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AND ASSESSMENT OF TAXES
FOR THE CITY OF CRYSTAL LAKE
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING
THE 1ST DAY OF MAY, 2023 TO
THE 30TH DAY OF APRIL, 2024**

**ADOPTED BY THE
CITY COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF CRYSTAL LAKE**

December 5, 2023

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City of Crystal Lake, McHenry County, Illinois, this 5th day of December, 2023.**

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WHEREAS, the City Council of Crystal Lake in the County of McHenry and State of Illinois did on the 18th day of April, 2023, pass the Annual Budget in accordance with Chapter 65 5/8-2.-9.1, *et. seq.* of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, for the City for the fiscal year beginning on the 1st day of May 2023 the amount of which is ascertained to be One Hundred Twenty-Five Million, Two Hundred Ninety-Seven Thousand, Four Hundred Fifty Dollars and No Cents (\$125,297,450), excluding inter-fund transfers, which said Budget Resolution was duly published on the 18th day of April, 2023.

WHEREAS, pursuant to State Law (Public Act 95-950), the Mayor and City Council hereby accept the Compliance Reports submitted by the Crystal Lake Firefighters' Pension Fund and the Crystal Lake Police Pension Fund for the year ended April 30, 2024.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Crystal Lake did on the 21st day of November, 2023, determine that the levy of the City of Crystal Lake for 2023 would not exceed \$19,986,700 exclusive of debt service and, pursuant to Chapter 35, Illinois Compiled Statutes 200/18-55 *et. seq.*, entitled "Truth in Taxation Act," all provisions of said Act were fully complied with by the City of Crystal Lake.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Crystal Lake, McHenry County, Illinois:

Section 1: That the total amount of appropriations for all corporate purposes legally made to be collected from the tax levy of the current fiscal year is hereby ascertained to be the sum of Nineteen Million, Nine Hundred Eighty-Six Thousand, Seven Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$19,986,700).

Section 2: That the sum of Nineteen Million, Nine Hundred Eighty-Six Thousand, Seven Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$19,986,700) being the total of appropriations heretofore legally made that are to be collected from the tax levy of the City of Crystal Lake for the purpose of providing for the Illinois Municipal Retirement and Federal Insurance Contributions Act Fund (the City's contributions to IMRF and for Social Security and Medicare taxes), Police Pension Fund, Fire Pension Fund, Library Operating Fund, Library IMRF Fund (the Library's contributions to IMRF), the Library Federal Insurance Contributions Act Fund (the Library's contributions for Social Security and Medicare taxes),

Fire Rescue Fund and School Crossing Guard Fund, and Debt Service Funds as appropriated for the current fiscal year by annual appropriation of the City of Crystal Lake for the Fiscal Year 2023/24, passed by the Mayor and City Council of said City at the legally convened meeting of April 18, 2023 be, and the same is hereby levied upon all of the taxable property in the City of Crystal Lake subject to taxation for the current year, the specific amounts as levied for the various funds heretofore named being included herein by being placed in separate columns under the heading "Tax Levy" that appears over them, the tax so levied being for the current fiscal year of said City, and for the said appropriation to be collected from said tax levy, the total of which has been ascertained as aforesaid and being as follows:

Fund	Appropriation	Tax Levy
City Funds		
General Fund	\$ 30,610,834	-
Restricted Police Funds	164,997	-
Fire Rescue Fund	10,336,321	7,608,859
Road/Vehicle License Fund	50,750	-
School Crossing Guard Fund	143,799	75,966
IMRF/FICA Fund - IMRF	706,349	795,686
IMRF/FICA Fund - FICA	820,123	515,013
Motor Fuel Tax Fund	960,500	-
Foreign Fire Insurance Fund	0	-
Commuter Parking Fund	277,949	-
Debt Service Funds	1,023,285	-
TIF Funds	47,460	-
Capital Replacement Fund	24,282,403	-
Water & Sewer Funds	38,065,212	-
Group Insurance Fund	6,293,851	-
Police Pension Fund	4,236,784	3,612,536
Fire Pension Fund	2,572,275	2,285,640
Sub-Total City Funds	\$ 120,592,892	\$ 14,893,700
Library Funds		
Library Operations	\$ 4,113,473	\$ 4,591,000
Library IMRF	333,641	277,000
Library FICA	204,836	225,000
Construction & Repair Fund	142,580	-
Gift & Memorial Fund	73,540	-
Per Capital Grant Fund	118,794	-
Special Reserve Fund	41,000	-
Sub-Total Library Funds	\$ 5,027,864	\$ 5,093,000
Grand Total - All Funds	\$ 125,620,756	\$ 19,986,700

Section 3: That the total amount of Nineteen Million, Nine Hundred Eighty-Six Thousand, Seven

Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$19,986,700) ascertained above, be and is hereby levied and assessed on all property subject to taxation within the City of Crystal Lake according to the value of said property as assessed and equalized for state and county purposes for the current year.

Section 4: That this Levy Ordinance is adopted pursuant to the procedures set forth in the Illinois Municipal Code.

Section 5: That there is hereby certified to the County Clerk of McHenry County, Illinois, the several sums above, constituting said total amount, and the total amount of Nineteen Million, Nine Hundred Eighty-Six Thousand, Seven Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$19,986,700), which total amount the City of Crystal Lake requires to be raised by taxation for the current fiscal year of the City, and the City Clerk of the City is hereby ordered and directed to file with the County Clerk of the County on or before the time required by law, a certified copy of this Ordinance.

Section 6: That the rate percent be ascertained and tax extended as provided by law against the property included in the City of Crystal Lake.

Section 7: That the provisions of the Truth in Taxation Act, Chapter 35, Illinois Compiled Statutes, 200/18-55 *et. seq.*, were complied with by the City of Crystal Lake.

Section 8: Pursuant to Statute, in compliance with Public Act 83-881, the City of Crystal Lake did file on April 24, 2023 an Estimate of Revenue by Source with the McHenry County Clerk's office.

Section 9: Pursuant to the Illinois State Constitution of 1970, the City of Crystal Lake is a Home Rule unit of government, and as such, is not subject to the Act adopted by the Legislature in 1991 providing for tax levy limitations, nor is the City of Crystal Lake subject to individual fund rate limitations.

Section 10: That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect immediately on and after its passage and approval.

ADOPTED this 5th day of December 2023, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

AYES: 6

Councilmembers Brady, Philpot, Smith, Montford, Hubbard, Mayor Haleblian

NAYS: 0

APPROVED this 5th day of December 2023.



Haig Haleblian, Mayor

ATTEST:

Nick Kachiroubas by Mike Hammond, Deputy City Clerk
Nick Kachiroubas, City Clerk

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS
COUNTY OF MCHENRY)

CERTIFICATION

I, NICK KACHIROUBAS, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting City Clerk of the City of Crystal Lake, County of McHenry, and State of Illinois, and that as such official am the keeper of the records and minutes of the proceedings of the Mayor and City Council of said City.


I do hereby certify that the Ordinance hereto attached entitled “AN ORDINANCE FOR THE LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF TAXES FOR THE CITY OF CRYSTAL LAKE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING THE 1ST DAY OF MAY, 2023 TO THE 30TH DAY OF APRIL, 2024” is a true and correct copy of said Ordinance duly passed at a regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council held on the 5th day of December, 2023, at Crystal Lake, Illinois, at which time 6 Council members were present, 0 attended via remote telephone, and 1 Council members were absent. Motion was made by Councilmember Brady and seconded by Councilmember Philpot that the foregoing Ordinance be passed and approved. Upon roll call vote, 6 Council members voted aye, whereupon said Ordinance was declared duly passed and therefore approved by the Mayor, Haig Haleblian.

Nick Kachiroubas by Nick Annunoz, Deputy City Clerk
Nick Kachiroubas, City Clerk

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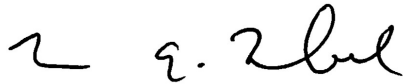
CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH TRUTH IN TAXATION ACT

I, HAIG HALEBLIAN, the Presiding Officer of the CITY OF CRYSTAL LAKE, an Illinois Municipal Corporation, do hereby certify that the Levy adopted on December 5, 2023 complies with the provisions of the Truth in Taxation Act, Chapter 35, and Illinois Compiled Statutes 200/18-55 *et. seq.*



Haig Haleblian, Mayor
Presiding Officer of the
City of Crystal Lake

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this 5th day of
December , 2023.



Notary Public



STATE OF ILLINOIS
NOTARY PUBLIC
April 18, 2025