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ILLINOIS STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
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CERTIFICATE OF TAX LEVY

Mark Sheldon
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY CLERK

A copy of this Certificate of Tax Levy shall be filed with the County Clerk of each county in which the school district is located on or before the last Tuesday of December.

District Name Villa Grove Community Unit District	District Number 302	County Douglas
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Amount of Levy

Educational	\$ 1,102,345	Fire Prevention & Safety *	\$ 26,627
Operations & Maintenance	\$ 266,267	Tort Immunity	\$ 318,000
Transportation	\$ 106,507	Special Education	\$ 21,301
Working Cash	\$ 26,627	Leasing	\$ 26,627
Municipal Retirement	\$ 95,000	Other	\$
Social Security	\$ 120,000	Other	\$
		Total Levy	\$ 2,109,301

* Includes Fire Prevention, Safety, Energy Conservation, Disabled Accessibility, School Security, and Specified Repair Purposes.

See explanation on reverse side.

Note. Any district proposing to adopt a levy must comply with the provisions set forth in the Truth in Taxation Law.

We hereby certify that we require:

the sum of 1,102,345 dollars to be levied as a special tax for educational purposes; and
the sum of 266,267 dollars to be levied as a special tax for operations and maintenance purposes; and
the sum of 106,507 dollars to be levied as a special tax for transportation purposes; and
the sum of 26,627 dollars to be levied as a special tax for a working cash fund; and
the sum of 95,000 dollars to be levied as a special tax for municipal retirement purposes; and
the sum of 120,000 dollars to be levied as a special tax for social security purposes; and
the sum of 26,627 dollars to be levied as a special tax for fire prevention, safety, energy conservation, disabled accessibility, school security and specified repair purposes; and
the sum of 318,000 dollars to be levied as a special tax for tort immunity purposes; and
the sum of 21,301 dollars to be levied as a special tax for special education purposes; and
the sum of 26,627 dollars to be levied as a special tax for leasing of educational facilities or computer technology or both, and temporary relocation expense purposes; and
the sum of 0 dollars to be levied as a special tax for _____; and
the sum of 0 dollars to be levied as a special tax for _____
on the taxable property of our school district for the year 2007.

Signed this 17 day of 12 20 07.

Kevin A. Lopez
(President)
[Signature]
(Clerk or Secretary of the School Board of Said School District)

When any school is authorized to issue bonds, the school board shall file a certified copy of the resolution in the office of the county clerk of each county in which the district is situated to provide for the issuance of the bonds and to levy a tax to pay for them. The county clerk shall extend the tax for bonds and interest as set forth in the certified copy of the resolution, each year during the life of the bond issue. Therefore to avoid a possible duplication of tax levies, the school board should not include a levy for bonds and interest in the district's annual tax levy.

Number of bond issues of said school district that have not been paid in full 1.

(Detach and Return to School District)

This is to certify that the Certificate of Tax Levy for School District No. 302, Douglas County, Illinois, on the equalized assessed value of all taxable property of said school district for the year 2007, was filed in the office of the County Clerk of this County on 12-18-07, 2007.

In addition to an extension of taxes authorized by levies made by the Board of Education (Directors), an additional extension(s) will be made, as authorized by resolution(s) on file in this office, to provide funds to retire bonds and pay interest thereon. The total levy, as provided in the original resolution(s), for said purposes for the year 2007, is \$ 2,109,301 + 181,563

Mark Sheldon
(Signature of County Clerk)

12-18-07
(Date)

Champaign
(County)

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TRUTH IN TAXATION CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

Mark Sheldon
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY CLERK

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am the presiding officer of Ville Grove COSD #302, and as such
Legal Name of Taxing District

presiding officer, I certify that the levy ordinance, a copy of which is attached, was adopted pursuant to, and in all respects in compliance with the provisions Sections 18-60 through 18-85 of the "Truth in Taxation" law.

CHECK ONE OF THE CHOICES BELOW

- 1) The taxing district published a notice in the newspaper and conducted a hearing, meeting the requirements of the Truth in Taxation Law
- 2) The taxing district's aggregate levy did not exceed a 5% increase over the prior year's extension. Therefore, notice and a hearing were not necessary.
- 3) The proposed aggregate levy did not exceed a 5% increase over the prior year's extension. Therefore, a hearing was not held. The adopted aggregate tax levy exceeded 5% of the prior year's extension and a notice was published within 15 days of its adoption in accordance with the Truth in Taxation Law.
- 4) The adopted levy exceeded the amount stated in the published notice. A second notice was published within 15 days of the adoption in accordance with the Truth in Taxation Law

This certificate applies to the 2007 levy.

Date: 12/18/07

Presiding Officer Dr. Steven L. Rypniak, Supt. of Schools
(Signature)

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Mark Sheldon
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY CLERK

**RESOLUTION REGARDING THE ESTIMATED AMOUNTS
NECESSARY TO BE LEVIED FOR THE YEAR 2007**

WHEREAS, The Truth In Taxation Act required that all taxing districts in the State of Illinois determine the estimated amounts of taxes necessary to be levied for the year not less than twenty (20) days prior to the official adoption of the aggregate tax levy of the District; and

WHEREAS, if the estimated aggregate amount necessary to be levied, exclusive of election costs, exceeds 105% of the aggregate amount of property taxes extended or estimated to be extended upon the levy of the preceding year, public notice shall be given and a public hearing shall be held on the District's intent to adopt a tax levy in an amount which is more than 105% of the extension or estimated extension for the preceding year; and

WHEREAS, the aggregate amount of property taxes extended for the year 2006, was:

\$ 1,068,000	Educational Purposes
\$ 258,500	Operation & Maintenance purposes
\$ 108,000	Transportation purposes
\$ 28,000	Working Cash Fund purposes
\$ 242,000	Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund purposes
\$ 97,000	Social Security Fund purposes
\$ 28,000	Fire Prevention, Safety, Environmental and Energy Conservation purposes
\$ 318,000	Tort Immunity purposes
\$ 22,000	Special Education purposes
251,003	Bond & Interest
\$ 26,000	Lease purposes
\$ 2,446,503	TOTAL: and

WHEREAS, it is hereby determined that the estimated amount of taxes to be extended for the year 2007 is as follows:

\$ 1,102,345	Educational Purposes
\$ 266,267	Operation & Maintenance purposes
\$ 106,507	Transportation purposes
\$ 26,627	Working Cash Fund purposes
\$ 95,000	Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund purposes
\$ 120,000	Social Security Fund purposes
\$ 26,627	Fire Prevention, Safety, Environmental and Energy Conservation purposes
\$ 318,000	Tort Immunity purposes
\$ 21,301	Special Education purposes
181,563	Bond & interest
\$ 26,627	Lease Facilities purposes
\$ 2,290,864	TOTAL

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Villa Grove Community Unit School District Number 302, Counties of Douglas and Champaign, State of Illinois, as follows:

Section 1: The aggregate amount of taxes estimated to be levied for the year 2007 is \$2,290,864

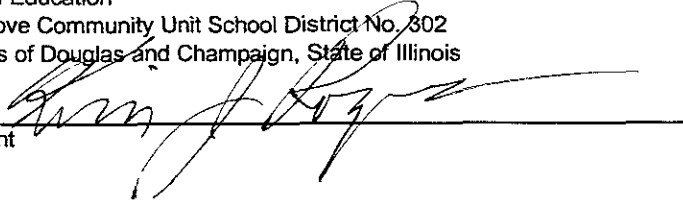
Section 2: The aggregate amount of taxes estimated to be levied for the year 2007 does **NOT** exceed 105% of the taxes extended by the District in the 2006.

This resolution shall be in full force and effect forthwith upon its passage.

Section 3:

Board of Education
Villa Grove Community Unit School District No. 302
Counties of Douglas and Champaign, State of Illinois

By: _____
President



Secretary

ATTEST: