NORTHWEST SUBURBS

Forum on aging

The Northwest Hennepin Human Services Council is holding its 20th Annual senior forum on Wednesday, April 2, from 8:30 a.m. to noon. There will be speakers on issues from vision loss to Alzheimer’s and Medicare. People age 55 and older are invited to attend. The event is free, but registration is preferred.

The forum will be held at the Brooklyn Park Community Activity Center, 5600 85th Av. N. For more information or to register, call Anita Perkins at 763-503-2520 or e-mail anita@nwhhsc.org.

NEW HOPE AND CRYSTAL

DFLers will check in with constituents

Local DFL legislators are holding a town hall meeting from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Saturday. State Sen. Ann Rest of New Hope and State Reps. Sandra Peterson, New Hope, and Lyndon Carlson, Crystal, will be present to talk about issues in this legislative session. The meeting will be held at the Crystal Community Center, 4800 Douglas Drive.

MOUNDS VIEW

City plans discussion on County Road 10

Mounds View officials have invited developers, real estate brokers and staff from other cities to a roundtable discussion of redevelopment along County Road 10, the center of the city’s business community. The discussion is scheduled for April 7 at a City Council work session at City Hall.

There are 10 contiguous properties for sale running southeast along County Road 10, totaling 12.3 acres. The city owns one of the properties, the site of a former gas station at County Roads 10 and H2. The discussion also will cover the future of the Saturn car dealership, also for sale, in the same area.

Because the city owns only one of the properties, its role is limited “just to promoting it to the development community,” said economic development specialist Heidi Steinmetz. "We’re trying to gain insight from the development community, both those who are familiar with the area and those who aren’t."

NORTH METRO AREA

A free way to unload unwanted electronics

Waste Management and Sony are offering free electronics drop-off at sites around the