

CITY OF SHERWOOD, OREGON

ORDINANCE NO. 649

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING BUDGET FOR THE YEAR 1974-75, AS REVIEWED (~~AND REVISED~~) PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF SHERWOOD ON JULY 8th, 1974, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE LEGAL VOTERS OF THE CITY THE QUESTION OF LEVYING TAXES FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1974, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 1975, FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE CITY IN THE SUM OF \$ 36,901.00 IN EXCESS OF THE TAX BASE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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WHEREAS, the budget for the City of Sherwood for the year beginning July 1, 1974, and ending June 30, 1975, was duly approved by the Budget Committee April 29, 1974, after proceeding in accordance with Chapter 294, ORS, and

WHEREAS, a hearing by the City Council on the budget as approved by the Budget Committee, after due and legal notice was held on the 21st day of May, 1974, whereat all interested persons were afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard for and against any item in the budget, and

WHEREAS, the Council determined and therefore submitted to the voters of the City of Sherwood at a special election called to be held for that purpose the question of a general fund tax levy for said period in the sum of \$36,901.00 in excess of the limitation at a special election held on Monday, June 17, 1974, and at said election said proposed levy was rejected by a vote of 87 in favor and 88 against said levy, and

WHEREAS, the Council has subsequent to said election reviewed the proposed budget and (~~has deleted certain proposed expenditures therefrom thereby correspondingly reducing the required revenues~~) (has determined to resubmit the budget without further revision) and has determined that sufficient funds to operate the essential functions of the City of Sherwood for the period July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975, cannot be made available within the limits of the presently existing tax base of the City, and therefore, it is necessary to submit the following proposition to the voters of the City at a special election called and held for that purpose; and

WHEREAS, of the total proposed general fund tax levy for said period \$11,126.00 is within the limitation of Section 11, Article XI, Oregon Constitution, and the sum of \$ 36,901.00 is in excess of said limitation, it is necessary to submit to the legal voters of the City the question hereinafter set forth, NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY OF SHERWOOD DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the budget for the year beginning July 1, 1974, and ending June 30, 1975, ~~as revised~~, as heretofore adopted by the Budget Committee and as duly published and heard, reviewed (and revised) in accordance with ORS 294.435, a copy whereof is hereto attached and by this reference made a part hereof, be, and the same is hereby adopted.

Section 2: That a special election is hereby called to be held on July 9, 1974, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m., at the designated polling place. Council Chambers, City Hall, Sherwood, Oregon, 385 N.W. 1st Street, Sherwood, Oregon, for the purpose of submitting to the legal voters of the City, the following proposition, for which purpose the following ballot title, number and form in which the question shall be printed upon the official ballot is prescribed:

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Submitted to the voters by the City Council

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"Shall the City of Sherwood be authorized to levy for maintenance and operation of the City for the period beginning July 1, 1974, and ending June 30, 1975, the sum of \$ 36,901.00 in excess of the tax base of the City computed in accordance with Section 11, Article XI, Oregon Constitution?"

Explanation of ballot question:

The purpose of the levy is to provide funds for continuation of police protection, planning, administrative services, park maintenance and other city services.

If this measure is approved, the operating budget to be financed by local taxes for the tax year 1974-75 will be \$ 11,740.00 greater than the operating budget financed by local taxes for the preceding year.

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Mark a cross (X) or (✓) inside the voting square to indicate your choice.

YES  I vote in favor of the proposed levy.

NO  I vote against the proposed levy.

Section 3: In all respects the conduct of the election on the tax levy proposition shall conform to the procedures established pursuant to law for the conduct of the primary election, and the polls shall be opened at the same hour and closed at the same hour and all other applicable provisions in accordance with the election laws of the State of Oregon.

Section 4: Notice of the City tax levy proposal, substantially in the form hereto attached, designated "Exhibit A" and by this reference made a part hereof, shall be given by publication in three issues of the Times, to-wit: June 29, June 30th, and July 4, 1974, and by posting to be accomplished not later than June 29, 1974, at each of the following places:

1. At the front door of the City Hall, exposed to public view, 385 N.W. 1st Street, Sherwood, Oregon.
2. At the front window, exposed to public view, of Woody's Bakery, Railroad Street, between Washington and Main, Sherwood, Oregon.

3. At the front door, exposed to public view, of the United States National Bank, 1st and Washington Streets, Sherwood, Oregon.
4. At the front window, exposed to public view of the Post Office, 260 Railroad Avenue, Sherwood, Oregon;

The City Recorder is directed to cause to have published and posted said notices and shall file in the records of said election affidavits thereof in the usual form.

Section 5: The Council deems it unnecessary to furnish the legal voters of the City any election pamphlets or any materials setting forth the text of the proposition or arguments in support of or in opposition to the proposition.

Section 6: The City Recorder be, and she is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to have prepared ballots in due and legal form as herein prescribed and to furnish to the election board a proper ballot box and all necessary election materials and to take any and all other and further actions that may be required to give effect to the provisions of this ordinance and to incur reasonable and necessary expenses in connection therewith, chargeable to the general fund of the City.

Section 7: That JENNIE HARRINGTON, CLARA KREBS and EMILY COCHRAN are hereby designated as members of the Election Board to serve as such in connection with the election hereby called to be held.

Section 8: Inasmuch as it is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the people of the City of Sherwood that proper provision be made to provide funds for the operation and maintenance of the City through submitting the proposition hereinabove set forth to the voters at the earliest possible date, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance shall be affective upon its passage by the Council and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED: By the Council by unanimous vote of all Council members present, after being read by caption three times and in body once, this 9th day of July, 1974.

*Majorie Stewart*

Recorder

APPROVED: By the Mayor this 9th day of July, 1974.

*Jack O. Kasper*

Mayor

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

CITY OF SHERWOOD

July 9, 1974

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Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the City of Sherwood, in the Council Chambers at City Hall, on July 9, 1974, between the hours of 8:00 o'clock a.m. and 8:00 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of submitting to the legal voters of the City a proposed tax levy for the period beginning July 1, 1974, and ending June 30, 1975, involving the following proposition:

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BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF SHERWOOD

MARJORIE STEWART, Recorder

Publish June 29, 1974, June 30, 1974, and July 4, 1974

"Exhibit A"