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CHAMPAIGN COUNTY CLERK

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VILLAGE OF RANTOUL )

**CERTIFICATION OF ORDINANCE**

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified Acting Village Clerk of the Village of Rantoul, Champaign County, Illinois (the "Village"), and as such official I am the keeper of the records and files of the Village and of the President and Board of Trustees of the Village (the "Corporate Authorities").

I do further certify that the attached constitutes a full, true and complete excerpt from the proceedings of the meeting of the Corporate Authorities held on the 14th day of December, 2004, insofar as same relates to the adoption of Ordinance No. 1959, entitled:

**AN ORDINANCE LEVYING TAXES FOR THE VILLAGE OF RANTOUL, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY, ILLINOIS, FOR THE 2004 TAX LEVY YEAR,**

a true, correct and complete copy of which ordinance (the "Ordinance") as adopted at such meeting appears in the transcript of the minutes of such meeting and is hereto attached. The Ordinance was adopted and approved by the vote and on the date therein set forth.

I do further certify that the deliberations of the Corporate Authorities on the adoption of the Ordinance were taken openly, that the vote on the adoption of the Ordinance was taken openly and was preceded by a public recital of the nature of the matter being considered and such information as would inform the public of the business being conducted, that such meeting was held at a specified time and place convenient to the public, that notice of such meeting was duly given to all of the news media requesting such notice, that such meeting was called and held in strict compliance with the provisions of the open meeting laws of the State of Illinois, as amended, and that the Corporate Authorities have complied with all of the applicable provisions of such open meeting laws and their procedural rules in the adoption of the Ordinance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto affix my official signature and the seal of the Village of Rantoul, Champaign County, Illinois, this 14th day of December, 2004.

(SEAL)



*Jeremy A. Paul*  
Acting Village Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 1959

AN ORDINANCE  
LEVYING TAXES FOR THE VILLAGE OF RANTOUL,  
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY, ILLINOIS, FOR THE 2004 TAX LEVY YEAR

-- ANNUAL TAX LEVY ORDINANCE --

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Rantoul, Champaign County, Illinois (the "Village") is duly established and operates under and in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Illinois, including the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/1-1-1 et seq.), as specifically supplemented and amended by the power and authority of the Village as a Home Rule Unit of Local Government under Section 6, Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois; and

**WHEREAS**, the provisions of Section 8-2-9.1 through Section 8-2-9.10 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/8-2-9.1 through 5/8-2-9.10), as supplemented and amended by the power and authority of the Village as a Home Rule Unit of Local Government, are effective in and for the Village, the same having been adopted by Ordinance No. 1547, passed on September 9, 1997, by a two-thirds vote of the President and Board of Trustees (the "Corporate Authorities") of the Village and approved by the Village President on the same date as Article I, entitled "Annual Budget", of Chapter 28, entitled "Finance" of the Village of Rantoul Code-1977, as subsequently supplemented and amended; and

**WHEREAS**, Ordinance No. 1921, AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2004-2005, which was passed by the Corporate Authorities of the Village on April 13, 2004 and approved by the Village President on the same date, passed, approved and adopted an annual budget for the fiscal year of the Village beginning May 1, 2004 and ending April 30, 2005, which such annual budget has, by subsequent ordinances duly passed and approved by the Corporate Authorities, been supplemented and amended (as so supplemented and amended, the "Annual Budget"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities of the Village desire to levy upon all property subject to taxation within the Village, as that property is assessed and equalized for state and county purposes for the 2004 tax levy year, the respective amounts set forth in this Ordinance, which such amounts are deemed necessary to defray the related expenses and liabilities for all such corporate purposes of the Village as have been appropriated for such purposes in the Annual Budget.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF RANTOUL, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY, ILLINOIS**, as follows:

**Section 1.** The provisions of the Annual Budget are hereby incorporated into this Ordinance to the same extent as if set forth in full herein. The total maximum amount of appropriations in the Annual Budget for all corporate purposes of the Village (except for appropriations for principal and

interest due on outstanding bonded indebtedness, if any), which are legally made to be collected from the tax levy for the 2004 tax levy year, is hereby ascertained to be the sum of One Million Seventy-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,078,500).

**Section 2.** The sum of One Million Seventy-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,078,500), being the total of the appropriations heretofore legally made in the Annual Budget which is to be collected from the tax levy for the 2004 tax levy year for all corporate purposes of the Village, including the purposes of providing for a General Corporate Fund and a Public Works Administration Fund (including therein related appropriations for FICA/Medicare and the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund), a Police Pension Fund and the Rantoul Public Library Fund, (but excepting principal and interest due on outstanding bonded indebtedness, the levies for which are made in separate ordinances, if any), as all such Funds have been appropriated in the Annual Budget for the current fiscal year of the Village, be and the same is hereby levied upon all of the taxable property in the Village subject to taxation for the 2004 tax levy year as such taxable property is equalized and assessed for state and county purposes. The specific amounts levied for the various purposes identified herein below are separately included herein by being placed in separate columns under the heading "Amounts to be Levied", which appears over the same, the tax so levied being for the current fiscal year of the Village and for the appropriations in the Annual Budget to be collected from such tax levy, the total of which has been ascertained as aforesaid and being as follows:

	<u>2004-2005 Appropriation</u>	<u>Amounts to be Levied</u>
<b><u>GENERAL CORPORATE FUND:</u></b>		
Government Administration (Comptroller's Office)		
Purchased Professional Services	\$50,945	
For Audit		\$3,000 ✓
Police Department (Patrol Division)		
Personnel Services	\$1,262,710	
For Police Protection		\$42,475 ✓
Police Department (ESDA Division)		
Personnel Services	\$1,200	
For ESDA		\$1,000 ✓
Recreation Department (Administration Division)		
Personnel Services	\$136,280	
For Recreation		\$100,000 ✓
All Departments (All Divisions)		
Personnel Services-Employee Benefits	\$588,215	
For FICA/Medicare		\$161,000 ✓
For Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund		\$116,000 ✓

**PUBLIC WORKS ADMINISTRATION FUND:**

Public Works Department (Street Division)		
Personnel Services	\$263,315	
For Street and Bridge		\$74,000
Personnel Services-Employee Benefits	\$77,245	
For FICA/Medicare		\$19,000
For Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund		\$22,000

**POLICE PENSION FUND:**

Government Administration Department (General Government Activities)		
Employee Benefits	\$405,000	
For Police Pension		\$251,575

**RANTOUL PUBLIC LIBRARY FUND:**

Salaries	\$176,519	\$176,000
Benefits	30,065	30,000
Contractual Services	17,400	17,000
Insurance	1,500	1,000
Utilities	4,000	4,000
Other Services	25,025	23,450
Supplies	5,800	3,000
Library Materials	39,500	34,000
Materials Processing	7,000	-0-
Capital Outlay	1,000	-0-
Miscellaneous	<u>1,501</u>	<u>-0-</u>
Appropriation-Total	\$309,310	
For Library-Total		\$288,450

TOTAL AMOUNT LEVIED \$1,078,500

**Section 3.** The total amount of One Million Seventy-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,078,500), ascertained as provided in Sections 1 and 2 of this Ordinance above and as further summarized below, be, and the same is, hereby levied and assessed on all property subject to taxation within the Village according to the value of said property as the same is assessed and equalized for state and county purposes for the 2004 tax levy year:

**SUMMARY**

Audit	\$ 3,000 ✓
Police Protection	42,475 ✓
ESDA	1,000 ✓
Recreation	100,000 ✓
Street and Bridge	74,000 ✓
FICA/Medicare	180,000 ✓
Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	138,000 ✓
Police Pension Fund	251,575 ✓
Library	288,450 ✓
 TOTAL AMOUNT LEVIED	 \$1,078,500

**Section 4.** This Ordinance is adopted by the Corporate Authorities pursuant to the general procedures set forth in Section 8-3-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/8-3-1), including as specifically supplemented and amended by the power and authority of the Village as a Home Rule Unit of Local Government under Section 6, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Illinois; provided, however, that any tax rate limitation or any other substantive limitation as to tax levies in the Illinois Municipal Code or otherwise in conflict with this Ordinance shall not be applicable to this Ordinance pursuant to such Section 6, Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Illinois.

**Section 5.** There is hereby certified to the County Clerk of Champaign County, Illinois, the several sums aforesaid, constituting the total amount (exclusive of the separate levies for principal and interest due on outstanding bonded indebtedness, if any) of One Million Seventy-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,078,500), which total amount the Village requires to be raised by taxation for the 2004 tax levy year, and the Acting Village Clerk of the Village is hereby ordered and directed to file a certified copy of this Ordinance with the County Clerk of Champaign County, Illinois, on or before the date required by law.

**Section 6.** If any provisions of this Ordinance or the application of such provisions to any circumstances is held invalid for any reason whatsoever, the remainder of this Ordinance or the application of such provisions of this Ordinance to other circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

**Section 7.** This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect immediately on and after its passage and approval as required by law.

This Ordinance is hereby passed, the "ayes" and "nays" being called, by the concurrence of a majority of the Corporate Authorities then holding office at a regular meeting on the date set forth below upon a roll call vote as follows:

"Ayes" Molloy, Lewis, Carter, Loy, Smith, Graham  
 "Nays" \_\_\_\_\_  
 "Absent" \_\_\_\_\_

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CHAMPAIGN COUNTY CLERK

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**  
**WITH THE TRUTH IN TAXATION LAW OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS**

I, NEAL WILLIAMS, the President of the Village of Rantoul, Champaign County, Illinois (the “**Village**”), hereby certify that I am the presiding officer of the Village and as such presiding officer I hereby further certify, pursuant to and in accordance with Section 18-90 of the “Truth in Taxation Law” (35 ILCS 200/18-90), that ORDINANCE NO. 1959, the ANNUAL TAX LEVY ORDINANCE, a copy of which is appended hereto, was adopted pursuant to, and in all respects in compliance with, the provisions of Section 18-60 through and including Section 18-85 of said “Truth in Taxation Law” (35 ILCS 200/18-60 to 200/18-85). The total amount levied by the Village under such ORDINANCE NO. 1959, the ANNUAL TAX LEVY ORDINANCE, is not more than 105% of the amount, exclusive of election costs, which has been extended or is estimated will be extended, plus any amount abated by the Village before any such extension, upon the final aggregate levy of the Village for the preceding tax levy year, and, accordingly, no public notice and no public hearing were required under and pursuant to Section 18-70 of said “Truth in Taxation Law” (35 ILCS 200/18-70).

Dated this 14th day of December, 2004.

  
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Neal Williams, President