

growth. The plan also allows for no areas outside the municipalities to be included, and furthermore, Pine Knoll Shores has built-in controlled density zoning appropriate to its needs.

Commissioner Jerome reported one paragraph has been added to the recently adopted ordinance concerning screening of pilings under structures in the Town. The paragraph reads: "If the screening involves structural work, the Building Inspector also must determine whether it meets local, state and federal law standards, particularly with reference to break-away walls as defined in the ordinance of the Town adopted September 4, 1979, to incorporate Flood Plain Management Regulations." The Commissioners voted to accept the wording.

The matter of one and two day rentals of condominiums has been of concern to some residents of Pine Knoll Shores recently, and Commissioner Jerome reported the Planning Board has discussed this and Jack Greata, a Pine Knoll Townes resident, was asked to obtain copies of the by-laws of the several condominium associations to determine how they deal with short-term rental problems.

Commissioner Brad Smith reported that Charles McCord has been hired to do the roadside mowing in the Town this summer, most of which he already has accomplished. He also reported that a new spray unit for mosquito control has been purchased.

Mayor Cleveland praised the quick action of Police Commissioner Jack Thompson and the Pine Knoll Shores police that resulted in the speedy recovery of a boat stolen from the canal parallel to Beechwood Drive. A factor in the resolution of this theft was the prompt reporting of the theft by Commissioner Johnson and his wife to the police, which the Mayor said was commendable and a fine example of how "Neighborhood Watch" benefits the residents of the Town.

Finally, Mayor Cleveland announced the election of Nancy Peterson as chief of the Rescue Squad, and Peter Crumley the new assistant chief. Brenda Cox and Dan Sotir, formerly chief and assistant chief respectively, have resigned in accordance with the squad's by-laws.

#### GARDEN CLUB

#### INSTALLS OFFICERS

Pine Knoll Shores Garden Club held its annual installation of officers and luncheon at the Beaufort House on Wednesday, June 10. Jo Zeller was in charge of the luncheon arrangements. Elizabeth Ames, the club's first president, installed the new officers, who are: Martha Hare, president; Louise Jolitz, vice president; Connie Browne, treasurer. Continuing in office are Helen Granger, second vice president; Irene Doremus, recording secretary, and Nancy Peterson, corresponding secretary.

Outgoing president Becky Moore recognized the past presidents in attendance, including Elizabeth Ames, Janet Robbins and Audry Hoffmeyer; also the charter members who were present, including Vern Wallace, Marion Archibald, Irma Brossman, Audry Hoffmeyer, Newell Haller, Elizabeth Ames and Kay Jerome. The club was organized in 1974.

Lynn Johnson presented Becky Moore with a brass door knocker on behalf of the club members, and in turn, Becky Moore presented the gavel and president's pin to incoming president Martha Hare. In her acceptance, Martha Hare challenged the members to continue their interest in the club's primary goal, that of keeping Pine Knoll Shores clean and beautiful.

The club's next general meeting will be in September.