sought to reduce or eliminate it.

In 1981, by which time all subsidies from the Ford Foundation for day-to-day operations will have come to an end, it is estimated that income and expenditures will be in balance. This will be the first unsubsidized balanced budget in many years, and it should prove possible to maintain the balance in the years following 1981. In short, by 1981, we hope to have reached the point of "living within our means."

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