

Sec. 1305 Budget - Appropriations.

From the effective date of the budget, the several amounts stated therein as proposed expenditures shall be and become appropriated to the several departments, offices and agencies for the respective objects and purposes therein named. All appropriations shall lapse at the end of the fiscal year to the extent that they shall not have been expended or lawfully encumbered.

At any meeting after the adoption of the budget, the City Council may amend or supplement the budget by motion adopted by the affirmative votes of at least five members so as to authorize the transfer of unused balances appropriated for one purpose to another purpose, or to appropriate available revenue not included in the budget.

Sec. 1306 Tax system and collection of taxes.

(Repealed by electors at an election held March 7, 2000, Charter Chapter 11 of the State *Statutes of 2000*)

Sec. 1306.5 Budget and levy of taxes for interim period between fiscal years.

(Repealed by electors at an election held March 7, 2000, Charter Chapter 11 of the State *Statutes of 2000*)

Sec. 1307 Tax limits.

(Repealed by electors at an election held March 7, 2000, Charter Chapter 11 of the State *Statutes of 2000*)

Sec. 1308 Tax liens.

(Repealed by electors at an election held March 7, 2000, Charter Chapter 11 of the State *Statutes of 2000*)

Sec. 1309 Bonded debt limit.

The bonded indebtedness of the City may not in the aggregate exceed the sum of fifteen percent (15%) of the total assessed valuation of property within the City, exclusive of revenue bonds or any indebtedness that has been or may hereafter be incurred for the purposes of acquiring, constructing, extending, or maintaining municipally owned utilities, for which purposes a further indebtedness may be incurred by the issuance of bonds, subject only to the provisions of the State Constitution and of this Charter.

Sec. 1310 Contracts on public works.

Every contract involving an expenditure of more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for the construction or improvement, (excluding maintenance and repair), of public buildings, works, streets, drains, sewers, utilities, parks and playgrounds shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder after notice by publication in an official newspaper by one or more insertions, the first of which shall be at least ten days before the time for opening bids.