



Ken and Agnes Brooks will soon say their farewells to customers they've come to know over the past 15 years at Becker's Milk, Winona Drive, Stouffville. The corner property's been sold. The future of the site remains unclear. — Jim Thomas

It was 'a family affair' Store soon to close

STOUFFVILLE — It's been a family affair. For almost 16 years, Ken and Agnes Brooks and children have managed the Becker's Milk store on Winona Drive.

This close association will end March 20. The property has been sold.

The corner of Winona Drive and Main is to be redeveloped, a spokesman for Sun Oil Co. told The Tribune. It's expected a self-serve gas bar will continue but plans are indefinite for the remainder of the site.

The long hours and the seven-day weeks posed no problem for Mr. Brooks. "It helped keep the family together," he says.

Over the years, each one had a hand in the business including daughters Marilyn, Susie, Debbie, (deceased), and Patti; sons Ken, Robert and Don; and of course, wife Agnes.

Mr. Brooks became the store's manager after 25 years in the Royal Canadian Navy. He retired from the Service holding the rank of Chief Petty Officer.

The Brooks' family never experienced the trauma of an armed hold-up. One reason for this, Ken points out, was his policy of never leaving one person in charge. Seeing two people behind the counter made would-be thieves more wary, he says.

At age 57, Mr. Brooks doesn't plan to retire, nor does he plan to leave Stouffville.

Ken and Agnes have made too many friends to pull up stakes now.

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