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The Committee on Finance meets this day in Committee Room "A" at 12:00 o'clock N. Present: Chairman Laudati and Councilmen Loughran and Lazarus.

Also present are Finance Director Cashman and City Controller Keegan. (Wm. E. McWilliams, Assistant Clerk.)

Finance Director Cashman outlines the following Ordinances:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 886 BY APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND (\$100,000) DOLLARS TO AN ACCOUNT TO BE KNOWN AS "FEDERAL OLD AGE AND SURVIVOR'S INSURANCE". (In City Council September 1, 1955. Read and Passed the first time.)

This Ordinance appropriates \$100,000 for City's contribution (2%) for Old Age and Survivor's Insurance. Increase receipts from Reserve for Extraordinary Expenditures.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 886 BY APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF SEVENTEEN THOUSAND (\$17,000) DOLLARS TO THE APPROPRIATION CONTAINED THEREIN FOR GENERAL PUBLIC ASSISTANCE-UNALLOCATED, ITEM 3. (In City Council September 1, 1955. Read and Passed the first time.)

This Ordinance appropriates \$17,000 to General Public Assistance to meet requirements for balance of the year. Increase receipts from Grants-In-Aid (State of R. I.) \$11,900; and Recorder of Deeds, \$5,100.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE CHAPTER 886 BY TRANSFERRING THE SUM OF FOUR THOUSAND (\$4,000) DOLLARS TO THE APPROPRIATION CONTAINED THEREIN FOR SEWER MAINTENANCE SECTION, ITEM 2. (In City Council September 1, 1955. Read and Passed the first time.)

This Ordinance transfers \$4,000 from Highway Department Item 2, to Sewer Maintenance Item 2, for purchase of materials for balance of fiscal year.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE CHAPTER 886, BY TRANSFERRING THE SUM OF NINE THOUSAND (\$9,000) DOLLARS TO THE APPROPRIATION CONTAINED THEREIN FOR STREET CLEANING SECTION, ITEM 0. (In City Council September 1, 1955. Read and Passed the first time.)

This Ordinance transfers \$9,000 from Snow Removal Item 2 to Street Cleaning Item 0 to pay salaries for balance of fiscal year. Due to open winter street cleaning crews worked more hours than anticipated.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE CHAPTER 886, BY TRANSFERRING THE SUM OF SEVEN THOUSAND (\$7,000) DOLLARS TO THE APPROPRIATION CONTAINED THEREIN FOR GARBAGE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SECTION, ITEM 0. (In City Council September 1, 1955. Read and Passed the first time.)

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This Ordinance transfers \$7,000 from Highway Department Item 2 to Garbage Collection and Disposal Section Item 0 to pay salaries. This transfer is made necessary by sick leave cost being greater than amount allowed in budget and overtime pay to employees who had to work in old incinerator during test run periods while extensive repairs were being made.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE CHAPTER 886, BY TRANSFERRING THE SUM OF TWENTY SIX HUNDRED (\$2600) DOLLARS TO THE APPROPRIATION CONTAINED THEREIN FOR SEWAGE PUMPING STATION SECTION, ITEM 0. (In City Council September 1, 1955. Read and Passed the first time.)

This Ordinance transfers \$2,600 from Bridge Maintenance Section Item 0 to Pumping Station Item 0 for cost of sick leave, which was not provided for in budget.

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION SERVICE ON A STUDY OF LICENSES AND PERMITS OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE, INCLUDING THE FEES CHARGED AND THE ACTIVITIES RELATED TO THEIR ISSUANCE.

On motion of Mr. Loughran, seconded by Mr. Lazarus, it is voted to recommend the following fee structure be approved:

1. Bill Posting License: Establish fee of \$100.00.
2. Entertainment License: City should retain entire fee receipts.
3. Dog License: Recommend no change.
4. Junk Gatherers License: Recommend leave as is.
5. Laundry License: Finance Director to obtain information from different laundry operators.
6. Intoxicating Beverages: On the recommendation to increase fee to \$1400.00, the Committee votes No. Class F- \$10.00, as is.
7. Lodging House: Committee concurs in the recommendation and establishes fee of \$10.00 for license.
8. Market and Market Place License: Committee votes on the 2500 square foot markets - license fee of \$25.00. Under 2500 square feet - \$10.00.

Adjournment is taken at 1:20 o'clock p.m.

William G. Neillman
Assistant Clerk

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