In the Council Chambers of the Showers Municipal Building held on Monday, July 29, 1996 at 9:00 PM with Council President Sherman presiding over a Special Session of the Common Council.

COMMON COUNCIL SPECIAL SESSION JULY 29, 1996

Roll Call: Banach, Kiesling, Young, Cole, Sherman, Pizzo, Sabbagh, Service, Pierce.

ROLL CALL

Council President Sherman gave the Agenda Summation.

AGENDA SUMMATION

It was moved and seconded that Resolution 96-17 be introduced and read by title only by the Clerk. Clerk Williams read the legislation by title only. It was moved and seconded that Resolution 96-17 be adopted. The synopsis and committee recommendation of Do-Pass 8-0 was given.

LEGISLATION FOR SECOND READING/ VOTE RESOLUTION 96-17

Keith Dayton, Personnel Director, said the 4 year contract for Fire Fighters provides for a 3.5% yearly increase for the first two years of the contract followed by a 3.6% and 3.7% increase the last two years of the contract. There is also an increase in clothing allowance of \$350 for a total of \$1600 to compensate for the buy-in increases for health insurance.

The resolution received a roll call vote of Ayes:9, Nays:0.

It was moved and seconded that Resolution 96-18 be introduced and read by title only by the Clerk. Clerk Williams read the legislation by title only. It was moved and seconded that Resolution 96-18 be adopted. The synopsis and committee recommendation of Do-Pass 9-0 was given.

RESOLUTION 96-18

Keith Dayton said the 2 year contract has an increase of 3.25% the first year and 3.4% in the second year and praised the strong commitment that has been made to a labor/management committee processes by both firefighters and police officers in the bargaining process.

The resolution received a roll call vote of Ayes:9, Nays:0.

It was moved and seconded that Ordinance 96-24 be introduced and read by title only by the Clerk. Clerk Williams read the legislation by title only. It was moved and seconded that Ordinance 96-24 be adopted. The synopsis and committee recommendation of Do-Pass 9-0 was given.

ORDINANCE 96-24

Keith Dayton said this ordinance is the legal budget for salaries for police and fire fighters for the 1997 budget year.

Kiesling asked about senior shift assignments. Dayton said that is when an officer would agree to take another shift in lieu of seniority bidding and would be paid a specific differential.

The ordinance received a roll call vote of Ayes:9, Nays: 0.

It was moved and seconded that the rules be amended and that the final budget hearing timetable as called for in Section 2.04 of the Bloomington Municipal Code be amended to change the date of the final budget hearing/vote. The rules are suspended in order to finalize the budget process in September rather than the end of July as previously required by our code.

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Mayor Fernandez asked the council to finalize the final budget hearing dates.

The motion to suspend the rules received a roll call vote of Ayes:9, Nays:0.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 PM.

ADJOURNMENT

APPROVE;

Patricia Cole, Vice-President Bloomington Common Council ATTEST:

Patricia Williams, CLERK City of Bloomington