

ORDINANCE NO. 865

AN ORDINANCE SUBMITTING TO THE REGISTERED QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF GOLDEN, COLORADO, AT THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1981, THE QUESTION OF ISSUING GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OF THE CITY IN THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$5,000,000, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING A BUILDING FOR USE AS A MULTI-PURPOSE RECREATIONAL FACILITY

WHEREAS, the City Council has heretofore determined that it is in the best interest of the City and its inhabitants to construct and equip a building as a multi-purpose recreational facility within the City of Golden; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined to issue general obligation bonds of the City in the amount not exceeding \$5,000,000 for the purpose of paying the cost of such construction and for providing said improvements; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 12.3 of the City Charter and the laws of the State of Colorado, it is first necessary to submit the question of issuing such general obligation bonds to the registered qualified electors of the City;

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOLDEN, COLORADO:

Section 1. That at the general municipal election to be held in the City of Golden, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1981, between 7:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M. of said day, there shall be submitted to a vote of the registered qualified electors the question of issuing general obligation bonds of the City in the principal amount not exceeding \$5,000,000 for the purpose of constructing and equipping a building for use as a multi-purpose recreational facility in the City of Golden, as is more particularly stated in the forms of Ballot Label, Absentee Ballot and Notice of Election hereinafter set forth.

Section 2. The election on said questions shall be held at the same polling places in the several election wards within the City of Golden as are established and used for the General Municipal Election, said polling places and wards being as follows:

WARD ONE	-	Golden High School 701 24th Street
WARD TWO	-	St. Joseph's Parish Center 969 Ulysses Street
WARD THREE	-	North Golden Baptist Church 103 North Ford Street
WARD FOUR	-	Golden Recreation Center 1015 10th Street

The boundaries of such wards have heretofore been determined by the City Council in Ordinances Nos. 736 and 820 pursuant to Section 7.2 of the City Charter.

issuing bonds. The registration list for the municipal election ward shall contain the names and addresses of all electors residing within the minicipal election ward whose names appeared on the registration records at the close of business on the thirty-second day preceding the municipal election (i.e., Friday, October 2, 1981).

Section 4. The City Council hereby determines to use a punch card electronic voting system for elections. Votes at said Election, except those by absentee voters, shall be registered on electronic ballot punch cards, and the City Clerk shall cause the ballots and ballot punch cards to be used in voting upon the question to be submitted, to be prepared and furnished to the Judges of Election, and to be by them furnished to the electors. The ballots for the electronic voting system shall contain the following question:

"Shall the City of Golden, Jefferson County, Colorado, issue its general obligation bonds in the principal amount not exceeding \$5,000,000, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a building for use as a multi-purpose recreational facility, including the acquisition of necessary land and easements together with all necessary incidentals and appurtenances, in the City of Golden, such bonds to bear interest at a maximum net effective interest rate not exceeding 12.00% per annum, and the bonds to be issued and sold at one time or from time to time in such manner and amounts, with such maturities and upon such terms and conditions as the Council may determine, including at the option of the Council, provisions for the redemption of indebtedness prior to maturity at or above par?"

Section 5. The elector shall indicate his bote on the electronic voting system "FOR THE BONDS" or "AGAINST THE BONDS" on the question submitted. There shall be provided at the polling place two sample ballots. The Judges of the Election shall comply strictly with the provisions of the Colorado Municipal Election Code of 1965, as amended, as the same relate to electronic voting systems.

Section 6. In addition, paper ballots shall be provided for absentee voters, which ballots shall contain the same question as that appearing on the ballots for the electronic voting systems, which shall be substantially in the following form:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

(The electors shall vote upon the question by placing a cross (X) opposite the words expressing his or her choice.)

BALLOT

QUESTION:

"Shall the City of Golden, Jefferson County, Colorado, issue its general obligation bonds in the principal amount not exceeding \$5,000,000, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a building for use as a multi-purpose recreational facility, including the acquisition of necessary land and easements together with all necessary incidentals and appurtenances, in the City of Golden, such bonds to bear interest at a maximum net effective interest rate not exceeding 12.00% per annum, and the bonds to be issued and sold at one time or from time to time in such manner and amounts, with such maturities and upon such terms and conditions as the Council may determine, including at the option of the Council, provisions for the redemption of indebtedness prior to maturity at or above par?"

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FOR THE INDEBTEDNESS	:	:
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AGAINST THE INDEBTEDNESS	:	:
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(To be endorsed on back of ballot)

"THE OFFICIAL ABSENTEE BALLOT FOR GENERAL MINICIPAL ELECTION HELD IN THE CITY OF GOLDEN, COLORADO, NOVEMBER 3, 1981."

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City Clerk

Section 7. Pursuant to Section 31-10-401, C.R.S. 1973, as amended, the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to appoint a sufficient number of properly qualified persons to act as judges, at said General Municipal Election, at the earliest possible date prior to said Election, and in all events not less than fifteen (15) days before the Election.

Section 8. The notice of the election on the bond question shall be included in the notices of the general municipal election

PUBLIC NOTICE  
OF  
GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION  
CITY OF GOLDEN, COLORADO  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1981

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That at a general municipal election to be held in the City of Golden, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1981, between 7:00 o'clock A.M. and 7:00 o'clock P.M., of said day, there will be submitted to the registered qualified electors of the City the following question:

QUESTION:

"Shall the City of Golden, Jefferson County, Colorado, issue its general obligation bonds in the principal amount not exceeding \$5,000,000 for the purpose of constructing and equipping a building for use as a multi-purpose recreational facility, including the acquisition of necessary land and easements together with all necessary incidentals and appurtenances, in the City of Golden, such bonds to bear interest at a maximum net effective interest rate not exceeding 12.00% per annum, and the bonds to be issued and sold at one time or from time to time in such manner and amounts, with such maturities and upon such terms and conditions as the Council may determine, including at the option of the Council, provisions for the redemption of indebtedness prior to maturity at or above par?"

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969 Ulysses Street
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1015 10th Street

Any elector may determine in which ward the elector resides by contacting the City Clerk.

Any person who is at least eighteen (18) years of age, a citizen of the United States, and who has resided in the State of Colorado and in the municipal election ward for thirty-two days immediately preceding this election, and who has complied with the registration laws, shall be entitled to vote on the question referred to above. The registration list for the municipal election ward shall contain the names and addresses of all electors residing within the municipal election ward whose names appeared on the County registration records at the close of business on the thirty-

October, 1981, to determine whether they are eligible to vote by absentee ballot on said question and, if eligible, to make application for such ballot. Requests for an application for an absentee ballot may be made orally or in writing. Any elector unable to go to the polls because of conditions arising after the closing day for absent voter's ballot applications which will result in his absence from the precinct on election day may apply at the office of the City Clerk for an emergency absent voter's ballot.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City Council has caused this Notice to be given as required by law.

(SEAL)

/s/ Sharon L. Bennetts  
City Clerk of the City of Golden,  
Colorado

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Section 9. When any registered qualified elector, on the day of the general municipal election, shall be absent from the City, or by reason of his work or the nature of his employment is likely to be absent and fears that he will be absent from the City on said day, or because of serious illness or physical disability or for reasons based upon the doctrines of established religions shall be unable to attend the polls, he or she may vote by absentee ballot, in accordance with the provisions of the Colorado Municipal Election Code of 1965, as amended.

Requests for an application for an absentee ballot may be made orally or in writing. Application for an absentee ballot shall be filed with the City Clerk not later than the close of business on the Friday immediately preceding the election. The application may be in the form of a letter stating the applicant's residence address and the reason or reasons for which such an absentee ballot is requested. Any elector unable to go to the polls because of conditions arising after the closing day for absent voter's ballot applications which will result in his absence from the precinct on election day may apply at the office of the City Clerk for an emergency absent voter's ballot.

The Absent Voter Polling Place for the municipal election shall be Ward Four at the Golden Recreation Center, 1015 10th Street, in Golden, Colorado. At said Absent Voter Polling Place a single ballot box shall be provided in which shall be deposited all absentee ballots cast by the registered qualified electors of the City. The Judges for Ward Four shall act as Judges for the counting of the Absent Voter Ballots.

To the extent, in the manner and within the limitations and regulations established by law, the City Clerk shall accept applications and disburse ballots to those properly qualified persons who apply therefore.

ADOPTED, APPROVED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of August, 1981.

(SEAL)

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Frank I. Leek  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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Sharon L. Bennetts  
City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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Russell J. Sindt  
City Attorney