

Torrance, California.  
June 29, 1932.

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OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE.

An adjourned regular meeting of an adjourned regular meeting of an adjourned regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Torrance was held in the Council Chambers at Torrance, California, June 29th., 1932, and was called to order at 4:30 P.M. by Mayor Klusman.

The following Councilmen were present: COUNCILMEN: Conner, Ludlow, Steiner, Wright and Klusman.

Clerk Bartlett read a letter dated June 29th., 1932, from the Torrance Chamber of Commerce, enclosing a copy of the proposed Chamber of Commerce Budget for the coming fiscal year, also a copy of a resolution granting Secretary Hyde two months leave of absence without pay.

After some discussion Councilman Steiner moved that the City Attorney be instructed to draw a contract with the Chamber of Commerce allowing them \$6000. for the coming fiscal year, to cover items set forth in their proposed budget. Councilman Ludlow seconded the motion, which was carried by the following roll call vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEN: Conner, Ludlow, Steiner and Wright.  
NOES: " Klusman.  
ABSENT: " None.

A motion was made by Councilman Steiner that a tentative rate of 85¢ be set for all purposes, based on a tentative valuation of \$19,720,528.00, and was seconded by Councilman Wright and defeated by the following roll call vote: AYES: COUNCILMEN: Steiner and Wright. NOES: COUNCILMEN: Conner, Ludlow and Klusman. ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: None.

A motion was made by Councilman Ludlow that a tentative rate of 80¢ be set, and was seconded by Councilman Conner and was duly carried by the following roll call vote: AYES: COUNCILMEN: Conner, Ludlow and Klusman. NOES: COUNCILMEN: Steiner and Wright. ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: None.

Councilman Steiner called the attention of the President of the Council and Chairman of Finance to the fact that this amount is not sufficient to carry out the needs of the city.

Councilman Ludlow made a motion that the motion for the 80¢ rate be rescinded, and was seconded by Councilman Conner and carried unanimously.

Councilman Ludlow made a motion that \$163,513.24 be raised for the budget for all purposes. motion seconded by Councilman Conner and was carried unanimously.

Councilman Conner made a motion that the Clerk buy four electric clocks, which was seconded by Councilman Ludlow and carried by the following roll call vote: AYES: COUNCILMEN: Conner, Ludlow and Klusman. NOES: COUNCILMEN: Steiner and Wright. ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: None.

Councilman Conner made a motion that fire calls from the Shoe String Strip be answered by our Fire Department. Councilman Ludlow seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Councilman Conner made a motion that Mr. Jensen find out if the fire Department leaving the corporate limits of the city would have any insurance protection. Councilman Steiner seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Councilman Conner made a motion that the Fire Chief be instructed to inspect, with the Superintendent of the Water Company, the water hydrants and report to the Council. Councilman Ludlow seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Councilman Ludlow made a motion to advertise for bids for maintenance and purchase of lights for the city, for a period of one year, and that Attorney Jensen be instructed to draw up a contract, which was seconded by Councilman Conner and carried unanimously.

Councilman Steiner made a motion we adjourn, seconded by Councilman Conner and carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 6:00 P. M.

A. H. Bartlett  
City Clerk of the City of Torrance.

Approved:

W. S. Hurman  
Mayor of the City of Torrance.