

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

MARCH 3, 1982

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LETTER RE RECENT
RATE HIKES BY PUC

City Clerk Reimche presented a letter which had been received from Houston Spires, Executive Director, Sierra Foothills Community Assistance Project, Inc., asking Council to adopt a Resolution condemning the recent rate hikes by the Public Utilities Commission. On motion of Councilman Pinkerton, Hughes second, Council voted not to act on this letter.

Sierra Foothills Community Assistance Project, Inc.

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Houston Spires
Executive Director

Patricia Spires
Program Manager

Dear Councilmen:

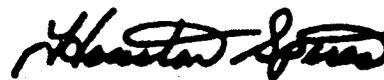
Please excuse the use of this form letter, but due to the necessity of immediate action this is our most expedient method of communications.

We are asking the Boards of Supervisors of each county in California as well as each City Council of all incorporated cities and towns, to give us a resolution condemning the recent rate hikes by the Public Utilities Commission.

We would appreciate it very much if you would ask the P.U.C., to roll prices back to what they were in January 1981, as there are a great many people on fixed incomes that cannot exist with the rate hikes.

We would like to have a copy of your resolution before March 6, 1982, as we are going to present them along with petitions to the State Legislature in Sacramento, on March 8, 1982.

Thank you,



Houston Spires

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