

Hospital parking program gaining support

Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital's new program to offset operating costs is now in place and is slowly attracting public support.

The Contributions to Operations Program went into effect during

May after a community forum was held April 7. As outlined at the public discussion, the program will use voluntary contributions from staff, physicians, patients and visitors to offset the costs of maintaining the parking lots and surrounding

grounds. Operating expenses are estimated to be approximately \$65,000 per year.

Blue coin drop boxes have been installed at all hospital entrances, with prominent signs displayed near the parking lots.

"Reduced government funding and rising health care costs are the

reasons why many hospitals are looking at various means of generating revenue," says Randy Esford, Georgetown Hospital's Assistant Executive Director.

"Georgetown hospital has established this Voluntary Contribution Program as a practical alternative to a paid parking program. However, if

it is to be a success, we require the full support of the public and our staff."

Georgetown hospital is presently one of only a few institutions in the province without a paid parking program. The vast majority of parking programs at Ontario hospitals are non-voluntary.

Turner addresses Chamber

By Jamie Harrison

The Halton Hills Chamber of Commerce ushered in a new board of directors Tuesday, with the help of Halton-Peel M.P. Garth Turner.

Turner was the keynote speaker. In his address, Turner congratulated Chamber members for making a positive contribution to the economy of Halton Hills, while trying to find viable ways to attract new businesses to the area in the future.

"It is not governments that create jobs, its you people who create them," Turner said.

Turner was critical of the Canadian media on several points, including the apparent coronation of Kim Campbell early in the leadership race while virtually ignoring other contenders.

Turner said he considers his campaign a success, especially

considering he was a candidate without a cabinet post.

The new Chamber board welcomed Bob Malcolmson of NRS Brand Realty as president, Dave Adair of T.D. Bank, and Walt Dixon of Park Lincoln Mercury as vice presidents, and Bob Creasy of the Georgetown Food Market as treasurer. Other directors include; Dan Bruton of the Georgetown Golf and Country Club, Sandra Dorsey of The Independent, Ted Fry of the Edmond Fry Company, Denny Foley of Varian, Jamie Malleau of CIBC, Mani Mitera of Barragers Cleaners, Tom Ramautarsingh (retired), Doug Robb of Network Industrial, Len Tuitman of Tuitman's Garden Centre, Diane Van de Valk of Wastewise, and Steve Williamson of Williamson Industries.

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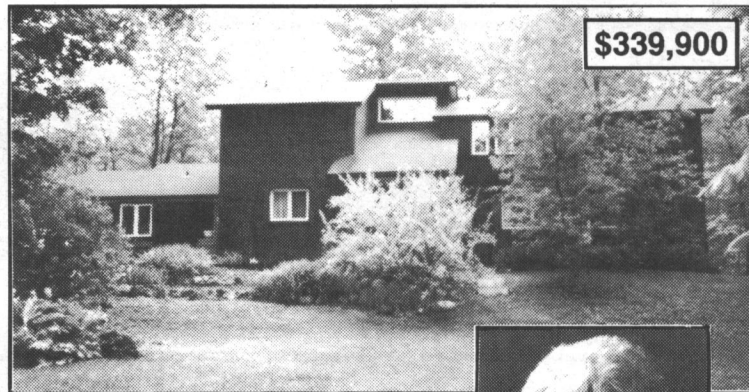
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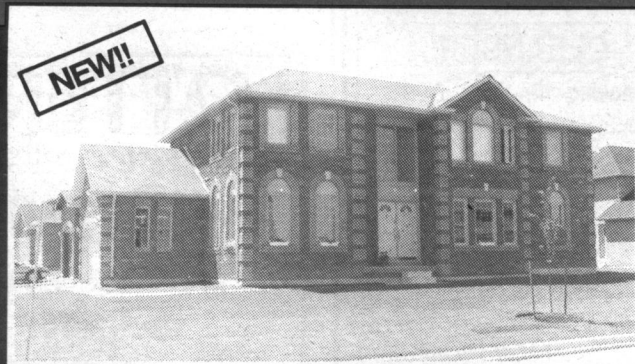
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