

## SALT LAKE COUNTY ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_, 2021

AN ORDINANCE OF THE LEGISLATIVE BODY OF SALT LAKE COUNTY, UTAH, AMENDING SECTION 2.95 OF THE SALT LAKE COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES, 2001, ENTITLED "COUNTY BUDGET PROCESS" CLARIFYING THE TERM PROPOSED BUDGET, DELETING REFERENCES TO THE AUDITOR AND REFERENCING THE MAYOR AS THE COUNTY BUDGET OFFICER

The County Legislative Body of Salt Lake County ordains as follows:

SECTION I. The amendments made herein are designated by underlining the new substituted words. Words being deleted are designated by brackets with a line drawn through said words.

SECTION II. Section 2.95 of the Salt Lake County Code of Ordinances, 2001 is hereby amended to read as follows:

### Chapter 2.95 - COUNTY BUDGET PROCESS

#### 2.95.020 - Definitions.

"Final budget" means the budget finally adopted by the council pursuant to its legislative authority.

~~["Proposed budget" means the budget prepared in the format of the tentative budget by the mayor and forwarded to the council pursuant to the mayor's executive authority.]~~

"Proposed budget" is described in the Utah Uniform Fiscal Procedures Act for Counties as the "Tentative budget" and is [means] the budget prepared and submitted by the mayor [auditor to the mayor for further executive action and preparation of a proposed budget] pursuant to the statutory authority of the [auditor] mayor and forwarded to the council. This budget includes [ing] projected revenues and the [auditor's] mayor's budget message.

#### 2.95.060 - Council budget—Final budget.

- A. The council shall adopt by resolution a final budget on or before December 10 of each year for the following calendar fiscal year. The recommended final budget of the council shall be posted in the offices of the ~~[clerk, auditor and]~~ mayor for at least ten days prior to the public hearing. No budget may be adopted or considered unless it has been prepared and reviewed as provided in this chapter. The council, after consultation with the mayor, shall set the date for the time and place of the public hearing on the final budget, and advise, prior to ~~[December]~~ October 1 the mayor[, and] treasurer ~~[and auditor]~~ of the date of the public hearing, and cause the notice to be published and posted. The council shall also publish any notices in regard to truth in taxation requirements or tax increases. The council may hold public hearings as required. The council may also hold public budget meetings with the mayor and affected offices as needed. All interested parties shall have an opportunity to be heard at

the public hearing pursuant to rules established by the council. Adjustments may be made by the council after the public hearing on the recommended final budget. The final budget shall be available in the offices of the council, and mayor~~[-and auditor]~~ during business hours for public inspection. The ~~[auditor]~~ mayor shall file with the state auditor a certified copy of the final budget within thirty days after adoption.

B. The council shall not shift any of the capital improvement tax funds to other funds or accounts of the county.

2.95.110 - Budget and financial policies.

The council may provide by countywide policy or procedure for additional requirements for all offices, departments and agencies of the county in regard to the budget process not inconsistent with law. The mayor may adopt policies or issue orders not inconsistent with law or these ordinances in regard to the budget process. The ~~[auditor]~~ mayor may recommend proposed budget and financial policies to the ~~[mayor and]~~ council. The council shall adopt a set of fiscal or financial policies and standards and make them a part of the annual budget process.

SECTION III. This ordinance shall become effective fifteen (15) days after its passage and upon at least one publication in a newspaper published and having general circulation in Salt Lake County.

APPROVED and ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

SALT LAKE COUNTY COUNCIL

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Steve DeBry, Chair

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sherrie Swensen  
Salt Lake County Clerk

Council Member Alvord voting \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Member Bradley voting \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Member Bradshaw voting \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Member DeBry voting \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Member Granato voting \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Member Snelgrove voting \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Member Stringham voting \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Member Theodore voting \_\_\_\_\_  
Council Member Winder Newton voting \_\_\_\_\_

Approved As to Form

\_\_\_\_\_  
Craig Wangsgard  
Deputy District Attorney

Vetoed and dated this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Jennifer Wilson, Mayor

(Complete as Applicable)

Veto override: Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Ordinance published in the newspaper: Date \_\_\_\_\_

Effective date of ordinance: \_\_\_\_\_