

THE BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES OF
THE ELA AREA PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT
LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE NO. 19-11-01

**AN ORDINANCE LEVYING TAXES FOR LIBRARY PURPOSES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2020/2021 FOR THE ELA AREA PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT,
LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

WHEREAS, on September 17, 2019, the Board of Library Trustees adopted the District's annual budget and appropriation ordinance (the "Budget Ordinance"), a certified copy of which was published once and is hereby incorporated by reference;

WHEREAS, the Board of Library Trustees verifies that the levy herein described is for not more than the total amount of the appropriation described in the Budget Ordinance;

WHEREAS, the Board of Library Trustees approved Ordinance #19-06-01, a 0.02% levy for site and building maintenance and repair on June 18, 2019, which was authorized upon the expiration of the deadline for a "Backdoor referendum" 30 days later;

WHEREAS, the Board of Library Trustees, not less than twenty (20) days preceding the date of this Ordinance, established an estimate of levy and ascertained that the proposed levy was 2.98% greater than the preceding year's extension and therefore a public hearing in compliance with the Truth in Taxation Act was not necessary;

WHEREAS, this proposed levy increase of 2.98% includes the 0.02% site and building levy;

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Library Trustees of the Ela Area Public Library District, Lake County, Illinois:

Section 1. That taxes in the amount of SIX MILLION TWO HUNDRED TWENTY THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED NINETY DOLLARS (\$6,220,190.00) be and hereby is levied upon all taxable property within the corporate limits of this District, said tax be levied to defray the expenses and liabilities of this District for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2021, for the specific objects and purposes indicated as follows:

2019 LIBRARY TAX LEVY

I. GENERAL FUND

LIBRARY MATERIALS – ALL FORMATS	\$795,000	\$795,000
LOST/DAMAGED/ILL	\$400	
POSTAGE	\$17,500	
PROGRAM – ADULT/FORGE	\$79,000	
PROGRAM – CHILDRENS	\$50,000	
PUBLICITY	\$18,000	
PRINTING	\$29,000	
TRAVEL	\$18,000	
TRAINING & MEMBERSHIP	\$35,000	
SUPPLIES	\$85,000	
DATA BASE SERVICES	\$129,900	\$461,800
UTILITIES	\$214,293	\$214,293
ACCOUNTING & AUDIT	\$39,000	
LEGAL	\$20,750	
CONTRACTUAL SERVICE	\$77,000	
COMPUTER HARDWARE/SOFTWARE	\$142,400	
LIBRARY EQUIPMENT & FURNITURE	\$35,000	
CONTINGENCY	\$7,000	\$321,150
<u>PERSONNEL</u>		
SALARIES	\$3,304,000	
BENEFITS	\$375,000	\$3,679,000
TOTAL GENERAL FUND LEVY		\$5,471,243

and by this ordinance may be expended in making up any deficit of any item or items in the same general appropriation and levy made by this ordinance.

Section 3. The Secretary of this board shall file, on or before the last Tuesday in December, a certified copy of this levy ordinance with the county clerk of each county affected by this levy; and the Secretary of this board shall also file, on or before the last Tuesday in December, certified copies of this ordinance and the budget and appropriation ordinance with the library or libraries operated by this District, and make said ordinances available for public inspection at all times.

Section 4. Upon filing said certified copy hereof with such county clerk, the rate percent shall be ascertained and the tax extended as provided by law against taxable property in this District, and the tax so levied and assessed shall be collected and enforced in the same manner and by the same officers as the general taxes in this district and county, and shall be paid over to the Treasurer of this board by the officers collecting the same.

Section 5. This ordinance is passed pursuant to statutory authority, including the Illinois Public Library District Act, the Illinois Municipal Budget Law, the Illinois Revenue Code, and other statutes thereunto appertaining.

Section 6. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval in accordance with law.

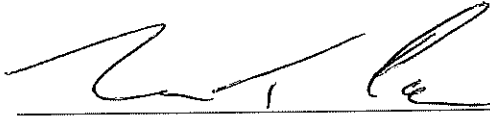
PASSED by the Board of Library Trustees of the Ela Area Public Library District, Lake County, Illinois, on this 19th day of November, 2019, by a vote of:

AYES: 6


NAYS: 0

ABSENT: 1

APPROVED


ERIC CORZINE
PRESIDENT

ATTEST:


JAMES STAMOULIS
TREASURER

State of Illinois)
) SS
County of Lake)

CERTIFICATE

I, Crystal Steker, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified Secretary of the Board of Library Trustees of Ela Area Public Library District, Lake County, Illinois, and as such am the keeper of the records and files of the Board of Library Trustees of the said District.

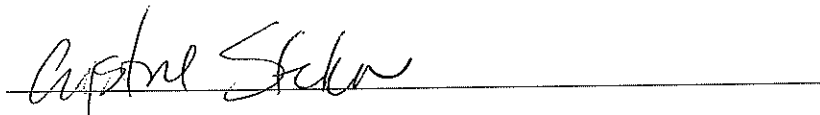
I do further certify that attached hereto is a full, true and complete copy of a certain ordinance passed, approved and adopted by the Board of Library Trustees on this 19th day of November, 2019 captioned:

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I do further certify that the deliberations of the members of said Board of Library Trustees of Ela Area Public Library District on the adoption of said ordinance were taken openly; that said meeting was held at a specified time and place convenient to the public, that the vote on the adoption of said ordinance was taken openly; that notice of said meeting was duly given to all newspapers, radio or television stations and other news media requesting such notice; and that said meeting was called and held in strict accordance with the provisions of the Open Meeting Act, as amended, and that said Board of Library Trustees has complied with all of the applicable provisions of said Act and its procedural rules in the adoption of said ordinance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto affix my official signature and the seal of said Ela Area Public Library District this 19 day of the month of November in the year 2019.



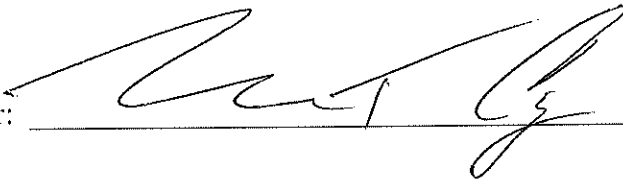
Secretary, Board of Library Trustees
Ela Area Public Library District
Lake County, State of Illinois

**TRUTH IN TAXATION
CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am the presiding officer of Ela Area Public Library District, and as such presiding officer I certify that the levy ordinance, a copy of which is attached, was adopted pursuant to, and in all respects in compliance with the provisions of Section 18-60 through 18-85 of the "Truth and Taxation Law."

This certificate applies to the levy passed in November 2019 for Fiscal Year 2020-2021 expenses.

Date: Nov 19, 2019

Presiding Officer:  _____