

RESOLUTION NO. XXVII

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF CANBY, CLACKAMAS COUNTY, OREGON, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE LEGAL VOTERS OF SAID CITY FOR THEIR ADOPTION OR REJECTION THE CHARTER AMENDMENT GRANTING TO THE CITY COUNCIL THE POWER TO LICENSE, TAX, AND REGULATE, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CITY REVENUE, ALL SUCH BUSINESS, CALLINGS, TRADES, EMPLOYMENTS AND PROFESSIONS AS THE COUNCIL MAY REQUIRE TO BE LICENSED AND AS ARE NOT PROHIBITED BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF OREGON.

WHEREAS, the City of Canby has during the past few years, experienced a rapid increase in growth both of population and industry, and

WHEREAS, the demands and needs of the citizens for more and varied benefits, additional municipal services, and more public improvements cannot be satisfied unless a comprehensive and satisfactory plan for defraying the costs thereof is first devised, and

WHEREAS, the revenue sources of the City are comparatively limited under the City Charter while there is a continual and unlimited increase of city government expense, and the amount of revenue now available from existing sources does not now permit nor will it permit without augmentation the modernization of city government coupled with the furnishing of additional and needed city improvements, public services and public facilities, and

WHEREAS, a city charter amendment granting to the City Council the power to license, tax and regulate for the purpose of revenue business, callings, trades, employments and professions, would enable the City Council to enact into law an appropriate ordinance for such purpose, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that a special election be and the same is hereby called to be held in the City of Canby, Clackamas County, State of Oregon, on the 5th day of June, 1961, at which

time there will be submitted to the legal voters of said City a proposed amendment to the Charter of the City of Canby, and which proposed amendment shall consist of one (1) new section to be added to Chapter II, entitled POWERS, in the Charter of said City of Canby, and to be designated as Section 3. The said amendment to be submitted shall be as follows:

CHARTER AMENDMENT SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS
BY THE COMMON COUNCIL

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF
CANBY, OREGON:

That the Charter of the City of Canby, Oregon,
adopted by the people December 6, 1948, and which
became effective January 1, 1949, be and the same is
hereby amended by adding to Chapter II the following
section numbered 3, to-wit:

Section 3: The City Council shall have power
to license, tax and regulate for the purpose
of city revenue, all such business, callings,
trades, employments and professions as the
Council may require to be licensed, and as
are not prohibited by the Laws of the State
of Oregon.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the ballot title under
which this proposed amendment shall appear on the ballot is
as follows:

CHARTER AMENDMENT SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS
BY THE COMMON COUNCIL

PURPOSE: To amend the Charter of the City of Canby,
Oregon, to grant to the City Council the power to
license, tax and regulate for the purpose of City
revenue all such business, callings, employments
and professions as the Council may require to be
licensed and as are not prohibited by the Laws of
the State of Oregon.

Mark a cross (x) between the number and the answer
voted for. Vote YES or NO.

SHALL THE AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED?

100 _____ YES

101 _____ NO

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that at said special election

there shall be one polling place, to-wit: Canby City Hall, at which polling place all qualified legal voters shall vote, and which said polling place shall be open from 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Oregon Standard Time, and the City Recorder is hereby authorized to appoint an election board for said voting precinct, and the said board shall qualify in the manner provided by Law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Recorder of the City of Canby, and he is hereby ordered and directed, to publish a notice of this election, by posting a notice in six (6) public and conspicuous places within the City of Canby at least ten days prior to the date of said election, and which said notices shall set forth the time, place and purpose of said election, but need not contain the full amendment; and in addition the Recorder shall cause to be published in the Canby Herald the proposed charter amendment, together with the ballot title and number of said amendment, and the same shall be published once each week for two (2) successive weeks, the first publication to be not less than fifteen (15) days prior to said election, at which said election the proposed charter amendment is to be voted on; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Recorder, and he is hereby ordered and directed, prepare the ballots and other necessary paraphernalia to conduct said election.

Adopted by the Canby City Council this 17 day of April, 1961.

Earl Oliver
EARL OLIVER - Mayor

ATTEST
J. R. Richardson
J. R. Richardson, City Recorder