

## MINUTES OF CITY COUNCIL BUDGET HEARING

City Council Chambers  
November 18, 1981

Councilman Sutherland reconvened the hearing on the 1982 Budget at 5:13 p.m.

Present on roll call: 5 - Bichsel, Hawkins, Hyde, Strege and Sutherland. Absent: 4 - Kirby, Nielsen, Rasmussen and Mayor Parker. Councilman Kirby arrived at 5:29 p.m. and Councilman Rasmussen arrived at 7:04 p.m. In the absence of Mayor Parker and Deputy Mayor Nielsen, Councilman Sutherland presided as Acting Mayor.

Dr. R. M. Nicola, Director of the Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department, presented the department's budget and made a slide presentation of the different services provided by the Health Department.

No member of the public appeared to speak on the Health Department budget.

At 5:37 p.m. the Tacoma Public Library budget was considered. Library Board member Karen Seinfeld made a brief slide presentation of Library services.

Library Director, Kevin Hegarty, then continued with the slide presentation and presented the Library budget for 1982.

No member of the public appeared to speak.

Because the budget hearings were ahead of schedule, Council took a short recess. Council recessed at 6:26 p.m. and reconvened at 6:38 p.m.

Councilman Hawkins moved to amend scheduled times for the remaining budget hearings. The Humane Society would be rescheduled to 6:38 p.m. and the Metropolitan Park Board would be rescheduled to 7:30 p.m. Seconded by Councilman Hyde. Voice vote was taken and carried.

Gary Aleshire, Director of Finance for the Tacoma-Pierce County Humane Society, presented their budget for 1982.

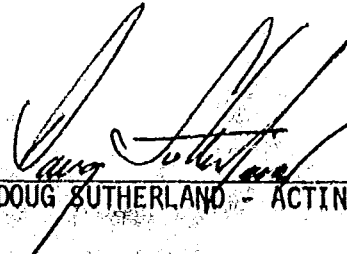
No member of the public appeared to speak on the Tacoma-Pierce County Humane Society budget.

Councilman Hawkins moved to amend the schedule again to reschedule the Park Board's hearing time to 6:47 p.m. Seconded by Councilwoman Bichsel. Voice vote was taken and carried.

Neil Ofsthun, Director of the Metropolitan Park District, introduced members of his staff and presented the Park District's budget for 1982.

Frank Murphy, 4409 North 10th, representing the Wright Park Senior Center, asked the Council to support the budget as it relates to the Wright Park Senior Center.

There being no further testimony, Councilman Sutherland declared the hearings closed at 7:08 p.m.

  
DOUG SUTHERLAND - ACTING MAYOR

Attest:

  
W. B. BOND - CITY CLERK