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ORDINANCE NUMBER B-439

AN ORDINANCE ATTESTING TO AN INCREASE IN TAX REVENUES FOR BUDGET YEAR 2001 FOR THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

WHEREAS, the City of Victoria must continue to provide services to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of this community; and

WHEREAS, the cost of providing essential services to the citizens of the city continues to increase; and

WHEREAS, the Kansas Legislature has cut growth in demand transfers to local governments below what is required by state statute; and

WHEREAS, the 2000 Kansas Legislature significantly reduced demand transfers payments to local governments below last year's levels;

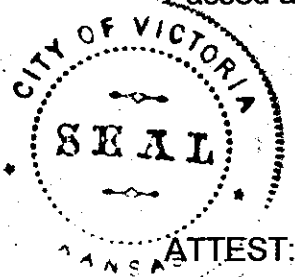
NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Governing Body of the City of Victoria:

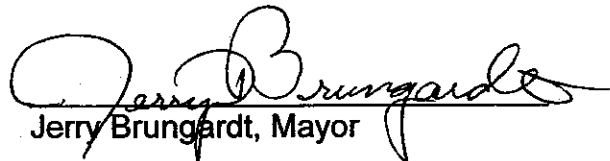
Section One. In accordance with state law, the City of Victoria has conducted a public hearing and has published the proposed budget necessary to fund city services from January 1, 2001 until December 31, 2001.

Section Two. After careful public deliberations, the Governing Body has determined that in order to maintain the public services which are essential for the citizens of this city, it will be necessary to budget property tax revenues in an amount which exceeds the 2000 budget.

Section Three. This ordinance shall take effect after publication once in the Hays Daily News.

Passed and approved by the Governing Body on this 21st day of August, 2000.




Jerry Brungardt, Mayor


Brenda Reynolds, City Clerk