

CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 310

AN ORDINANCE relating to the budget; stating the facts constituting a nondebatable 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 requires the expenditure of money for the immediate preservation of order or public health, all as provided in R.C.W. 35.33.080.

Section 2. The facts found by the City Council to constitute such nondebatable emergency are as follows: The Sanitation Division of Seattle-King County Health Department has heretofore during the summer swimming seasons tested the water at the public beaches of the City. Such will not be done this year. In light of the present pollution of Lake Washington, the proximity of pleasure craft with toilet facilities to the local beaches, the drainage of septic tank effluent from the Bellevue area into Lake Washington, the disastrous consequences of bathers swimming in polluted waters, periodical testing of the waters at the public beaches during the 1959 swimming season, and starting as soon as possible, is absolutely required.

Section 3. The estimated cost of testing the water at the public beaches in the City for the balance of the 1959 swimming season is \$486.00.

Section 4. There is hereby allowed, established and appropriated the sum of \$486.00, for use in the testing of the waters at the public beaches during the 1959 swimming season, said sum to be appropriated to the Park Fund Accounting, Division, Maintenance and Operation Class.

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 Park 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.

Section 6. A copy of the emergency appropriation as hereby adopted shall be transmitted to the office of the Auditor of the State of Washington, Division of Municipal Corporations.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days after its passage, approval and legal publication.

PASSED by the unanimous vote of all members of the City Council present on this 14th day of July, 1959, and signed in authentication of its passage this 14th day of July, 1959.

Kenneth A. Cole
Mayor

Approved as to Form:

James M. Meehan
City Attorney

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