

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
May 5th. 1953

MEETING called to Order by Finance chairman, Warren Smith, who presided in the absence of Mayor Dimmick.

Councilmen present: Mr. Lesmiester, Mr. Smith and Mr. Young, and Recorder Kanick

Budget Committee members present: Messrs. Crissey, Hampton, Moore, Zickler, and Tisdale.

All members were presented with copies of the tentative budget both on expenditures and receipts. Each department and each item in each department was discussed.

Mr. Smith pointed out that some proposed expenditures had to be cut to balance with the amount of revenues from all sources but the major portion was approved including a raise in the recorder's salary to \$ 2100.00. Mr. Hampton pointed out that the 6 % <sup>last year</sup> increase allowable each year was based on the amount levied for property taxes, and should be added onto that amount. Mr. Smith was happy to state that if the method used to arrive at his budget figure was incorrect and that \$5000 additional could be added to it, it would solve the problem of having to cut estimates and allow more for street work.

On motion by Mr. Young, meeting adjourned for further study of this matter.

*Glady Kanick*  
Glady Kanick, City Recorder