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**VILLAGE OF RANTOUL
CHAMPAIGN COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

Published in pamphlet form this 13th day of December, 2016, by authority of the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Rantoul, Champaign County, Illinois.



Village Clerk

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WHEREAS, the Village of Rantoul, Champaign County, Illinois (the “Village”) is a home rule unit under and pursuant to Section 6(a) of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, and is authorized to exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs, including the power to license, to tax and to incur debt; and

WHEREAS, the President and the Board of Trustees (the “Corporate Authorities”) of the Village have determined that it is necessary and desirable for municipal purposes and the public welfare of its residents for the Village to fund its obligations in connection with the Police Pension Fund of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities of the Village now find it to be in the best interests of the residents of the Village to impose an additional municipal utility tax for the sole purpose of funding the Village’s obligations with respect to the Police Pension Fund of the Village.

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

Section 1. Adoption. Section 34-72, entitled “Imposition”, of the Rantoul Code, as supplemented and amended, be and the same is hereby further amended by adding a new part (4) thereto, such Section 34.72 to now provide as set forth in the title, headings and text thereof as attached hereto and hereby incorporated herein by this reference thereto.

Section 2. Effective Date. The provisions of this Ordinance shall become effective following its passage, approval and publication as required by law on May 1, 2017.

Section 3. Conflict. All ordinances or parts of ordinances which are in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

Section 4. Publication. The Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause this Ordinance to be published in pamphlet form.

This ordinance is hereby passed, the “ayes” and “nays” being called, by the concurrence of a majority of the members of the Corporate Authorities then holding office at a regular meeting on the date set forth below.

PASSED this 13th day of December, 2016.



Village Clerk



APPROVED this 13th day of December, 2016.



Village President

Sec. 34-72. - Imposition.

A tax is imposed on all persons engaged in the following occupations or privileges:

- (1) Persons engaged in the business of distributing, supplying, furnishing, or selling gas for use or consumption within the corporate limits of the village, and not for resale, at the rate of five percent of the gross receipts therefrom.
- (2) The privilege of using or consuming electricity acquired in a purchase at retail and used or consumed within the corporate limits of the village at the following rates, calculated on a monthly basis for each purchaser:
 - a. For the first 2,000 kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: \$0.418 per kilowatt-hour;
 - b. For the next 48,000 kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: \$0.274 per kilowatt-hour;
 - c. For the next 50,000 kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: \$0.247 per kilowatt-hour;
 - d. For the next 400,000 kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: \$0.240 per kilowatt-hour;
 - e. For the next 500,000 kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: \$0.233 per kilowatt-hour;
 - f. For the next 2,000,000 kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: \$0.219 per kilowatt-hour;
 - g. For the next 2,000,000 kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: \$0.216 per kilowatt-hour;
 - h. For the next 5,000,000 kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: \$0.213 per kilowatt-hour;
 - i. For the next 10,000,000 kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: \$0.209 per kilowatt-hour; and
 - j. For all electricity used or consumed in excess of 200,000,000 kilowatt-hours in a month: \$0.206 per kilowatt-hour.

The tax rates imposed upon the kilowatt-hour categories set forth in this subsection are hereby found and determined by the corporate authorities to have the same proportional relationship to the maximum rates specified in the act and are not in excess of rates reasonably calculated to produce revenues that equal the maximum total revenues the village could have received under this subsection (2) in calendar year 1997, provided that this finding and determination shall not be a limitation on the amount of tax revenues actually collected by the village.

- (3) Persons engaged in the business of distributing, supplying, furnishing or selling water for use or consumption within the corporate limits of the village, and not for resale, at the rate of five percent of the gross receipts therefrom.
- (4) Any taxpayer engaged in any of the occupations or privileges described in parts (1), (2) and (3) of this Section above in the following amounts per month:

<u>Taxpayer</u>	For the Period Beginning			
	<u>May 1, 2017</u>	<u>May 1, 2018</u>	<u>May1, 2019</u>	<u>May 1, 2020</u>
Residential	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$4.00	\$5.00
Commercial	\$3.00	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00
Industrial	\$8.00	\$10.00	\$12.00	\$14.00

The tax imposed by this part (4) of this Section shall be designated for funding employer contributions to the Police Pension Fund of the Village and shall be applied to abate the Village's annual property tax levy for such employer contributions.