

RESOLUTION NO. 8283-R45

A RESOLUTION  
APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION  
OF CERTAIN AGREEMENTS CONCERNING THE DISPOSITION  
AND USE OF REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
URBANA, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1. That certain Agreements between the City  
of Urbana, Illinois and the following social service agencies:

First United Methodist Child Care Center  
Family Services of Champaign County  
Co-operative Nursery School  
Bradley Street Day Care Center  
C-U Tenant Union  
YMCA Youth Services Clearinghouse  
YMCA Partner's Program  
North Urbana Concerned Citizen Development Corp.  
Frances Nelson Health Center  
Community Recycling Center  
Champaign County OIC  
Correctional Employment Services (CES)  
Champaign County Health Care Consumer Education  
Program  
Children's Center Day Care  
Central Illinois Consumer Energy Council  
Prairie Center for Substance Abuse  
Community Day Care School  
Church of the Living God Day Care  
Right to Read Council  
C-U Girls Club  
Educational Resources in Environmental Science  
A Woman's Place & Rape Crisis Services  
C-U Day Care Center,

copies of which said Agreements are attached hereto and hereby  
incorporated by reference, be and the same are hereby authorized  
and approved.

Section 2. That the Mayor of the City of Urbana,  
Illinois, be and the same is hereby authorized and directed to  
execute and deliver and the City Clerk of the City of Urbana,  
Illinois, be and the same is hereby authorized and directed to  
attest to said execution of said Agreements for and on behalf of  
the City of Urbana, Illinois.

PASSED by the City Council this 7th day of March, 1983.

Ruth S. Brookens  
Ruth S. Brookens, City Clerk

APPROVED by the Mayor this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1983.

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Jeffrey T. Markland, Mayor

Vetoed by Mayor 3-17-83;  
Veto overridden 4-4-83.





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March 17, 1983

Dear Council Members:

I am well aware of the Council's commitment to the social agencies of our community. I share your concerns for these agencies and the disappointment in the recent decision of the Illinois Supreme Court that does not allow us the flexibility to raise the funds that you appropriated in the 1982-83 budget.

As you will recall, the City Council added \$228,250 of additional items to the City budget. At the same time, you increased the estimated miscellaneous revenues by a like amount. The idea was to identify that revenue source sometime in the future. To date, those revenues have not been identified and to expend those funds would place the City in a very serious deficit position.

The suggestion by Mr. Peterson to take these expenditures out of the cash carry forward cannot be done. Number one, at the present, it is impossible to tell what that figure is and we will not know until the end of the fiscal year. Number two, the cash carry forward is not just miscellaneous revenue, but a very intricate part of the cash flow of the City that allows for daily operations and expenditures.

Unfortunately, the only responsible approach the Council can take is to reduce other services provided by the City so these items can be funded or to increase revenues for additional income.

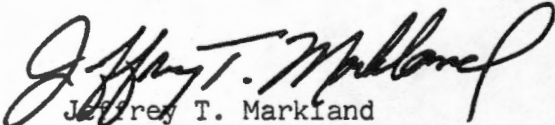
I am not aware of any taxing options open to the Council that would make these funds available in the immediate future nor do I favor increasing the property tax which at present is about our only option.

While I understand the frustration the Council feels, I believe the passage of the Resolution in question falsely gave the impression to the agencies and the public that I have merely been withholding funds that are available. In fact, the funds have not been spent because the Council did not appropriate the funds and we will not under any circumstances spend money we do not have.

The agencies who are involved were notified at the time the Council passed the budget that unless funds were provided by the Council, they would not be receiving the funds; if they continued to carry these funds in their budgets, they did so with that knowledge. I again reiterate to them that unless the Council provides the funds for the budget as passed none of the services will be funded.

For the above stated reasons I have vetoed Resolution No. 8283-R45.

Sincerely,



Jeffrey T. Markland  
Mayor

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