

Ordinance No. 532-X

The City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, met in regular session at the City Hall in Charlotte, North Carolina, the regular place of meeting at 3 o'clock P.M., on February 10, 1975.

Present: Mayor John M. Belk, presiding, and Councilmembers Gantt, Harris, Locke, Short, Whittington and Withrow

Absent: Councilman Williams

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The Mayor announced that this was the date and hour fixed by the City Council for the public hearing upon the orders entitled:

- "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$55,000,000 AIRPORT BONDS",
- "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$8,500,000 SANITARY SEWER BONDS",
- "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$5,500,000 STREET WIDENING, EXTENSION AND IMPROVEMENT BONDS",
- "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$3,500,000 WATER BONDS",
- "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$2,500,000 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM BONDS",
- "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$1,500,000 SIDEWALK BONDS" and
- "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$500,000 RECREATION FACILITIES BONDS",

and that the Council would immediately hear any and all citizens and taxpayers who might desire to protest against the issuance of said bonds.

No citizen or taxpayer of the City appeared, either in person or by attorney, to protest against the issuance of any of said bonds, and the City Clerk announced that no protest in writing signed by any citizen or taxpayer had been presented, except Mr. Paul Horne of 728 E. 36th Street, representing the North Charlotte Action Association stated that the Association would oppose the entire bond referendum until the funds held in trust for the Sugar Creek Project were released for some other purpose; Mr. Don Burns of 1714 Sterling Road, speaking for himself, stated he would oppose the entire bond referendum for the same reason as given by Mr. Horne; Kathryn Speidel of 2606 Eastport Road, representing the Senior Citizens United stated that their

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organization would oppose the entire bond referendum until the ten-cent transfer fare for the bus system was abolished; and Mr. Barry Glenn of 2629 Roslyn Avenue, representing the Senior Citizens United, also stated they would oppose the entire bond referendum unless the ten-cent transfer fare for the bus system was abolished.

All of the foregoing statements were duly considered by the Council.

Thereupon, upon motion of Councilman Whittington, seconded by Councilwoman Locke and carried, the order introduced and passed on first reading on January 27, 1975, entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$55,000,000 AIRPORT BONDS", was read a second time and placed upon its final passage.

The vote upon the final passage of said order was:

Ayes: Councilmembers Gantt, Harris, Locke, Short, Whittington and
Withrow

Noes: None

The Mayor then announced that the order entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$55,000,000 AIRPORT BONDS" had passed.

Thereupon, upon motion of Councilman Withrow, seconded by Councilman Short and carried, the order introduced and passed on first reading on January 27, 1975, entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$8,500,000 SANITARY SEWER BONDS", was deleted from the bond referendum.

The vote was as follows:

Ayes: Councilmembers Gantt, Harris, Locke, Short, Whittington and Withrow.

Noes: None

The Mayor then announced that the order entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$8,500,000 SANITARY SEWER BONDS" had been deleted.

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Thereupon, upon motion of Councilman Short, and

seconded by Councilwoman Locke and carried, the order introduced and passed on first reading on January 27, 1975, entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$5,500,000 STREET WIDENING, EXTENSION AND IMPROVEMENT BONDS", was deleted from the bond referendum. The vote was as follows:

Ayes: Councilmembers Gantt, Locke, Short, Whittington and Withrow.

Noes: Councilman Harris.

The Mayor then announced that the order entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$5,500,000 STREET WIDENING, EXTENSION AND IMPROVEMENT BONDS" had been deleted.

Thereupon, upon motion of Councilman Whittington, seconded by Councilman Harris, and carried, the order introduced and passed on first reading on January 27, 1975, entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$3,500,000 WATER BONDS", was deleted from the bond referendum.

The vote was as follows:

Ayes: Councilmembers Gantt, Harris, Locke, Short, Whittington and Withrow

Noes: None.

The Mayor then announced that the order entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$3,500,000 WATER BONDS", had been deleted.

Thereupon, upon motion of Councilman Harris, seconded by Councilman Short and carried, the order introduced and passed on first reading on January 27, 1975, entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$2,500,000 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM BONDS", was read a second time and placed upon its final passage. The vote upon the final passage of said order was:

Ayes: Councilmembers Gantt, Harris, Locke, Short, Whittington and Withrow

Noes: None.

The Mayor then announced that the order entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$2,500,000 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM BONDS", had passed.

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Thereupon, upon motion of Councilman Withrow,
seconded by Councilman Short and carried, the
order introduced and passed on first reading on January 27, 1975,
entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$1,500,000 SIDEWALK BONDS", was
read a second time and placed upon its final passage. The vote
upon the final passage of said order was:

Ayes: Councilmembers Gantt, Harris, Locke, Short, Whittington
and Withrow

Noes: None

The Mayor then announced that the order entitled:
"ORDER AUTHORIZING \$1,500,000 SIDEWALK BONDS" had passed.

Thereupon, upon motion of Councilman Harris,
seconded by Councilman Whittington and carried,
the order introduced and passed on first reading on January 27, 1975,
entitled: "ORDER AUTHORIZING \$500,000 RECREATION FACILITIES BONDS",
was read a second time and placed upon its final passage. The vote
upon the final passage of said order was:

Ayes: Councilmembers Gantt, Harris, Locke, Short, Whittington
and Withrow

Noes: None

The Mayor then announced that the order entitled:
"ORDER AUTHORIZING \$500,000 RECREATION FACILITIES BONDS", had
passed.

The Clerk was thereupon directed to publish said orders
in The Charlotte Observer once, and to publish at the foot of
each of said orders the appended note as required by The Local
Government Bond Act, as amended.

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RESOLUTION CALLING A SPECIAL
BOND REFERENDUM

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of
Charlotte:

Section 1. A special bond referendum is hereby called to be held in the City of Charlotte on Tuesday, April 8, 1975, between 6:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M., at which there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the City of Charlotte the questions stated in the Notice of Special Bond Referendum set forth in Section 3 of this resolution.

Section 2. For said referendum, (i) the regular registration books for elections in Mecklenburg County shall be used, and the registration books, process or records shall be open for the registration of voters and for public inspection in the manner, under the conditions and at the times and places set forth in the Notice of Special Bond Referendum hereinafter provided for, (ii) the registrars, judges and other officers of elections appointed by the Mecklenburg County Board of Elections shall be the election officers for such referendum, and (iii) the precincts and voting places shall be those fixed by said County Board of Elections as provided in said Notice of Special Bond Referendum, subject to change as provided by law.

Section 3. The Clerk shall cause a notice to be published in The Charlotte Observer once at least fourteen days before March 10, 1975 (being the last day in which persons may register for said referendum) and once again not less than seven days before such day, such notice to read substantially as follows:

NOTICE OF SPECIAL BOND REFERENDUM
to be held in the
CITY OF CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA
on April 8, 1975

A special bond referendum will be held on Tuesday, April 8, 1975, between 6:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M., at which there will be submitted to the qualified voters of the City of Charlotte the following questions:

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1. Shall the order adopted on February 10, 1975, authorizing not exceeding \$55,000,000 Airport Bonds of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, for the purpose of providing funds, with any other available funds, for enlarging and improving Douglas Municipal Airport, including the construction of a new passenger terminal, the construction of ramps, taxiways, access roads and parking facilities, the relocation of certain existing instrument facilities, and the acquisition of any necessary land and equipment therefor, and authorizing the levy of taxes in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on said bonds, be approved?

2. Shall the order adopted on February 10, 1975, authorizing not exceeding \$2,500,000 Public Transportation System Bonds of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, for the purpose of providing funds, with any other available funds, for purchasing the existing privately-owned bus system, acquiring new equipment therefor and installing certain improvements, including shelters for passengers, and authorizing the levy of taxes in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on said bonds, be approved?

3. Shall the order adopted on February 10, 1975, authorizing not exceeding \$1,500,000 Sidewalk Bonds of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, for the purpose of providing funds, with any other available funds, for constructing and reconstructing sidewalks in said City, including the acquisition of any necessary land and rights of way, and authorizing the levy of taxes in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on said bonds, be approved?

4. Shall the order adopted on February 10, 1975, authorizing not exceeding \$500,000 Recreation Facilities Bonds of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, for the purpose of providing funds, with any other available funds, for constructing bicycle trails in said City and acquiring any necessary land and rights of way therefor, and authorizing the levy of taxes in an amount sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on said bonds, be approved?

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Each of the questions hereinabove set forth contains a statement of the purpose for which the bonds are authorized by the order referred to in such question.

If said bonds are issued taxes in an amount sufficient to pay the principal and interest thereof will be levied upon all taxable property in the City of Charlotte.

For said referendum the regular registration books for elections in the County of Mecklenburg will be used and the registration books, process or records will be open for the registration of qualified persons and the acceptance of registration applications at the office of the Mecklenburg County Board of Elections, 710 East 4th Street, Charlotte, North Carolina, from Monday to Friday, inclusive, of each week, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 5 P.M.. The registrars will not attend the voting places except on the date of the referendum.

The last day on which qualified voters who have moved residence from one precinct, ward or election district to another may transfer registration is Monday, March 10, 1975.

Qualified voters who are not certain whether they are registered should contact the County Board of Elections at the office of the Board mentioned above.

The registration books will be open to public inspection by any registered voter of the City between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., from Monday to Friday, inclusive, of each week at said office of the County Board of Elections, and such days are Challenge Days.

The registrars, judges and other officers of elections appointed by the County Board of Elections will serve as the election officers for said referendum.

The precincts and voting places for said referendum, subject to change as provided by law, are as follows:

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VOTING PLACE

- #1 Westminster Presbyterian Church
101 Colville Road (Activities Building)
- #2 St. Martins Episcopal Church
1510 E. Seventh St. (Class Room Building)
- #3 Cochrane Jr. High School (Proposed)
6200 Starhaven Drive
- #4 Hickory Grove Presby. Church (Proposed)
7500 Hickory Grove-Newell Road
- #5 Third Presbyterian Church (Proposed)
4019 Central Avenue (Scout Hut)
- #6 Amity Presbyterian Church (Proposed)
2831 Sharon Amity (Fellowship Hall -
enter from rear of Church)
- #7 Randolph Jr. High (Proposed)
4400 Water Oak Road
- #8 Myers Park Elementary School
2132 Radcliff Avenue (Auditorium)
- #9 Dilworth School
405 East Park Avenue (Multi-purpose Room)
- #10 St. Andrews Presbyterian Church
2201 Springdale Avenue (Fellowship Bldg.)
- #11 Mt. Moriah Primitive Baptist Church
747 West Trade Street (Fellowship Hall)
- #12 Clinton Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church (Proposed)
1901 Rozzells Ferry Road
- #13 First Ward School
401 East Ninth Street (Multi-purpose Room)
- #14 Hawthorne Jr. High School
1400 Louise Avenue
- #15 Kilgo Methodist Church
2101 Belvedere Avenue (Scout Hut)
- #16 East Stonewall A.M.E. Zion Church
1729 Griers Grove Road
- #17 Fireman's Hall
2601 East 7th Street (Main Bldg.-side entrance)
- #18 Eastover School
500 Cherokee Road (Auditorium)
- #19 Myers Park High School
2400 Colony Road (Students Lounge)
- #20 Avondale Presbyterian Church
2821 Park Road (Fellowship Hall - enter
from side of Church)
- #21 Sedgefield Jr. High School
2700 Dorchester Place (Multi-purpose Room
- enter from side off circle on Sedgefield Rd.)
- #22 Wilmore School
428 West Boulevard (Auditorium)
- #23 Ashley Park School
3128 Belfast Drive (Cafeteria)
- #24 Enderly Park School
1318 Clay Street (Cafeteria - enter from
rear off Parkway Drive)
- #25 West Charlotte High School
2219 Senior Drive (Lobby)
- #26 St. Matthews Community Church (Proposed)
3030 Allen Road, South (Fellowship Hall)
- #27 Tryon Hills School
2600 Grimes Street (Cafeteria)
- #28 New Covenant A. R. Presby. Church (Proposed)
2541 Elkwood Circle (Fellowship Hall -
rear of Church)
- #29 Merry Oaks School
3508 Draper Avenue (Cafeteria)
- #30 Plaza Road School (Proposed)
3501 The Plaza (Multi-purpose Room)
- #31 Barringer School (Proposed)
2701 Walton Road (Multi-purpose Room)

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#32	Myers Park Presbyterian Church 1052 Providence Road (Youth Building - park next to Bank across Providence Road)
#33	Eastway Jr. High School 3333 Biscayne Drive (Multi-purpose room - enter from rear off Norland Road)
#34	Oakhurst School 4511 Monroe Road (Multi-purpose Room)
#35	Cotswold School 300 Greenwich Road (Multi-purpose Room)
#36	Providence Baptist Church (Proposed) 4921 Randolph Road (Gym - rear of Church)
#37	Pinewood School 815 Seneca Place (Cafeteria)
#38	Collinswood School 4000 Applegate Road (Cafeteria)
#39	Amay James School (Proposed) 2414 Lester Street
#40	Thomasboro School 538 Bradford Drive (Gym)
#41	Chadwick Methodist Church 132 S. Cromer Street (Fellowship Hall)
#42	Hidden Valley School 5100 Snow White Lane (Multi-purpose Room)
#43	Grace Baptist Church (Proposed) 5232 The Plaza (Fellowship Hall)
#44	Shamrock Garden Elem. School 3301 Country Club Drive (Multi-purpose Room)
#45	Windsor Park School (Proposed) 3900 Sudbury Road
#46	Chantilly School 701 Briar Creek Road (Auditorium)
#47	Trinity Presbyterian Church 3115 Providence Road (Scout Hut)
#48	Providence United Methodist Church 2810 Providence Road (Fellowship Hall)
#49	Park Road Elem. School 3701 Haven Drive (Auditorium)
#50	Smith Jr. High School 400 Tyvola Road (Cafeteria)
#51	Sedgefield Elem. School 700 Marsh Road (Cafeteria)
#52	St. Mark United Methodist Church 917 Clanton Road
#53	Harding High School 2001 Alleghany Street (Auditorium Lobby)
#54	Oaklawn Elem. School (Proposed) 1810 Oaklawn Avenue (Multi-purpose Room)
#54-X	Double Oaks School (Proposed) 1905 Earle Street (Cafeteria)
#55	Lincoln Heights School 1900 Newcastle Street (Multi-purpose Room)
#56	Druid Hills School 2801 Lucena Street (Cafeteria)
#57	Sharon School 4801 Sharon Road (Gym)
#58	Starmount School 1600 Brookdale Avenue (Cafeteria)
#59	Montclair School 5801 Farmbrook Drive (Cafeteria)
#60	Briarwood School 1001 Wilann Drive (Multi-purpose Room)
#61	Shamrock Drive Baptist Church (Proposed) 4301 Shamrock Drive (Fellowship Hall -right side)

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VOTING PLACE

#62	Albemarle Elem. School (Proposed) 7800 Riding Trail Road
#63	Idlewild School (Proposed) 7101 Idlewild Road (Multi-purpose room - next to parking lot)
#64	East Mecklenburg High School (Proposed) 6800 Monroe Road (Gym - to rear of school)
#65	Sardis Presbyterian Church (Proposed) 6100 Sardis Road (Education Bldg. - rear of Church)
#66	Rama Road Elem. School (Proposed) 1035 Rama Road (Multi-purpose Room)
#67	Lansdowne School (Proposed) 6400 Prett Court
#68	St. Stephen United Methodist Church (Proposed) 6800 Sardis Road (Youth Room - end of Church next to main parking area)
#69	Olde Providence School (Proposed) 3800 Rea Road
#70	Carmel Road Jr. High School (Proposed) 4608 Camilla Drive (Library)
#71	St. Gabriel Catholic School (Proposed) 3028 Providence Road (Cafeteria - downstairs in Building at extreme rear of complex)
#72	Carmel Presbyterian Church (Proposed) 2048 Carmel Road (Hut)
#73	Sharon United Methodist Church (Proposed) 4411 Sharon Road (Narthex - enter from rear of Church)
#74	Alexander Graham Jr. High (Proposed) 1800 Runnymede Lane
#75	Sharon Baptist Church (Proposed) 6411 Sharon Road (Modular Unit - Sunday School)
#76	Huntingtowne Farms School (Proposed) 2520 Starbrook Drive
#77	Nations Ford School (Proposed) 8300 Nations Ford Road
#78	Aldersgate United Methodist Church (Proposed) 324 Yorkmont Road

By order of the City Council of the City of Charlotte.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk

William L. Griffin
Chairman of Mecklenburg
County Board of Elections

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Section 5. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to certify immediately a copy of this resolution to said County Board of Elections of Mecklenburg County.

Thereupon, upon motion of Councilwoman Locke, seconded by Councilman Harris, the foregoing resolution entitled: "RESOLUTION CALLING A SPECIAL BOND REFERENDUM" was passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Gantt, Harris, Locke, Short, Whittington, and

Withrow

Noes: None

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I, Ruth Armstrong, City Clerk of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing has been carefully copied from the actually recorded minutes of the City Council of said City at a regular meeting held February 10, 1975, the record having been made in Ordinance Book No. 21, beginning at Page 451 and a reference having been made in Minute Book 61, beginning at Page 227 and is a true copy of so much of the said proceedings as relate in any way to the authorization of bonds of said City, and the calling of a special bond referendum.

WITNESS my hand and the corporate seal of said City, this 12th day of February, 1975.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk

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AN ORDINANCE TO TRANSFER FUNDS FROM UNAPPROPRIATED UTILITY BOND FUNDS TO INCREASE THE APPROPRIATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF WATER MAINS TO SERVE ANNEXATION AREAS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte,
North Carolina;

Section 1. That the sum of \$2,000,000 is hereby transferred from Account 4187 (Unappropriated Bond Funds) to Account 635.59 (Water Mains to Serve Annexation Areas). These funds will be used to provide additional funding to complete installation of water mains as required by statute in the 1974 annexation areas.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:

Henry W. Chadwell Jr.
City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 10th day of February, 1975, the reference having been made in Minute Book 61, and recorded in full in Ordinance Book 21, at Page 463.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk

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AN ORDINANCE TO TRANSFER FUNDS WITHIN THE GENERAL REVENUE SHARING TRUST FUND TO PROVIDE A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE TRANSIT STUDY UPDATE PROJECT.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte,
North Carolina;

Section 1. That the sum of \$30,000 is hereby transferred from the General Revenue Sharing Trust Fund account 520.02 - Transit Improvements - to account 116.04 - Transit Study Update. These funds will be used to continue the Transit Study Update project through June 30, 1975.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:



City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 10th day of February, 1975, the reference having been made in Minute Book 61, and recorded in full in Ordinance Book 21, at Page 464.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk

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AN ORDINANCE TO TRANSFER FUNDS FROM UNAPPROPRIATED UTILITY BOND FUNDS TO INCREASE THE APPROPRIATION FOR THE PARKWAY AVENUE SEWER TRUNK.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte,
North Carolina;

Section 1. That the sum of \$300,000 is hereby transferred from Account 4177 (Unappropriated Bond Funds) to Account 633.49 (Parkway Avenue Sewer Trunk). These funds will be used to provide a supplemental appropriation to complete the funding for construction of the Parkway Avenue Sewer Trunk.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:


City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 10th day of February, 1975, the reference having been made in Minute Book 61, and recorded in full in Ordinance Book 21, at Page 465.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk

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AN ORDINANCE TRANSFERRING FUNDS WITHIN THE GENERAL REVENUE SHARING TRUST FUND FOR THE GRAYSON PARK (BEALE STREET) COMMUNITY CENTER.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Charlotte,
North Carolina;

Section 1. That the sum of \$224,000 is hereby transferred to the General Revenue Sharing Trust Fund Account 420.01 - Grayson Park Community Center - from the Public Land Acquisition, Account 320.04. These funds would be used to provide the balance of funding needed to construct the Grayson Park Community Center.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

Approved as to form:


City Attorney

Read, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 10th day of February, 1975, the reference having been made in Minute Book 61, and recorded in full in Ordinance Book 21, at Page 466.

Ruth Armstrong
City Clerk