
Sec. 2. Tentative appropriation ordinance; preparation, publication, adoption.

Upon receipt of such estimate the board of mayor and aldermen shall prepare a tentative appropriation ordinance, which shall also be published in accordance with state law. ~~a newspaper of general circulation in the city not less than one week before it is taken up for consideration by the board of mayor and aldermen, and before~~ Before acting upon final adoption of such tentative appropriation ordinance, the board of mayor and aldermen shall consider same at ~~the next~~ regular meeting held in accordance with state law and all voters and taxpayers may appear at said meeting and be heard in person or by attorney. The appropriation ordinance for each fiscal year shall be finally adopted before the first day of the fiscal year. Further appropriations and expenditures during the fiscal year after passage of the budget ordinance shall be by resolution of the board of mayor and aldermen as necessity and advisability shall become apparent.

The budget ordinance may be amended by ~~resolution~~ ordinance. Further appropriations and expenditures during the fiscal year after passage of the budget ordinance shall be made by ~~resolution~~ ordinance of the board of mayor and aldermen as the necessity and advisability shall become apparent.

(Pvt. Acts 1917, ch. 76, art. 15, § 2; Pvt. Acts 2001, § 33)