PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following proposed bond ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Scotch Plains, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey, held on the 25th day of September, 2001, and that said ordinance will be taken up for further consideration for final passage at the meeting of said Township Council to be held in the Council Chambers in the Township Hall, 430 Park Avenue, Scotch Plains, New Jersey, on the 9th day of October, 2001, at 8:00 o'clock, P.M., or as soon thereafter as said matter can be reached, at which time and place all persons who may be interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning the same.

A copy of this ordinance has been posted on the Bulletin Board upon which public notices are customarily posted in the Township Hall of the Township, and a copy is available up to and including the time of such meeting to the members of the general public of the Township who shall request such copies, at the office of the Clerk in said Township Hall in Scotch Plains, New Jersey.

Barbara Riepe
Township Clerk
Township of Scotch Plains
County of Union
State of New Jersey

BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE UNDERTAKING OF VARIOUS IMPROVEMENTS TO SCOTCH HILLS COUNTRY CLUB IN, BY AND FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF $550,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO APPROPRIATE TOWNSHIP TRUST FUNDS AND VARIOUS GRANTS, 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.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Scotch Plains, in the County of Union, New Jersey, as follows:

Section 1. The Township of Scotch Plains, in the County of Union, New Jersey (the "Township") is hereby authorized to undertake various improvements to Scotch Hills Country Club in, by and for the Township consisting of (A) construction of a new building containing a golf pro shop, a concession area, maintenance and storage areas and other facilities, (B) renovation and improvement of the existing Country Club building, including, but not limited to, construction of ADA-compliant bathrooms, replacement of windows and the furnace and undertaking of HVAC system improvements and other improvements, (C) expansion and improvement of the parking lot and (D) various golf course improvements. Said improvements shall include all work, materials and appurtenances necessary and suitable therefor.

Section 2. The sum of $550,000 is hereby appropriated to the payment of the cost of making the improvements described in Section 1 of this ordinance (hereinafter referred to as "purpose"). Said appropriation shall be met from the proceeds of the sale of the bonds authorized, the down payment appropriated, the $23,000 Township Recreation Trust Account funds (the "Trust Account Funds") appropriated, the $150,000 Project Senior Focus grant from the County of Union (the "County Grant") appropriated, the $75,000 grant from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs (the "State Grant") appropriated and the $55,000 grant from the Union County Community Development Program, pursuant to the Federal Housing and Community Development Act (the "Federal Grant") appropriated, by this ordinance. Said improvements shall be made as general improvements and no part of the cost thereof shall be assessed against property specially benefited.

Section 3. It is hereby determined and stated that (1) the making of such improvements is not a current expense of said Township, and (2) it is necessary to finance said purpose by the issuance of obligations of said Township pursuant to the Local Bond Law (Chapter 2 of Title 40A of the New Jersey Statutes, as amended; the "Local Bond Law"), and (3) the estimated cost of said purpose is $550,000, and (4) $23,000 of said sum is to be provided by the Trust Account Funds hereinafter appropriated to finance said purpose, and (5) $150,000 of said sum is to be provided by the County Grant hereinafter appropriated to finance said purpose, and (6) $75,000 of said sum is to be provided by the State Grant hereinafter appropriated to finance said purpose, and (7) $55,000 of said sum is to be provided by the Federal Grant hereinafter appropriated to finance said purpose, and (8) $11,800 of said sum is to be provided by the down payment hereinafter appropriated to finance said purpose, and (9) the estimated maximum amount of bonds or notes necessary to be issued for said purpose is $235,200, and (10) the cost of such purpose, as hereinbefore stated, includes the aggregate amount of $46,000 which is estimated to be necessary to finance the cost of such purpose, including architect's fees, accounting, engineering and inspection costs, legal expenses and other expenses, including interest on such obligations to the extent permitted by Section 20 of the Local Bond Law.

Section 4. It is hereby determined and stated that the sum of $23,000 available in the Township's Recreation Trust Account is hereby appropriated to the payment of the cost of such purpose.

Section 5. It is hereby determined and stated that the sum of $150,000 received or to be received as the County Grant is hereby appropriated to the payment of the cost of such purpose.

Section 6. It is hereby determined and stated that the sum of $75,000 received or to be received as the State Grant is hereby appropriated to the payment of the cost of such purpose.

Section 7. It is hereby determined and stated that the sum of $55,000 received or to be received as the Federal Grant is hereby appropriated to the payment of the cost of such purpose.

Section 8. It is hereby determined and stated that moneys exceeding $11,800, appropriated for down payments on capital improvements or for the capital improvement fund in budgets heretofore adopted for said Township, are now available to finance said purpose. The sum of $11,800 is hereby appropriated from such moneys to the payment of the cost of said purpose.

Section 9. To finance said purpose, bonds of said Township of an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $235,200 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the Local Bond Law. Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate per annum as may be hereafter determined within the limitations prescribed by law. All matters with respect to said bonds not determined by this ordinance shall be determined by resolutions to be hereafter adopted.

Section 10. To finance said purpose, bond anticipation notes of said Township of an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $235,200 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the Local Bond Law in anticipation of the issuance of said bonds. In the event that bonds are issued pursuant to this ordinance, the aggregate amount of notes hereby authorized to be issued shall be reduced by an amount equal to the principal amount of the bonds so issued. If the aggregate amount of outstanding bonds and notes issued pursuant to this ordinance shall at any time exceed the sum first mentioned in this section, the moneys raised by the issuance of said bonds shall, to not less than the amount of such excess, be applied to the payment of such notes then outstanding.

Section 11. Each bond anticipation note issued pursuant to this ordinance shall be dated on or about the date of its issuance and shall be payable not more than one year from its date, shall bear interest at a rate per annum as may be hereafter determined within the limitations prescribed by law and may be renewed from time to time pursuant to and within limitations prescribed by the Local Bond Law. Each of said notes shall be signed by the Mayor and by a financial officer and shall be under the seal of said Township and attested by the Township Clerk or Deputy Township Clerk. Said officers are hereby authorized to execute said notes and to issue said notes in such form as they may adopt in conformity with law. The power to determine any matters with respect to said notes not determined by this ordinance and also the power to sell said notes, is hereby delegated to the Chief Financial Officer who is hereby authorized to sell said notes either at one time or from time to time in the manner provided by law.

Section 12. It is hereby determined and declared that the period of usefulness of said purpose, according to its reasonable life, is a period of ten years computed from the date of said bonds.

Section 13. It is hereby determined and stated that the Supplemental Debt Statement required by the Local Bond Law has been duly made and filed in the office of the Township Clerk of said Township, and that such statement so filed shows that the gross debt of said Township, as defined in Section 43 of the Local Bond Law, is increased by this ordinance by $235,200 and that the issuance of the bonds and notes authorized by this ordinance will be within all debt limitations prescribed by said Local Bond Law.

Section 14. Any funds received from the County of Union, the State of New Jersey or any of their agencies or any funds received from the United States of America or any of its agencies (other than the County, State and Federal Grants hereinbefore appropriated which shall be applied to the cost of such purpose, but shall not be applied to the payment of outstanding bond anticipation notes and the reduction of the amount of bonds authorized) in aid of such purpose, shall be applied to the payment of the cost of such purpose, or, if bond anticipation notes have been issued, to the payment of the bond anticipation notes, and the amount of bonds authorized for such purpose shall be reduced accordingly.

Section 15. The following capital ordinances adopted by the Township Council of the Township (the "Prior Ordinances") are hereby canceled: (A) Ordinance No. 20-2000 adopted on August 8, 2000; and (B) Ordinance No. 7-2001 adopted on March 13, 2001. This ordinance shall supersede the Prior Ordinances and all contracts, expenditures, encumbrances and charges made pursuant to the Prior Ordinances shall be deemed to have been made pursuant to this ordinance.

Section 16. The capital budget is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency therewith and the resolutions promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended capital budget and capital program as approved by the Director, Division of Local Government Services, is on file with the Township Clerk and is available for public inspection.

Section 17. The Township intends to issue the bonds or notes to finance the cost of the improvements described in Section 1 of this bond ordinance. If the Township incurs such costs prior to the issuance of the bonds or notes, the Township hereby states its reasonable expectation to reimburse itself for such expenditures with the proceeds of such bonds or notes in the maximum principal amount of bonds or notes authorized by this bond ordinance.

Section 18. The full faith and credit of the Township are hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and the interest on the obligations authorized by this ordinance. Said obligations shall be direct, unlimited and general obligations of the Township, and the Township shall levy **ad valorem** taxes upon all the taxable real property within the Township for the payment of the principal of and interest on such bonds and notes, without limitation as to rate or amount.

Section 19. This ordinance shall take effect twenty days after the first publication thereof after final passage.

1 T – 09/27/01, The Times Fee: $246.84

PUBLIC NOTICE

BOROUGH OF FANWOOD
NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCE 01-17-R AND PUBLIC HEARING

An ordinance was introduced by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Fanwood on September 20, 2001. Copies of this ordinance can be obtained without cost at the Fanwood Borough Hall, 75 North Martine Avenue, Fanwood, New Jersey between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The purpose of this ordinance is to **AMEND CHAPTER 58, OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF FANWOOD RELATING TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION.** This ordinance explains the definition of "alteration," and the requirement of a certificate of appropriateness relating to painting of an existing improvement.

A public hearing on this ordinance will be held on October 11, 2001 at 8:00 PM.

Eleanor McGovern
Borough Clerk

1 T – 9/27/01, The Times Fee: $22.95

PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWN OF WESTFIELD
INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals will be received by the Town of Westfield in the Council Chambers at the Municipal Building, 425 East Broad Street, Westfield, New Jersey, until 10:00 a.m., prevailing time October 15, 2001, and then publicly opened and read aloud for Contract No. WEST002, Mindowaskin Lake Overlook Improvements. This contract consists of granite pillars, piers, balustrades and posts above elevation 120.00, as specified on sheet 3 of the Contract Plans.

Copies of plans, specifications and contract documents for the proposed work are on file and open to public inspection at the Public Works Building, 959 North Avenue, West, Westfield, New Jersey and may be examined and obtained ($50) by properly qualified contractors between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays.

Each proposal must be made upon the prescribed forms furnished with the contract specifications and must be accompanied by a Bidder's Affidavit, Consent of Surety from an approved Surety Company authorized to do business in the State of New Jersey, a Plan and Equipment Questionnaire, a Non-Collusion Affidavit, Acknowledgment of Principal, Statement of Ownership, a Statement of Financial Responsibility and Bid Bond or a Certified Check drawn on a solvent bank in the amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bids; or a Bid Bond for the same amount, but in no case in excess of $20,000.00. The check or bond is to be made payable to the Town of Westfield and will be held by the Town as a guarantee that in the event the bid is accepted and the contract awarded to the bidder, the contract shall be duly executed and its performance properly secured; and in default thereof, said check or bond and the amount represented thereby will be forfeited to the aforesaid Town of Westfield as liquidated damages. Proposals must be accompanied in the case of corporations not chartered in New Jersey, by proper certification that such corporation is authorized to do business in the State of New Jersey. Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, c. 127. (N.J.A.C. 17:27)

Each proposal must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, bearing the name and address of the bidder and shall be addressed to the Town of Westfield, New Jersey and shall be endorsed "Proposal for Contract No. WEST002, Mindowaskin Lake Overlook Improvements."

1. Each successful bidder shall be required to comply with all provisions of the New Jersey prevailing local wages as determined by the New Jersey Department of Labor and Industry.
2. Each successful bidder shall be required to furnish bonds as follows:
   a. Performance Bond in a sum equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the full amount of the contract. The surety on such bond shall be a surety company duly authorized to do business within the State of New Jersey.
   b. Labor and Material Bond in a sum equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the full amount of the contract The surety on such bond shall be a surety company duly authorized to do business within the State of New Jersey.

Such Performance Bond and Labor and Material Bond must be furnished by the successful bidder simultaneously with the delivery of the executed contract by such bidder. Further, the successful bidder must furnish to the Town of Westfield copies of Certificates of Insurance required by the Contract Documents.

All Bidders must comply with N.J.S.A. 40A: 11-18, "American Goods and Products to be used where possible."

The Town of Westfield reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any minor informalities or irregularities in the bids received and to accept the bid from the lowest responsible bidder.

Kenneth B. Marsh
Town Engineer

1 T – 9/27/01, The Leader Fee: $84.66

PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following proposed bond ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Scotch Plains, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey, held on the 25th day of September, 2001, and that said ordinance will be taken up for further consideration for final passage at the meeting of said Township Council to be held in the Council Chambers in the Township Hall, 430 Park Avenue, Scotch Plains, New Jersey, on the 9th day of October, 2001, at 8:00 o'clock, P.M., or as soon thereafter as said matter can be reached, at which time and place all persons who may be interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning the same.

A copy of this ordinance has been posted on the Bulletin Board upon which public notices are customarily posted in the Township Hall of the Township, and a copy is available up to and including the time of such meeting to the members of the general public of the Township who shall request such copies, at the office of the Clerk in said Township Hall in Scotch Plains, New Jersey.

Barbara Riepe
Township Clerk
Township of Scotch Plains
County of Union
State of New Jersey

BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE UNDERTAKING OF VARIOUS IMPROVEMENTS TO KRAMER MANOR PARK IN, BY AND FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF $225,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, 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.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Scotch Plains, in the County of Union, New Jersey, as follows:

Section 1. The Township of Scotch Plains, in the County of Union, New Jersey (the "Township") is hereby authorized to undertake various improvements to Kramer Manor Park, including environmental remediation and drainage improvements in, by and for the Township. Said improvements shall include all work, materials and appurtenances necessary and suitable therefor. It is hereby determined and stated that the Township has heretofore appropriated $81,000 from the Capital Improvement Fund for drainage improvements at Kramer Manor Park pursuant to Ordinance No. 11-2000 adopted on March 28, 2000.

Section 2. The sum of $225,000 is hereby appropriated to the payment of the cost of making the improvements described in Section 1 of this ordinance. Said sum so appropriated shall be met from the proceeds of the sale of the bonds authorized, the down payment appropriated by this ordinance. It is hereby determined and stated that the Township has applied for a grant from the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and has filed an insurance claim with the State Environmental Joint Insurance Fund in order to offset the Township's cost of the environmental remediation. Any such State grant or insurance funds so received shall be applied as set forth in Section 10 hereof. Said improvements shall be made as general improvements and no part of the cost thereof shall be assessed against property specially benefited.

Section 3. It is hereby determined and stated that (1) the making of such improvements (hereinafter referred to as "purpose") is not a current expense of said Township, and (2) it is necessary to finance said purpose by the issuance of obligations of said Township pursuant to the Local Bond Law (Chapter 2 of Title 40A of the New Jersey Statutes, as amended; the "Local Bond Law"), and (3) the estimated cost of said purpose is $225,000, and (4) $10,800 of said sum is to be provided by the down payment hereinafter appropriated to finance said purpose, and (5) the estimated maximum amount of bonds or notes necessary to be issued for said purpose is $214,200, and (6) the cost of such purpose, as hereinbefore stated, includes the aggregate amount of $60,000, which is estimated to be necessary to finance the cost of such purpose, including architect's fees, accounting, engineering and inspection costs, legal expenses and other expenses, including interest on such obligations to the extent permitted by Section 20 of the Local Bond Law.

Section 4. It is hereby determined and stated that moneys exceeding $10,800, appropriated for down payments on capital improvements or for the capital improvement fund in budgets heretofore adopted for said Township, are now available to finance said purpose. The sum of $10,800 is hereby appropriated from such moneys to the payment of the cost of said purpose.

Section 5. To finance said purpose, bonds of said Township of an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $214,200 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the Local Bond Law. Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate per annum as may be hereafter determined within the limitations prescribed by law. All matters with respect to said bonds not determined by this ordinance shall be determined by resolutions to be hereafter adopted.

Section 6. To finance said purpose, bond anticipation notes of said Township of an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $214,200 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the Local Bond Law in anticipation of the issuance of said bonds. In the event that bonds are issued pursuant to this ordinance, the aggregate amount of notes hereby authorized to be issued shall be reduced by an amount equal to the principal amount of the bonds so issued. If the aggregate amount of outstanding bonds and notes issued pursuant to this ordinance shall at any time exceed the sum first mentioned in this section, the moneys raised by the issuance of said bonds shall, to not less than the amount of such excess, be applied to the payment of such notes then outstanding.

Section 7. Each bond anticipation note issued pursuant to this ordinance shall be dated on or about the date of its issuance and shall be payable not more than one year from its date, shall bear interest at a rate per annum as may be hereafter determined within the limitations prescribed by law and may be renewed from time to time pursuant to and within limitations prescribed by the Local Bond Law. Each of said notes shall be signed by the Mayor and by a financial officer and shall be under the seal of said Township and attested by the Township Clerk or Deputy Township Clerk. Said officers are hereby authorized to execute said notes and to issue said notes in such form as they may adopt in conformity with law. The power to determine any matters with respect to said notes not determined by this ordinance and also the power to sell said notes, is hereby delegated to the Chief Financial Officer who is hereby authorized to sell said notes either at one time or from time to time in the manner provided by law.

Section 8. It is hereby determined and declared that the period of usefulness of said purpose, according to its reasonable life, is a period of fifteen years computed from the date of said bonds.

Section 9. It is hereby determined and stated that the Supplemental Debt Statement required by the Local Bond Law has been duly made and filed in the office of the Township Clerk of said Township, and that such statement so filed shows that the gross debt of said Township, as defined in Section 43 of the Local Bond Law, is increased by this ordinance by $214,200 and that the issuance of the bonds and notes authorized by this ordinance will be within all debt limitations prescribed by said Local Bond Law.

Section 10. Any insurance proceeds or any funds received from the County of Union, the State of New Jersey or any of their agencies or any funds received from the United States of America or any of its agencies in aid of such purpose, shall be applied to the payment of the cost of such purpose, or, if bond anticipation notes have been issued, to the payment of the bond anticipation notes, and the amount of bonds authorized for such purpose shall be reduced accordingly.

Section 11. The Township intends to issue the bonds or notes to finance the cost of the improvements described in Section 1 of this bond ordinance. If the Township incurs such costs prior to the issuance of the bonds or notes, the Township hereby states its reasonable expectation to reimburse itself for such expenditures with the proceeds of such bonds or notes in the maximum principal amount of bonds or notes authorized by this bond ordinance.

Section 12. The full faith and credit of the Township are hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and the interest on the obligations authorized by this ordinance. Said obligations shall be direct, unlimited and general obligations of the Township, and the Township shall levy **ad valorem** taxes upon all the taxable real property within the Township for the payment of the principal of and interest on such bonds and notes, without limitation as to rate or amount.

Section 13. The capital budget is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency therewith and the resolutions promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended capital budget and capital program as approved by the Director, Division of Local Government Services, is on file with the Township Clerk and is available for public inspection.

Section 14. This ordinance shall take effect twenty days after the first publication thereof after final passage.

1 T – 09/27/01, The Times Fee: $205.02

PUBLIC NOTICE

UNION COUNTY BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS
NOTICE OF CONTRACT AWARD

Date Adopted: September 20, 2001

Public Notice is hereby given that the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders has awarded a contract without competitive bidding as a professional service or extraordinary, unspecifiable service pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a). This contract and the resolution authorizing it is available for public inspection in the Office of the Clerk of the Board.

RESOLUTION NO.: 926-2001

AWARDED TO: Greenman-Pedersen Inc., 100 Corporate Drive, Lebanon, New Jersey

SERVICES: Establishing a Traffic Sign Inventory and Shade Tree Management System.

COST: $356,193

M. Elizabeth Genievich
Clerk of the Board

1 T – 9/27/01, The Leader Fee: $20.91

PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWN OF WESTFIELD

BE ADVISED, that there will be a Special Meeting to be held on Tuesday October 2, 2001 in the Council Chambers, Town of Westfield, Municipal Building, 425 East Broad Street, Westfield, New Jersey 07090 at 2:00 p.m.

AGENDA: To establish a Ward Commission to examine the Ward Boundaries as necessary to comply with the mandated requirements per NJSA 44-9 through NJSA 44-18.

This notice is given for the purpose of compliance with the notice provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act, NJSA 10:4-6 et seq, and will be posted, mailed and filed in accordance with the provisions of the said Act.

1 T – 9/27/01, The Leader Fee: $18.87

PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWN OF WESTFIELD
INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals will be received by the Town of Westfield in the Council Chambers at the Municipal Building, 425 East Broad Street, Westfield, New Jersey, at 10:00 AM prevailing time on Monday, October 15, 2001, for "RAHWAY AVENUE TRAFFIC CALMING IMPROVEMENTS, TOWN OF WESTFIELD, NEW JERSEY."

The work under this Proposal includes the furnishing of all labor, materials and equipment necessary to complete the work as shown on the Contract Drawings and described in the Contract Specifications, and Proposals shall be in accordance with such Drawings and Specifications and the terms proposed in the Contract.

The work consists primarily of the construction of approximately: 95 tons of bituminous concrete surface course, Mix I-5; 210 tons of bituminous concrete base course, Mix I-2; 400 square yards of mill asphalt, variable depth; 1,785 linear feet of granite block curb; 335 square yards of 4 inch concrete sidewalk; 8,000 linear feet of striping; 205 square feet of pavement markings; 10 each drainage inlets; 15 reset inlets/manholes; 1,655 linear feet of granite block curbing removal; 955 square yards of full depth asphalt removal; 8,700 square feet of asphalt "Street Paint"; 5,500 square feet of topsoil and seed and other related items.

The successful bidder shall start construction ten (10) days after notice of award of Contract is given, and shall complete all work within ninety (90) calendar days after notice to proceed.

Proposals shall be in writing on the forms furnished and must be delivered at the place and before the hour above mentioned, and must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the Town of Westfield in an amount equal to at least ten percent (10%) of the base amount of the bid, but not less than $500.00 nor more than $20,000.00. Each bid must also be accompanied by a Surety Company Certificate stating that said Surety company will provide the bidder with the required Performance bond in the full amount of the Contract, by a Non-Collusion Affidavit and a Contractor's Qualification Statement, Statement of Ownership, on the forms included in and explained in the contract documents.

Bidders must be in compliance with all provisions of Chapter 127 P.L. 1975 supplement to the law against discrimination (Affirmative Action) and must pay workmen the prevailing wage rates promulgated by the New Jersey State Department of Labor and Industry for this project, copies of which are on file in the Office of the Town engineer.

Plans and specifications may be seen or procured ($50) at the office of the Town Engineer, Public Works Center, 959 North Avenue West, Westfield, New Jersey. The Mayor and Council reserve the right to reject any bid, and to waive any informality in any bid, if in the interest of the Town, it is deemed advisable to do so.

Kenneth B. Marsh
Town Engineer

1 T – 9/27/01, The Leader Fee: $61.20

CYAN YELLOW MAGENTA BLACK