

# Some concern over decision

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seeing its tax dollars go to waste."

Trustees Ethel Gardiner of Halton Hills and Debbie Marklew of Oakville also voted against the delay. "I've got 3,000 more kids coming into my area (north Oakville) in five years and there's no place to put them," said Ms Marklew.

But Mr. Bird noted if enrolments do spiral, capacity will be eliminated and new school funding will come anyway. "When we have the numbers, we'll hit the trigger," he said.

Concern was also expressed about having to start over with school closure reviews, since the accommodation management committee is being disbanded and a new committee will be formed.

But Sheila Flook noted the old committee recommendations were also adopted by the board. "I believe they still hold strong," she said. "Even if we had to

start a new review list, you wouldn't see all schools go on it. It would be silly to put schools back on the list."

Mr. Papke said the delay may hold back establishment of an education development charges bylaw. The current one will expire in March.

The bylaw allows for development charges the board can use to collect money for the purchase of school sites.

The board also voted to contact 44 delegations scheduled for this week's accommodation management committee forums. They will be given the chance to attend or defer, since the process now is delayed.

The meeting schedule is as follows: Monday, Nov. 23, Queen Elizabeth Park High School; Tuesday, Nov. 24, Aldershot H.S.; and Monday, Nov. 30, Milton D.H.S. All sessions will start at 7 p.m.

# Musical art wanted in Missy

The Mississauga Symphony Orchestra is currently accepting submissions for artwork to appear in their 1999-2000 season brochure.

Submissions should be musical, either in theme or in subject, and be submitted no later than 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 1.

Artists are invited to enter a maximum of 10 items. Those wishing to have their entries returned must include a self addressed stamped envelope.

Submissions should be sent to Mississauga Symphony, 161 Lakeshore Road West, Mississauga, Ontario, L5H 1G3.

# Centre to be under scrutiny

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possibilities, such as sale or use of the J.W. Singleton centre, sharing the facility with a nearby board or other regional or municipal office, relocating offices to more appropriate and efficient space or any other innovative alternative.

*Please give to The Champion Christmas Bureau Fund to help the needy enjoy a decent holiday dinner with gifts for kids.*

# Non-tekkie tech seminar

Halton Region is playing host for a seminar on computer information technology aimed at people who manage organizations, but don't really deal with computers too much.

The seminar is for "non-technical managers, owners and senior management", according to a regional press

release. It takes place Thursday, Nov. 26 from 8:30 a.m. through to approximately noon. The cost is \$40, which includes a continental breakfast and materials, and pre-registration is required. To do so, call the regional business development centre at 825-6300.

## Stakeholder/Public Information Session

### Halton Land Ambulance Service Review

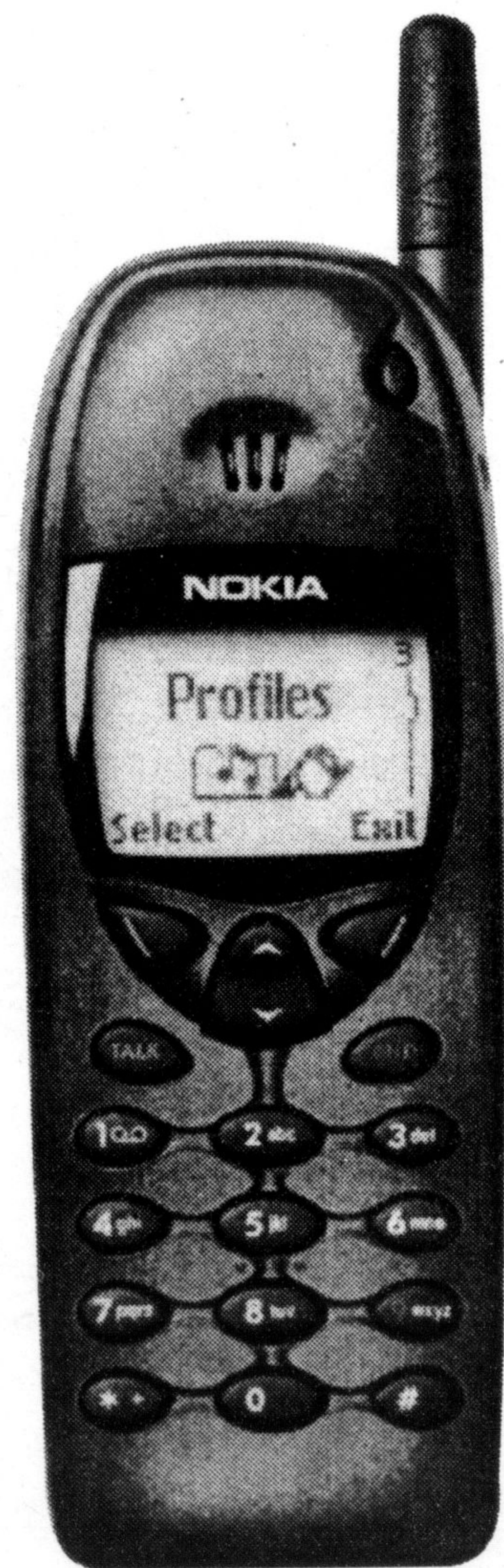
The Region of Halton currently funds land ambulance services and will assume full management of the service on January 1, 2000. In order to select an ambulance service delivery option, Halton in partnership with the Regions of Durham and York, retained a consultant to prepare a review of ambulance service options.

You are invited to attend the following Information Session:

**DATE:** December 1st, 1998  
**LOCATION:** Halton Regional Administration Building  
 1151 Bronte Road, Oakville  
 Cafeteria  
**TIME:** 3 p.m. - 7 p.m.

The consultant will make a presentation at 3:15 p.m., with a question period to follow.

For more information please contact: Lynne Simons, Social & Community Services Department (905) 825-6000 ext. 7215; or locally from Action 853-0501; from Georgetown 878-8113; from Aldershot 639-4540; from Streetsville 825-6720; TTY (905) 827-9833 or at simonsl@region.halton.on.ca



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