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NEW MEETING LOCATION

OCTOBER will be the last meeting to be held at K of C in Warren.

COOLER OF CHEER!

The Detroit Area Steelheader annual cooler of cheer raffle will again take place this Fall. The lucky winning ticket will be drawn at the annual Christmas meeting on Dec. 17. The lucky winner will receive a **128 quart cooler full of cheer, a big assortment of party snacks and \$100 in cash**; a prize well worth the one buck investment.

As in the past, an incentive plan has been developed to encourage you to sell tickets for this raffle.

For the October membership meeting, for every \$15 of cooler ticket sales turned in by a member, you will receive one chance at a **Winner's Choice Prize Package**. There are four prizes to choose from; a Daiwa spinning rod & reel, an AC electric fillet knife, a Normark 50# digital scale or a 4-cell Mag-lite Flashlight. You will have your name put in the drawing two times if you sell \$30 in tickets, 3 times for \$45.

Names will remain in the drawing for the November monthly meeting where a lucky member will win choice of one of the three remaining prizes. Finally, the overall top ticket seller will

win a **Portable hand-held GPS unit**. (This is a great boat tool, so you may want to talk to your crew and pool your results.) Contact Ray Banbury ----- (810) 542-8007 for additional tickets.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS MEETING
DECEMBER 17 at our NEW
MEETING PLACE 12 Mile &
Rochester in Royal Oak.....

DIRECTOR ELECTIONS COMING
DECEMBER

The annual election for the Detroit Area STEELHEADERS Board of Directors will take place at the Christmas meeting. There are five openings for election expected this year.

This is a chance to help direct our club and to give back some of what you have gained by being a member.

Interested parties should contact President Karakas or any other board member at the October meeting. All you have to do is to fill out a short form stating your interests and how you can help; then get your picture taken. The candidate's info and photos will appear in the November issue of Fishin' Tales.

HARBOR BEACH II A BUST

Thanks to the remnants of hurricane Fran, the Harbor Beach II tournament was a blow

out. As always, it's safety first.

BIG "M" 3-WAY FISHOFF

The annual fish-off with Metro-West and Saginaw STEELHEADERS is set for November 2 on the Big Manistee and Little Manistee rivers.

The 1996 Edition of the Inter-club rivalry is the tenth annual tournament pitting the skills of each club against the other two.

The coveted prize is a traveling trophy and bragging rights for the coming year.

Doug Karakas will again head the tournament for the DAS. The winner will be decided on the basis of total weight of fish caught (with a limit of three fish per man) divided by the number of each club's fishermen.

The tentative fishing hours are from 6am until 4 pm with a weigh-in from 4:30 pm til 5pm at Fisherman's Headquarters. Check with Doug to confirm.

All Detroit Area STEELHEADERS are encouraged to participate. You can sign up at the October meeting or at Fisherman's Headquarters in Wellston before the tourney. If you need more information call Doug at (810) 545-1181 or see him at the October meeting. This is a fabulous event; one that you won't want to miss.

DETROIT AREA



STEELHEADERS

**WE ARE MOVING OUR
MEETING LOCATION
BEGINNING NOVEMBER 26th**

OUR MEETING LOCATION WILL BE AT THE

AMERICAN LEGION HALL

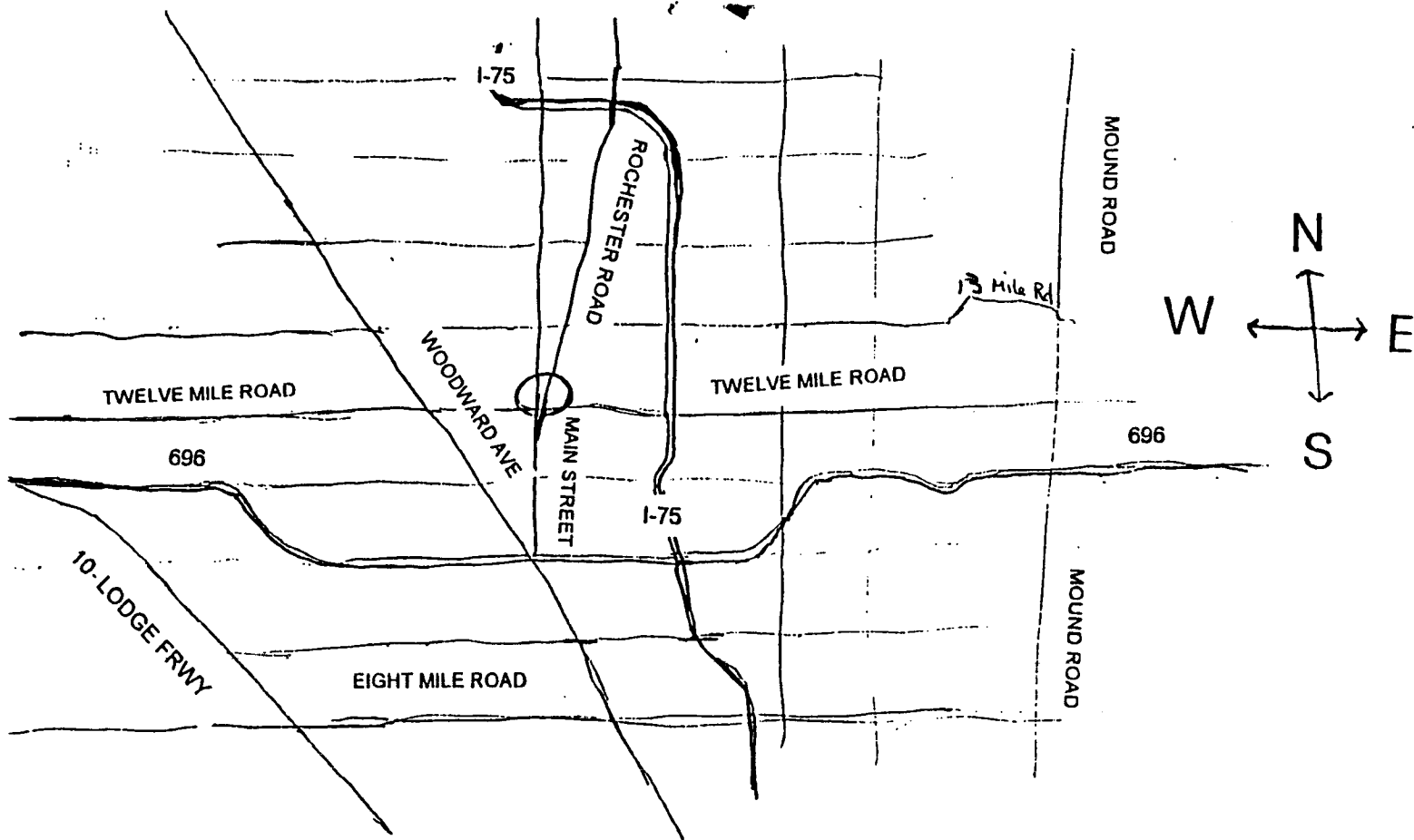
AT THE CORNER OF

12 MILE ROAD AND ROCHESTER ROADS

IN ROYAL OAK

SEE YOU IN ROYAL OAK STARTING ON NOVEMBER 26th

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR MAP



FROM I-75 EXIT 12 MILE ROAD GO WEST 1 1/2 MILES TO ROCHESTER ROAD. PARK IN THE NORTH LOT THE ENTRANCE TO THE MEETING HALL IS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE BUILDING.

FROM WOODWARD AVE HEAD EAST ON 12 MILE RD APPROXIMATELY 2 1/2 MILES TO ROCHESTER ROAD PARK IN THE NORTH LOT THE ENTRANCE TO THE MEETING HALL IS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE BUILDING



Proposal D...

It's not just about bears.

PROPOSAL D IS DANGEROUS:

Proposal D would strip Michigan wildlife professionals of their authority to scientifically manage the state's thriving bear population; thereby endangering those citizens and their property who live or travel in these bear populated areas.

PROPOSAL D IS DECEPTIVE:

The animal rights extremists want Michigan voters to believe the state's black bear is endangered as a species. In truth, through professional scientific management, the bear population has doubled since 1990 and is now at a record high level.

PROPOSAL D IS DESTRUCTIVE:

Proposal D attempts to destroy a great heritage enjoyed by millions of Michigan families: your freedom to hunt & fish. Proposal D furthers the anti-hunting agenda of the Animal Rights Extremists, their wealthy out-of-state supporters, and Hollywood friends.

Quotes from Animal Rights groups supporting Proposal D:

"We have our eye on the prize; an end to sport hunting in America." Wayne Pacelle, U.S. Humane Society.

"Michigan is one of those states where people would shoot their mother if she had four legs." Cleveland Amory, president of Fund for Animals, Detroit News and Detroit Free Press, June 11, 1996

PROPOSAL G IS GOOD FOR WILDLIFE



PROPOSAL G IS GOOD FOR PROFESSIONAL WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT:

It allows the continued use of scientific management principles to regulate game and hunters for the best long range protection of the species.

PROPOSAL G GUARANTEES THE PUBLIC A VOICE:

Every citizen will share the opportunity to express their views through mandated public meetings.

PROPOSAL G IS GREAT FOR MICHIGAN TAXPAYERS AND PROPERTY OWNERS:

Bears by nature are predators and an over abundance will threaten people and property if not managed by trained wildlife biologists. An out of control bear population causing property owner damage, personal injury, or even loss of life could cost taxpayers and property owners millions of dollars.

VOTE NO ON PROPOSAL D
VOTE YES ON PROPOSAL G

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ATTENTION RIVER RATS

Winter tournament Schedules for 1996-97 River Rats.

Patch up the waders, it's time to hit the river mouths and pierheads. River tournament chairman Doug Karakas has announced the following schedule:

- Nov. 2 Manistee River- 3 way
- Dec. 7 Ausable River
- Jan. Clinton River Clinic TBD
- Feb. Higgins Lake--Ice Fishing
- Mar. Manistee River

RUN FOR A DIRECTOR DON'T FORGET TO VOTE

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