

Grand Junction, Colorado, October 31, 1916.

The City Council of the City of Grand Junction convened in regular session at four o'clock p. m., in the City Hall, with Mayor Cherrington in the chair.

Upon call of roll, the following Commissioners responded as present: Cherrington, Rankin, Vorbeck, Blackstone, Holmburg.

City Attorney Tupper was present.

The minutes of the regular meeting of October 24th were read and approved.

The following reports having been examined and approved by the auditor and the Commissioner of Finance and Supplies, it was moved by Commissioner Holmburg and seconded by Commissioner Blackstone, that the reports be accepted and ordered placed on file:

Quarterly Reports of the Commissioner of Public Affairs,  
Quarterly Reports of the Commissioner of Water and Sewers,  
Quarterly Reports of the Commissioner of Highways,  
Quarterly Report of the Commissioner of Health and Civic Beauty,  
Quarterly Reports of the City Treasurer, and  
Quarterly Report of the City Clerk and Auditor.

A communication from O. O. Fellows, County Assessor, stating that the assessed valuation of the City of Grand Junction for the year 1916, as shown by the assessment roll, is \$6,655,018.00, was read.

The following resolution was introduced and read:

RESOLUTION.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, that for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses and liabilities of the said City of Grand Junction for the next fiscal year beginning January 1, 1917, and ending December 31, 1917, there shall be and hereby is levied and assessed upon all the taxable property situated within the corporate limits of said City of Grand Junction, both real and personal, the following amounts for special and general taxes, to-wit:

First. For the purpose of defraying the expenses and maintenance of the free Public Library, a tax of 25/100 of one mill on each dollar of property so assessed or to be assessed.

Second. For the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses and liabilities of the said City of Grand Junction, and for the payment of interest on outstanding bonds and warrants and for the

payment of a portion of the bond indebtedness of said City, a tax of 7.45 mills on each dollar of said property so assessed or to be assessed; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to certify to the foregoing levy to the County Clerk and Recorder and also to the County Assessor of Mesa County, Colorado, as required by the Statutes of the State of Colorado, and as provided also by the Charter of the said City of Grand Junction.

Moved by Commissioner Holmburg, seconded by Commissioner Rankin, that the resolution as read be passed and adopted.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Rankin, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Blackstone, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the resolution passed and adopted.

Next Tuesday being General Election Day, a legal holiday, it was moved by Commissioner Holmburg, seconded by Commissioner Rankin, that the next regular meeting of the Council be held on Wednesday, November 8, at four o'clock p. m.

The motion carried.

On motion of Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Blackstone, the Council then adjourned.

/s/ Charles K. Holmburg  
City Clerk.