

ORDINANCE NO. 2684

**AN ORDINANCE
LEVYING TAXES FOR THE VILLAGE OF RANTOUL,
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY, ILLINOIS, FOR THE 2021 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 now codified as Article II, entitled “Annual Budget”, of Chapter 14, entitled “FINANCE”, of the Code of Ordinances, Village of Rantoul, Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2672, AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022, which was passed by the Corporate Authorities of the Village on April 13, 2021, 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, 2021, and ending April 30, 2022, 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 2021 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 2020 tax levy year, is hereby ascertained to be the sum of Seven Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$777,000).

Section 2. The sum of Seven Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$777,000), being the total of the appropriations heretofore legally made in the Annual Budget which is to be collected from the

tax levy for the 2021 tax levy year for all corporate purposes of the Village, including the purposes of providing for a General 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 2021 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>2021-2022 Appropriation</u>	<u>Amounts to be Levied</u>
<u>GENERAL FUND:</u>		
Total General Fund Expenses	\$11,051,101	\$257,000
<u>RANTOUL PUBLIC LIBRARY FUND:</u>		
Total Library Expenses	\$540,660	
For Library Fund		\$520,000
TOTAL AMOUNT LEVIED		\$777,000

Section 3. The total amount of Seven Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$777,000), 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 2021 tax levy year:

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General Fund	\$257,000
Library	<u>520,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT LEVIED	\$777,000

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 Seven Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$777,000), which total amount the Village requires to be raised by taxation for the 2021 tax levy year, and the 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” Wilkinson, Hall, Robertson, Weatherby, Johnson and Crider
“Nays” _____
“Absent” _____

PASSED this 14th day of December, 2021.

Janet E. Gray
Village Clerk

APPROVED this 14th day of December, 2021.



Charles Smeed
Village President