

Richards is choice for top council post

Rob Richards was the unanimous selection for President of the Vernonia City Council, at the council's first meeting of 1987 on January 5.

The senior member of what is basically a brand new council, Richards was appointed to his position last October to fill the unexpired portion of Dorothy

Knowlton's term after her resignation in September, 1986.

At the same meeting, newly elected council members Tom Buffington and Mario Leonetti were sworn in to serve four year terms on the council, and appointee Jan Miyasaki was sworn in to fill the remainder of Bill Hansen's term. Hansen

resigned after the December 15 council meeting.

Mayor Wallace Vaughn announced 1987 committee assignments as follows (the first named is chairperson of the committee): Judicial - Richards, Buffington and Miyasaki; Parks - Leonetti, Miyasaki and Richards; Streets, Sewers & Water - Buffington, Miyasaki, Leonetti

and Richards; Fire - Miyasaki, Richards and Leonetti; Ambulance - Buffington, Leonetti and Miyasaki; Police - Richards, Buffington and Miyasaki.

Named as council representatives to the Cemetery Operating Committee and to the Planning Commission were Leonetti and Miyasaki, respectively.

Budget committee starts meetings

The first meeting of the Budget Committee for the 1987-88 Vernonia school year will be held on March 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the school district office. The office is located at 475 Bridge Street in Vernonia. The public is welcome to attend Budget Committee meetings.



Selected for education grants are (L-R) Cindy Webb, Brody McMann, Estella Morgan, Tony Dettmers and Tim Sexton. Steve Jones was unavailable.

Six VHS students are awarded study grants

Six Vernonia High School students have been selected for educational grants valued at \$400 each.

The grants will be awarded upon the successful completion of individual learning projects under the direction of a designated faculty advisor.

Selected for the program, based upon standardized test scores, class performance and evidence of initiative and talent were Steve Jones who will work in photo journalism. As part of these re-

quirements, he will do photo assignments for The INDEPENDENT. Brody McMann and Estella Morgan will each do assignments in machine language and computer programming. Tony Dettmers will work in the field of drama and Cindy Webb in vocal music. Tim Sexton will do documentary research on evolution.

Upon successful completion of these projects they will participate in summer enrichment programs at one of several colleges and universities.

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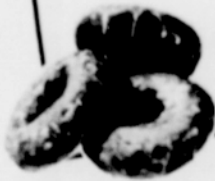
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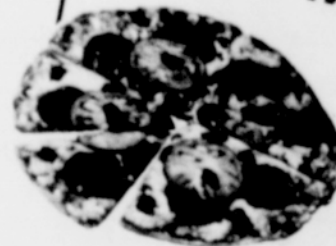


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