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White trying to slow down government spending

Associated Press

AUSTIN — Gov. Mark White, concerned about the effect of falling oil prices on state revenues, called on state agencies Wednesday to "slow down spending."

"I am putting all state agencies on notice to prepare now for additional budgetary constraints," White said in a letter to chairmen of all state boards.

Comptroller Bob Bullock said Tuesday he would soon issue an updated revenue forecast based on declining oil prices. The current state budget is based on the assumption that oil and gas taxes will produce 14.5 percent of all state revenue.

Spot oil prices have dropped from a November peak of \$31.70 a barrel to a \$15.44 closing price Tuesday. Oil sold on the spot market accounts for only about 10 percent of Texas oil sales, but can foreshadow falling contract prices.

"As I am sure you are aware, the precipitous drop in the price of oil and the deteriorating market have raised serious questions about the state's revenue picture," White said in his letter.

"We need to begin drawing plans immediately to lessen the obvious strain on our revenue base," he said.

He called on agencies to identify "steps you could take to slow down spending currently authorized" by the appropriations bill. He suggested money could be saved through cuts in capital outlay, travel and "those areas least affecting delivery of the highest priority services."

"Furthermore, it is imperative that no new financial obligations be incurred or programs be initiated during the next several weeks until we receive and review the comptroller's assessment," White said.

White said Tuesday he does not yet see a need to call lawmakers to Austin for a special session to cut spending or raise taxes.

Bullock said "the oil situation that has unfolded in the past three weeks has serious implications for Texas and its finances." He said he is working on a revised look at state finances, based on the lower oil prices.

Texas finances

Caperton says state budget could be cut up to \$44 million

By CRAIG RENFRO
Staff Writer

Texas' economic situation is in serious trouble and budget cuts of up to \$44 million can be expected in education, human services and the state highway system, State Senator Kent Caperton said Wednesday night at Texas A&M.

Part of the reason for the state's economic woes is the recent drop in oil prices, Caperton said. Texas has the third largest population in the nation and 10 percent of the people are employed in the oil industry.

Caperton, who is a 1971 A&M University graduate, said that for every \$1 drop in the price of a barrel

Warped

by Scott McCullar

OH, COME ON, PAUL, HOW CAN YOU GRIPE ABOUT LOVE ANYWAY? WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT IT?

I KNOW ENOUGH TO BE SKEPTICAL ABOUT IT...

BESIDES... I WAS A FOOL ABOUT LOVE... ONCE.

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Waldo

by Kevin Thomas

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by D. Coon

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by Jeff MacNelly

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Foreclosures climbing at record rate in Travis County

Associated Press

AUSTIN — Foreclosures are soaring in Travis County, with the number of properties posted continuing to climb at a record rate, new figures show.

The problems aren't confined to small property owners, either. At least two multi-million dollar properties were taken over by lenders at the most recent monthly public sale.

There were 608 properties listed for possible foreclosure Tuesday, up significantly from the 97 listings in February 1985, according to the Travis County Foreclosure Report.

The February postings also were up over the previous record of 454 listings, set in January.

The exact number of properties actually foreclosed each month isn't

immediately known because deeds can be filed weeks after the sale.

The two largest properties listed Tuesday, in terms of loan amounts, were foreclosed on by Mercury Savings and Loan of Wichita Falls and Ben Milam Savings and Loan of Cameron.

Reg Brittain, publisher of the Travis County Foreclosure Report, said his studies of the February list-

ings showed 100 single-family residences, 430 pieces of vacant land, 11 apartment complexes, 26 duplexes, 11 mobile homes and six office buildings among items properties for foreclosure.

Included were 67 properties with original loan balances of \$101,000 to \$500,000, 10 from \$500,001 to \$1 million, and 10 properties with balances of more than \$1 million.

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