

VILLAGE OF HAMMOND  
PIATT COUNTY, ILLINOIS

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ORDINANCE #2023-04

"ANNUAL ORDINANCE FOR THE LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF THE TAXES FOR THE  
FISCAL YEAR FOR THE VILLAGE OF HAMMOND, PIATT COUNTY, ILLINOIS"

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ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF HAMMOND THIS  
13<sup>th</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER, 2023

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Published in pamphlet form by authority of the Village Board of the Village of Hammond, Piatt  
County, Illinois, this 13th day of December, 2023

VILLAGE OF HAMMOND  
 PIATT COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
 ORDINANCE #2023-04

**WHEREAS**, heretofore at a meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Hammond, County of Piatt, and the State of Illinois, held on the Ordinance entitled, 'ANNUAL ORDINANCE FOR THE LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF TAXES" was duly presented and adopted by the said Board of Trustees, and on the same day duly approved by the President of the said Board of Trustees of the Village of Hammond, Piatt County, Illinois, and said Ordinance was thereafter duly published as required by law; and

**WHEREAS**, in and by said Ordinance the said Board of Trustees of the Village of Hammond afore said, did appropriate the sum of \$640,600.00 (six-hundred forty-thousand six-hundred dollars), to defray all necessary expenses and liabilities of the Village for the said current fiscal year as specified in said Ordinance, the objects and purposes for which said appropriates were made, and the amount appropriated for each object and purpose being as follows:

Animal Control	\$1,000.00
Capital Improvements & Repairs/Maintenance	\$120,000.00
Contingent Expenses	\$10,000.00
Copier Lease/Expense	\$2,600.00
Donations	\$3,000.00
Dues, Subscriptions, Fuel, Truck	\$8,000.00
Election Expenses	\$1,000.00
Employer Social Security	\$13,000.00
Engineering Services	\$25,000.00
Equipment Expenses & Maintenance/Equipment Rental	\$10,000.00
Equipment Purchase/Lease	\$20,000.00
Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	\$8,000.00
Insurance	\$25,000.00
Law Enforcement/Police	\$30,000.00
Legal/Accounting	\$20,000.00
Office Operation Expense/Postage/Supplies	\$30,000.00
Repair & Maintenance of Alleys, Sidewalks, and Trees	\$30,000.00
Repair & Maintenance of Streets	\$ 30,000.00
Salaries & Wages of Village Employees/Trustees/Zoning	\$105,000.00
Travel & Entertainment Expenses	\$1,000.00
Utilities-General & Street Lighting	\$5,000.00
<b>Total General Expenses:</b>	<b>\$497,600.00</b>

Accounting and Audit	\$30,000.00
Debt Repayment-First State Bank	\$39,000.00
Debt Repayment-USDA Loan	\$19,000.00
Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	\$ 5,000.00
Insurance	\$25,000.00
Social Security	\$25,000.00
Total Water, Sewer and Disposal Expenses	<b>\$143,000.00</b>
General Expenses	<b>\$497,600.00</b>
<b>Total General, Water, Sewer and Disposal</b>	<b>\$640,600.00</b>

That said sum of \$75,168.00 (seventy-five thousand one-hundred sixty-eight dollars) be, and the same is hereby levied upon all taxable property, including railroad property within the said Village of Hammond as the same is assessed and equalized for the State and County purposes, for the current fiscal year, and said taxes shall be extended and collected in accordance with the provisions of the Statute in such case made and provided, for items in the amount enumerated as follows:

General Corp	\$11,180.00
Sewage & Disposal	\$3,355.00
Bonds & Interest	\$18,400.00
Municipal Auditing	\$5,730.00
Social Security	\$6,343.00
Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	\$7,930.00
Tort, Judgment & Liability Insurance	\$22,230.00
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$75,168.00</b>

That a duly certified copy of the Ordinance to be filed with the County Clerk of Piatt County, Illinois, by the Village Clerk, as provided by law.

This Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage and approval, publication in pamphlet form as required by law.

Passed this 13th day of December, 2023, pursuant to a roll call as follows:

AYES: 4  
 NAYS: 0  
 ABSENT: 2

Marsha Burgener  
President of the Board of Trustees  
for the Village of Hammond, Piatt  
County, Illinois

ATTEST:

Brenda Sebens  
Village Clerk for the Village of  
Hammond, Piatt County, Illinois

State of Illinois )  
 ) ss.  
County of Piatt )  
Certificate of Publication )

I, Brenda Sebens, certify that I am the duly appointed and acting Municipal Clerk of the Village of Hammond, Piatt County, Illinois.

I further certify that on December 13, 2022, the Corporate Authorities of such municipality passed and approved Ordinance #2022-04, entitled ""ANNUAL ORDINANCE FOR THE LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF THE TAXES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR FOR THE VILLAGE OF HAMMOND, PIATT COUNTY, ILLINOIS", which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of Ordinance #2023-04, including the Ordinance and a cover sheet thereof, was prepared and a copy of such Ordinance was posted in the municipal building commencing on December 14, 2023 and continuing for at least 10 (ten) days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the office of the Municipal Clerk.

Dated at Hammond, Illinois, this 13th day of December, 2023.

(SEAL)

Brenda Sebens  
Municipal Clerk

Village of Hammond  
Hammond, Illinois  
Truth in Taxation  
Certificate of Compliance

The Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Hammond, Illinois, approved Ordinance #2023-04, "An Ordinance for the Levy and Assessment of the Taxes for the Fiscal Year for the Village of Hammond, Piatt County, Illinois" pursuant to, and in all respects, in compliance with the provisions of Section 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, a 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.

Date: 12/13/2023

Brenda Sebens  
Title: Clerk/Treasurer