

ORDINANCE NO. 365.

AN ACT to call a special election to be held in the City of Canby, Clackamas County, Oregon, for the purpose of voting a special tax levy to erect an additional fire-station within the corporate limits of said City; to issue and sell bonds, if necessary, for the purpose of providing the maximum amount to the City of Canby, Oregon, for its share of the costs in the erection of such additional fire-station to be paid out of the special annual tax funds; that said proposed tax levy and the issuance and sale of bonds, if necessary, be placed on the ballot for the approval of the legal voters of said City of Canby, at a special election to be held on May 16, 1952, at the two regular voting precincts within the corporate limits of Canby.

WHEREAS, because of the crowded and inadequate space and facilities in the present fire station of the City of Canby Fire Department for the housing, care and protection of the Canby fire fighting equipment, together with the fire fighting equipment of the Canby Rural Fire Protection District and because of the rapid growth of the population of the said City of Canby requiring more fire fighting equipment, and because of the fact that the citizens and property holders on the South side of the S.P. Railroad tract, and Highway 99E, the Canby Fire Department is many times delayed by trains and other traffic, which prevents them to reach their destination of a fire in time to be of assistance; and that it is necessary, convenient and expedient that another fire station be erected for the purposes above stated.

WHEREAS adequate space is obtainable on South Second and South Grant Streets, within the corporate limits of said City of Canby, upon which to erect such additional fire fighting station, for the mutual occupation and benefit of the City of Canby Fire Department, and the Canby Rural Fire District, to be jointly owned.

WHEREAS, the said fire station is to be 55 feet by 65 feet, or thereabouts at a cost of \$30,000.00, of which the City of Canby shall pay one-half thereof, and not to exceed \$15,000.00, and the Canby Rural Fire District to pay one-half, or \$15,000.00; and the said Canby Rural Fire District will agree to pay one-half of the costs and maintenance of said fire station and grounds, during its existence and occupancy thereof.

THE CITY OF CANBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That a special election will be held in the City of Canby Oregon, on May 16, 1952, for the purpose of voting a tax levy of not more than 3 mills on the dollar on all taxable property within the corporate limits of the City of Canby, each year, for ~~four~~ consecutive and successive years, to-wit, for the years, 1953 to and including the year 1956 for the purpose of raising sufficient money, of not to exceed \$15,000.00, the City of Canby's share towards the erection of such additional fire station, and for the purpose of raising sufficient money for the retirement of the bonds to be voted on to pay for the one-half costs towards the erection of said fire station and for the retirements of the bonds, *and for maintenance and repairs of said fire station & equipment*

SECTION 2. That said additional fire station shall not exceed the cost of \$30,000.00, and be 55 feet by 65 feet in dimension, and of tile construction, of which the City of Canby shall pay not more than \$15,000.00 and the Canby Rural Fire District \$15,000.00.

SECTION 3. That in order to raise sufficient money for the erection of said additional fire station for the purposes aforesaid, it will be necessary that the City of Canby vote a bond issue of not less than \$15,000.00, which said bonds shall call for *the lowest interest rate obtainable* ~~not more than 4~~ interest per annum, and are to be retired from time to time out of the annual special tax levy to be voted on for this purpose.

SECTION 4. It is hereby adjudged and declared that existing conditions are such that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace and safety; and to insure better facilities for the protection of life, limb and property; and owing to the urgent and immediate need of more space and facilities for the fire fighting equipment of the City of Canby, and the Canby Fire Protection District, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this act shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Passed by the Common Council of the City of Canby, 5/5, 1952.

Approved by the Mayor of the City of Canby, Oregon, 5/5, 1952.

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MAYOR.

ATTEST:

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City Recorder.