RESOLUTION NO. 573

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ACCORDING TO THE STATUTES OF THE STATE OF OREGON AND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF PRINEVILLE FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADOPTING OR REJECTING A LEVY OF \$119,259.00 OUTSIDE THE CONSTITUTIONAL 6% LIMITATION; PROVIDING FOR A BALLOT TITLE, WHICH SHALL CONTAIN A CAPTION, QUESTION, PURPOSE AND EXPLANATION CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR THE TIME AND PLACE OF THE ELECTION; AND PROVIDING FOR NOTICE OF THE ELECTION.

THE CITY OF PRINEVILLE RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. A special election to provide for a vote on a tax levy outside the constitutional 6% limitation in the amount of \$119,259.00 for the purpose of providing funds for general operations for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1980, shall be held and the same is hereby called to be held in the City of Prineville, Crook County, Oregon, on Tuesday, September 16, 1980.

Section 2. The ballot title under which this proposal shall appear is as follows:

51. TAX LEVY OUTSIDE CONSTITUTIONAL 6% LIMITATION

QUESTION: Shall the City of Prineville levy \$119,259.00 outside the Oregon Constitutional limitation for City operations during the fiscal year 1980-81?

PURPOSE: This measure is to provide the City of Prineville, Oregon, with funds outside the limitation imposed by Section 11, Article XI, Oregon Constitution, in the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1980, in the amount of \$119,259.00.

EXPLANATION: The City is authorized by the Oregon Constitution to levy a tax in the amount of \$68,554.00 for the tax year 1980-81. In order to continue to provide full services to its citizens, an additional operating levy in the amount of \$119,259.00 is being requested to meet increased costs, growth and inflation for general operations for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1980. If this measure is approved, \$119,259.00 of the taxes levied will be financed partially by the State of Oregon. In addition, \$68,554.00 of the taxes levied inside the 6% limitation will also be financed partially by the State of Oregon.

Section 3. That the Common Council deems it advisable and does hereby call and make necessary provision for the holding of a special election which shall be and hereby is called to be held on the 16th day of September, 1980.

The electors voting at said special election shall cast a ballot on the tax levy outside the constitutional 6% limitation in the sum of \$119,259.00, which shall contain, in addition to the ballot title, the words "YES, I VOTE FOR THE PROPOSED TAX LEVY; NO, I VOTE AGAINST THE PROPOSED TAX LEVY," which ballot each voter shall mark and cast according to law as each may desire to vote.

Section 4. The City Recorder be and he is hereby instructed to publish a notice of election in full with the ballot title therefor once or oftener within the time period established by statute immediately preceding said special election in the <u>Central Oregonian</u>, the official newspaper of the City, and hereby designated for said purpose, the first

publication of said notice to be not less than ten (10) days prior to said election, and by posting written notice of the proposed tax levy outside the constitutional 6% limitation, in the sum of \$119,259.00 for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1980, and ending June 30, 1981, in three public places: (1) Bulletin Board, City Hall; (2) Bulletin Board, U. S. Post Office, Prineville, and (3) Bulletin Board, Crook County Courthouse, Prineville, Oregon. The City Recorder shall make such arrangements with the Crook County Clerk as are necessary for the conduct of the election.

Passed by the City Council this <u>GTH</u> day of August, 1980. Approved by the Mayor this GTH day of August, 1980.

NELLO GIOVANJATI, MAYOR

ATTEST:

ARNOLD R. EVANS

CITY ADMINISTRATOR/RECORDER