



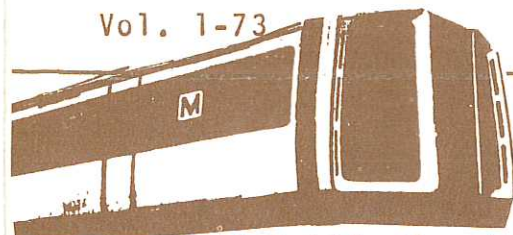
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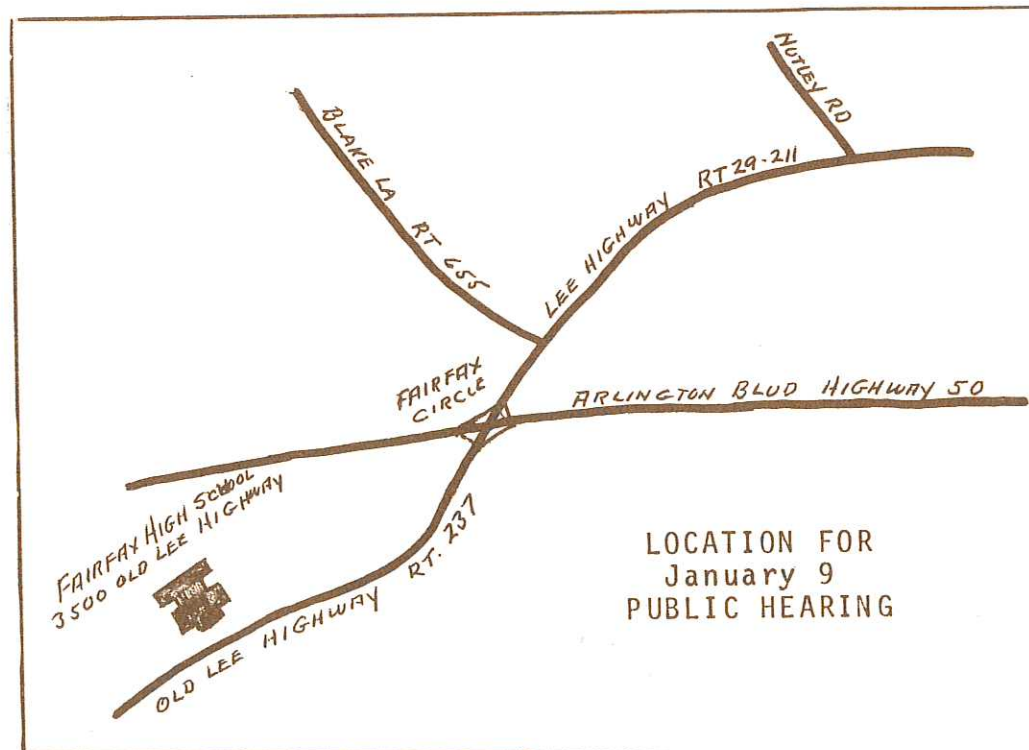
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## WMATA TO DISCUSS VIENNA METRO STATION AT PUBLIC HEARING ON JANUARY 9

A Public Hearing will be held by the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority on that portion of the proposed Vienna Route from Cedar Lane to Blake Lane including the Vienna Station. The hearing has been set for January 9 at 7:30 p.m. at Fairfax High School, 3500 Old Lee Highway in Fairfax (map below).

The Vienna Town Council, at its last meeting, voted to take a stand opposing the proposed location at Nutley Rd. and I-66 and to suggest the station be located at Rt. 123 and I-66 where much of the land has already been zoned for high density development. The decision was made on a 4-2 vote with Councilman Richard Dingman and Councilman Robert Skahan in opposition. Mayor Spriggs was absent for the voting due to illness. Concern was expressed by many Councilmen that because the station would be designed as a terminus, it would generate a damaging amount of congestion in the Town.



LOCATION FOR  
January 9  
PUBLIC HEARING

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MORE ON METRO (inside)

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HAPPY  
NEW YEAR  
TO ALL



### AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER

#### WINTER SCHEDULE

Registration for winter classes at the Community Center will take place during the first three weeks of January. New classes begin on January 22.

Programs may be obtained at the Center listing the offerings for the winter session.

#### COIN SHOW

Another popular Coin Show will be held at the Center on Saturday and Sunday, January 27 and 28. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday and noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday.

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#### WHAT TO DO IN JANUARY

Make sure your car is in top shape for winter driving.

Keep the snow shovel handy by the back door and a bag of sand in the trunk of the car.

Feed the birds.

Avoid everyone with a hint of a sniffle.



### COUNCIL MEETING DATES

Because of the January 1 Holiday, Council Meeting dates have been changed to Monday, January 8 at 8 p.m. and Monday, January 22. Normally Council Meetings are held on the first and third Mondays of the month.

A special meeting of the Vienna Town Council will be held on January 29th for the purpose of adopting the TRAFFIC CIRCULATION PLAN.

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**MAYOR**  
Joseph R. Spriggs  
**COUNCILMEN**  
Richard B. Dingman  
Paul M. Lyons  
Charles A. Robinson, Jr.  
Robert J. Skahan  
L. Dean Wallace  
Neil M. Walp  
**TOWN MANAGER**  
C. Clay Harrell

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Listed below are water saving tips which will save you money, as well as help conserve one of our natural resources.

- 1. Don't keep water running. Turn it off whenever possible. Keep water in the refrigerator for cold drinks instead of letting the water run. Don't wash vegetables, defrost meat or rinse dishes under a running spigot. A container of water will do the same job without waste.
2. Stores which supply bathroom fixtures have a small gadget to attach to your shower head which will help you to use less water. This flow regulator can cut consumption by about 50% and still give a good shower. You can install it yourself.
3. Experiment with the water level in your flush tank. By lowering the water level you may save water and still have a functioning tank.
4. Replace washers in faucets when needed to eliminate drips. Replace toilet tank bulb about every two years.
5. Wait for a full load before turning on the washing machine unless you have a water regulator for different size loads.
6. The garden hose is a spectacular water waster. It often leaks or drips. People who wash their cars with a constantly running hose, or water their lawns and let the water pour over sidewalks and down gutters, pour out gallons of water needlessly.

EXAMPLES

A silent toilet bowl leak using 1/10 gal. per minute (a small leak), will use up to about 13,000 gallons in 3 mo. or almost your entire minimum water and sewer charges.

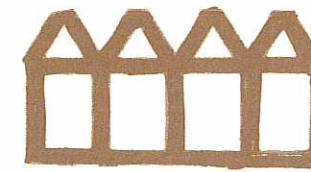
A leak in a faucet, just 1/32 of an inch in diameter wastes 25 gals. in 24 hours, or 9,125 gals. a year. A 1/16 inch stream wastes 100 gals. in 24 hours.

Each toilet flush uses about 6.5 gals. of water, a five minute shower can use 25 to 50 gals., a tub bath 25 gals., a dishwasher 20 gals a load, dishwashing by hand with water running -- 30 gals.



METRO SURVEY RESULTS

Table with 2 columns: TOWN, COUNTY. Rows include: Consider Metro beneficial (473/368), Consider Metro detrimental (308/107), Prefer station at Nutley & I-66 (426/323), Prefer station at 123 & I-66 (277/118), Prefer station at Blake Lane and I-66 (82/29)



WALLACE WILL RETIRE

After 14 years on the Vienna Town Council, L. Dean Wallace has announced that he will not seek re-election in May.

Mr. Wallace said that he was making his announcement early in order that others would have time to get their signatures and make their preparations. This is typical of the thoughtfulness which characterizes Mr. Wallace -- a true Gentleman!

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THANKS

Credit is due to Jack Byrd and the Public Works crew for the installation of all the Christmas lights in public areas throughout the Town. These are the unsung heroes behind the scenes, who seldom get to take a bow.

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APPOINTED

Police Chief, Major Vernon Jones was appointed by Council to the Criminal Justice Advisory Council of the Northern Virginia Planning District Commission for a term of two years.

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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to John Corboy on the celebration of his 25th year in the practice of law in the Town and the community.

Mr. Corboy served for some years as the Municipal Court Judge for the Town of Vienna.

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4-WAY STOP SIGNS AND LIGHTS

Last month a new 4-way stop sign was installed at Yeonas Drive & Ware St. The Planning Commission has recommended and Council has approved two more 4-way stop signs, at Church & Center and at Church & Mill Sts.

Council gave the go-ahead for bids to be taken on the installation of two stop lights on Maple Avenue, one at East Street and the other at Follin Lane. The State has promised to speed up plans for the light at Nutley and Courthouse --- long overdue.

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RE-APPOINTED

Re-appointed by Council to the Highway Safety Commission were Chairman Charles Culkin for 1 year, and for two year terms; Mrs. Suzanne Stucky, Sgt. Zed Childress, Wilber Compton, Harold Thomas and Town Manager C. Clay Harrell.

A report presented to Council, by Commission Chairman Culkin which suggested several new street signs including 4-way stops, will be considered by Council in January.

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CHARTER REVISIONS

All proposed Charter revisions (given in last month's Newsletter) were passed by Council and will be placed before the General Assembly, except the minority proposal for holding elections every two years. Vienna elections will continue to be held every year.

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