



# Town of Whitchurch - Stouffville

'The way I see it'

by Mayor Ken Laushway

**WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE** - Each week, through The Tribune, Ken Laushway, Mayor, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville answers questions on issues of local interest. They are posed by The Tribune or from ratepayers through The Tribune.

**Question:** An improved property inspection policy is required in Whitchurch-Stouffville, particularly with respect to apartments. I know of one family on Main Street that are paying \$150 per month rent but must sit with their coats on in temperatures of 52 degrees. Cannot this problem be rectified?

**Answer:** I fully realize that such problems exist. Discussions at the council level are now underway with the hope that by-laws can be prepared to guard against such situations.

**Question:** If the public is allowed to use Vivian Forest, why cannot proper toilet facilities be provided? The men's wooden privy is such a disgusting mess, it should be reported to the Dept. of Health.

**Answer:** The Vivian Forest is owned by the Region of York but operated by the Dept. of Lands and Forests. I'm pleased this matter has been brought to my attention. I will see that it is directed to the proper authorities immediately.

**Question:** Were you surprised to learn that the 450-home Duiverton Development (Stouffer-Lehman farms) had been turned down by Metro Planning Board?

**Answer:** No. The development was considered premature due to the size of the sewage disposal plant and no approval for its enlargement has yet come through from the Ontario Water Resources Commission. Flood control and sewage is now under the jurisdiction

of the Regional Government and future negotiations will be at that level. The Regional Board is being flooded with similar subdivision applications. I do not expect any action on the matter for at least three months.

**Question:** Sub-postoffices, at both the east and west ends of Stouffville would benefit many people, particularly the elderly. Could this be arranged?

**Answer:** Responsibility for mail service is a federal

matter. I do not expect any change in Stouffville for the next 2 or 3 years. When that change does come, I expect it to be in the form of door-to-door postal delivery. A request for one sub-postoffice was made by the council of 1970 but was turned down because the village population at that time was under 5,000.

**Question:** What is the status of the Stouffville Fire Department under Regional Government and what is the current per call rate in



## Posture perfect student at Stouffville High

Sixteen year old Chris Heaton, Park Drive North, is the 1971 'posture queen' of Stouffville Dist. Secondary School. She was selected from six semi-finalists at the annual Valentine Dance. Friday night. Chris is a student in Grade 11. Runners-up were - Heten Lewis, Grade 12 and Mary Lou Hall, Grade 11. —Jas. Thomas.

## Whitchurch-Stouffville?

**Answer:** The Fire Department remains under the jurisdiction of the local council with a regional co-ordinator appointed to establish a plan for all of York in cases of emergency. The per call rate for 1971 is still being negotiated with no agreement finalized.

## Late Joseph Tran Outstanding plowman

**CLAREMONT** Service will be held Thursday (today) at 2 p.m., from the Dixon Funeral Home, Markham, for the late Joseph G. Tran, Claremont, R.R.2,

following his passing, Feb. 15 in the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Toronto. Surviving besides his wife, the former Freda Silverthorn are three sons, Robert, William and James and four daughters, Carolyn Williams, Betty Jeanne (Mrs. Robt. Hall), Cathryn and Christine. There are two grandchildren, John and Janet Williams. Interment will be made in Stouffville Cemetary.

## Students get through so - No sympathy for stranded staff

**YORK REGION** - Good roads or bad, fair weather or foul, staff teachers within the Region of York are expected to put forth a determined effort to reach their schools.

Such was the rigid stand taken by Education Director Sam Chapman at a meeting of the York Board, Feb. 8.

Mr. Chapman said that while he wasn't concerned if teachers, under such conditions, were late, he was concerned if they made no attempt to get to school at all.

At one school in particular (Pine Orchard), it was noted that several pupils walked the distance but no teachers turned up.

Mr. Chapman said that with enrollment down, the teachers missed a golden opportunity to provide individual instruction to the few that did attend. He pointed out that just because the buses cannot complete their regular rounds does not mean that classes will be closed down.

Attendance no longer has a bearing on government grants, he said. Enrollment establishes the grant figure.

Dr. Jerome DeLaurier, Main St. W., was one of 1,500 chiropractors, attending a seminar at the Fairmont Hotel in Dallas, Texas.

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