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То:	The City of the Village of Douglas City Council
From:	Lisa Nocerini, City Manager
RE:	Surplus Property Ordinance Amendments: Second Reading
Date:	June 17 <sup>th</sup> , 2024

As you will recall, the City Council directed the City Administration to work with the city attorney and suggested amendments to the existing Surplus Property Ordinance.

The current surplus property ordinance, while well-intentioned, has proven to be overly cumbersome and restrictive. The process is laden with red tape that hinders the efficient and effective management of city-owned surplus properties.

Amending the surplus property ordinance is essential to cut unnecessary red tape, broaden the scope of property utilization, and safeguard the integrity of the city's assets. These changes will enable more efficient management, enhance more potential for community development, and uphold public trust. Your support in advancing these amendments will be instrumental in achieving these objectives.