

CITY OF SHERWOOD, OREGON

ORDINANCE NO. 666

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE BUDGET FOR THE YEAR 1976-77, PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF SHERWOOD ON JULY 7, 1976, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE LEGAL VOTERS OF THE CITY THE QUESTION OF LEVYING TAXES FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1976, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 1977, FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE CITY IN THE SUM OF \$17,436.00 IN EXCESS OF THE TAX BASE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the budget for the City of Sherwood for the year beginning July 1, 1976, and ending June 30, 1977, was duly approved by the budget committee at its meeting of June 1, 1976, 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 twentyfirst day of June, 1976, whereat all interested persons were afforded an opportunity to first appear and be heard for and against any item in the budget; and

WHEREAS, the Council has determined that sufficient funds to operate the essential functions of the City of Sherwood for the period July 1, 1976, to June 30, 1977, 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, \$12,564.00 is within the limitation of Section 11, Article XI, Oregon Constitution, and the sum of \$17,436.00 is in excess of said limitation, it is necessary to submit to the legal voters 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, 1976, and ending June 30, 1977, as heretofore adopted by the budget committee and as duly published and heard, 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 Wednesday, July 7, 1976, 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. First Street, 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:

Submitted to the legal voters by the
Sherwood City Council

"Shall the City of Sherwood be authorized to levy for maintenance and operation of the City for the period beginning July 1, 1976, and ending June 30, 1977, the sum of \$30,000.00 of which \$17,436.00 is in excess of the \$12,564.00 tax base of the City computed in accordance with Section 11, Article XI, Oregon Constitution?"

Explanation of the ballot question:

The purpose of the levy is to provide funds for continuation of policy 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 1976-77 will be \$18,147.00 greater than the operating budget financed by local taxes for the preceding year.

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 Tigard Times, to-wit: June 27, 1976, June 30, 1976, and July 4, 1976, and by posting to be accomplished not later than June 25, 1976, at each of the following places:

1. At the front door of the City Hall, conspicuously exposed to public view, 385 N.W. First Street, Sherwood, Oregon.
2. At the front door, conspicuously exposed to public view, of the Tualatin Rural Fire District Station in the City of Sherwood.
3. At the front window, conspicuously exposed to public view, of the Postoffice, 260 Railroad Avenue, Sherwood, Oregon.
4. At least one other public place to be selected by the Recorder, conspicuously exposed to public view.

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 materials setting forth the text of the proposition or arguments in support of or in opposition to the proposition.

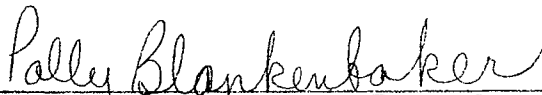
Section 6: The City Recorder be, and she is hereby authorized and directed to cause to have prepared ballots in due and legal form as herein prescribed and to furnish to the election board a proper ballot box and all necessary election materials and to take any and all other and further actions that 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 CAROL ROOS, EMILY COCHRAN and MARICE PARRIS are hereby designated as members of the Election Board to serve as such in connection with the election hereby called to be held. (CAROLYN REBER is designated an alternate).

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 effective 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, this 21st day of June, 1976.

ATTEST:



Polly Blankenbaker, Recorder
City of Sherwood

APPROVED: By the Mayor, this 23rd day of June, 1976.



Jack O. Harper, Mayor
City of Sherwood