## ORDINANCE NO. 7576-97

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR SUBMITTING THE QUESTION OF INCREASING THE LIBRARY TAX FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF URBANA AT A SPECIAL ELECTION ON SEPTEMBER 11, 1976

WHEREAS, the current annual public library tax rate of the Urbana Free Library stands at .2364% of assessed valuation; and

WHEREAS, the anticipated expenses as reflected in the budget of the Urbana Free Library for its fiscal year of 1977/1978 exceeds anticipated revenues in the amount of approximately \$117,000.00; and

WHEREAS, an increase in the tax rate to .35% is needed in order for the Urbana Free Library to meet that anticipated deficit; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Urbana, Illinois, in accordance with Chapter 81, Sections 3-1 and 3-3 of the Illinois Revised Statutes, desires to so increase the tax rate for the Urbana Free Library;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, THAT:

A proposition be submitted to the voters of the City of Urbana, Illinois, at a special election on September 11, 1976, to determine whether the annual library tax for maintenance and operation of the Urbana Free Library be increased from .2364% to .35%.

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

This Ordinance is hereby passed by the affirmative vote, the "ayes" and "nays" being called of a majority of the members of the Council of the City of Urbana, Illinois, at a special meeting of the Council on the 26 day of  $\frac{\mathcal{P}(K_i)}{2}$ , 1976.

PASSED by the City Council on this 24 day of April 1976.

Duane Eckerty, City Clerk

APPROVED by the Mayor this 29 day of

Hiram Paley,