

CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 266

AN ORDINANCE relating to the budget; stating the facts constituting an emergency, estimating the amount required to meet the same, and appropriating funds therefor.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. There is hereby declared to exist a public emergency which could not reasonably have been foreseen at the time of the making of the estimates for the annual budget for the year 1958 for the City of Bellevue, and which requires the expenditure of money not provided for in such annual budget and which emergency is not one of those specifically enumerated in Section 32, Chapter 337, Laws of 1955, R.C.W. 35.33.080.

Section 2. The facts found by the City Council to constitute such emergency are as follows: There has been brought to the attention of the Bellevue Civil Service Commission and it has been asserted and complained that certain improper and irregular practices and conditions exist in the Bellevue Police Department. The Commission is of the opinion that it should undertake an investigation to ascertain whether such charges and complaints be true or false, and has decided to immediately commence an investigation. No funds whatsoever have been appropriated for the expenses of such an investigation, including the cost of procuring a record of the proceedings.

Section 3. The estimated cost of conducting the investigation and of procuring a record of the proceedings is \$1,500.00.

Section 4. There is hereby allowed, established and appropriated the sum of \$1,500.00, for use in conducting the investigation by the Bellevue Civil Service Commission of the Bellevue Police Department, and paying the costs thereof, including the cost of procuring a record of the proceedings.

Section 5. All expenditures made hereunder shall be paid from any available funds or by the issuance of emergency warrants. If emergency warrants are issued, they shall be paid from any moneys on hand in the City treasury in the Current Expense Fund. If at any time there is insufficient money on hand in said Fund with which to pay any emergency warrant, the warrant shall be registered, bear interest and be called in the same manner as other City warrants. If such emergency expenditures are not paid from available funds during the year in which they are appropriated, the Clerk shall include in the annual budget to be submitted to the City Council the total amount of emergency warrants issued during the preceding fiscal year; and at the time the final budget is adopted the City Council shall include in its tax levies a levy sufficient to reimburse the Fund out of which the emergency warrants were paid or shall budget an item from any revenue source available, for the Fund.

First introduced on the 29th day of September, 1958, and passed by the City Council on the 14th day of October, 1958, and signed in authentication of its passage this 14th day of October, 1958.

Kenneth Abole

Mayor

City Attorney

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**Attest:**

Jean S. Scholer  
City Clerk

**FILED**

CITY OF BELLEVUE

DATE Oct. 15, 1958

CITY CLERK *Jan D. Scholte*

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