

# **Council Turns Down Developer's Proposal**

The Alexandria City Council, at its meeting Tuesday, refused to formally consider a proposal by developer Morton Sarubin to purchase most of the city's subsidized housing projects.

In a discussion after the vote, council members agreed with City Manager Douglas Harman that it would be "of interest" to the council if Sarubin prepared a detailed outline of his plan, including a proposed purchase price.

After the meeting, Sarubin said he planned to go ahead with the feasibility study.

The public housing issue will be discussed again at a public hearing before the council this weekend. The hearing is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Saturday in council chambers at City Hall, King and Royal streets.