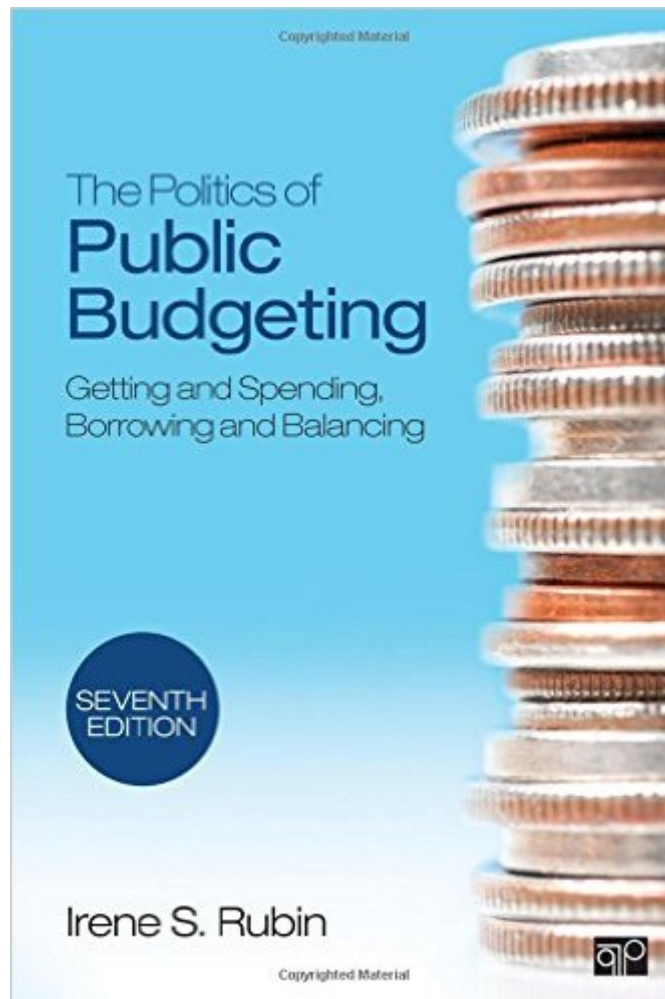


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# The Politics Of Public Budgeting: Getting And Spending, Borrowing And Balancing



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