

CITY OF VILLA GROVE  
DOUGLAS COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-MC20

**AN ORDINANCE LEVYING TAXES FOR ALL  
CORPORATE PURPOSES FOR THE CITY OF VILLA GROVE,  
DOUGLAS COUNTY, ILLINOIS, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR  
BEGINNING MAY 1, 2023, AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2024**

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND  
APPROVED BY THE MAYOR OF THE  
CITY OF VILLA GROVE, ILLINOIS  
THIS FOURTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER 2023

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PUBLISHED IN PAMPHLET FORM BY AUTHORITY OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
VILLA GROVE, DOUGLAS COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THIS FIFTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER 2023.

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**WHEREAS**, the City of Villa Grove, Douglas County, Illinois, is a municipality as contemplated under Article VII, Section 7 of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, and the passage of this Ordinance constitutes an exercise of City's powers and functions as granted in the same; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has determined the following to be this year's tax levy as required by and in full compliance with Illinois Truth in Taxation Laws (35 ILCS 200/18-55 through 18-95).

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL, CITY OF VILLA GROVE, DOUGLAS COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:**

SECTION 1: A tax in the aggregate amount of **\$463,041.35**, or as much thereof as may be authorized by law, to defray all expenses and liabilities of the City, be and the same is hereby levied upon all property subject to taxation within the City as that property is assessed and equalized for the 2023 tax levy year for the purposes specified for the City of Villa Grove, Douglas County, Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2023 and ending April 30, 2024.

SECTION 2: That the property tax levy type and purpose, State of Illinois Compiled Statute authority reference and amount levied for each type is detailed herewith as follows, to wit:

- **General Corporate**  
**65 ILCS 5/8-3-1**  
Salaries/Repairs and Maintenance \$76,050.00
- **Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund**  
**40 ILCS 5/7-171**  
Pension Funding \$66,032.53
- **Fire Protection**  
**65 ILCS 5/11-7-1, 5/11-7-3**  
Salaries/Repairs and Maintenance \$23,500.00
- **Police Protection**  
**65 ILCS 5/11-1-3, 5/11-1-5.1**  
Salaries/Repairs and Maintenance \$23,500.00
- **Garbage Disposal**  
**65 ILCS 5/11-19-4**  
Community Clean-up/Debris Removal \$350.00
- **Municipal Auditing**  
**65 ILCS 5/8-8-8**  
Audit Expense \$40,000.00
- **Tort Judgments, Liability and Property Insurance**  
**745 ILCS 10/9-107**  
Insurance Expense \$30,737.14
- **Street and Bridge**  
**65 ILCS 5/11-81-2**  
Repairs and Maintenance \$31,000.00
- **Street Lighting**  
**65 ILCS 5/11-80-5**  
Street Lighting Expense \$17,500.00

- **Playground & Recreation**  
*65 ILCS 5/11-95-7, 5/11-95-8, 5/11-95-10*  
 Salaries/Repairs and Maintenance \$28,150.00
  
- **Social Security**  
*40 ILCS 5/21-110, 5/21-110.1*  
 Federal Social Security Program \$73,958.17
  
- **Unemployment Insurance**  
*745 ILCS 10/9-107*  
 State Unemployment Insurance Act \$13,950.57
  
- **Workman's Compensation and Occupational Disease Claims**  
*745 ILCS 10/9-107*  
 Worker's Compensation Expense \$21,016.27
  
- **Medicare**  
*40 ILCS 5/21-110.1*  
 Federal Medicare Program \$17,296.67

SECTION 3: That the City Administrator shall make and file with the County Clerk of said County of Douglas, on or before the last Tuesday in December, a copy of this ordinance that has been duly certified by the City Clerk.

SECTION 4: If any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, sentence or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged by any Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, invalidate or nullify the remainder thereof, which remainder shall remain and continue in full force and effect.

SECTION 5: That all ordinances, resolutions and order, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are to the extent of such conflict repealed.

SECTION 6: That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as provided by law and shall be published in pamphlet form pursuant to law.

**PRESENTED, PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED** BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VILLA GROVE, ILLINOIS, at its special meeting on this fourteenth day of December, A.D., 2023, by a roll call vote as follows:

Blaney, Thelma I. absent

Nieto, Gilbert III yea

Cheely, Kerry S. yea

Johnson, Derek S. yea

Eversole-Gunter, Cassandra A. \_\_\_\_\_

Pangburn, Matthew M. absent

Hooker, Anthony L. yea

APPROVED:

Cassandra A. Eversole-Gunter

CASSANDRA A. EVERSOLE-GUNTER  
Mayor

ATTEST:

Michelle L. Osborne  
MICHELLE L. OSBORNE  
City Clerk

