
THE CITY OF ROCHELLE
Ogle County, Illinois

ORDINANCE
NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE 2026 CITY OF ROCHELLE MUNICIPAL
BUDGET**

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WHEREAS, Section 7 of Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois provides that a municipality that is not a home rule unit shall only have the powers granted to them by law and as such the City of Rochelle, Ogle County, Illinois being a non-home rule unit pursuant to the provisions of said Section 7 of Article VII, and may exercise only the powers expressly granted by law; and

WHEREAS, the Illinois General Assembly granted non-home rule municipalities broad authority to “pass all ordinances and make all rules and regulations property or necessary, to carry into effect the powers granted to municipalities” 65 ILCS 5/1-2-1; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochelle, pursuant to 65 ILCS 5/8-2-1 et seq., have held the requisite public hearing and have informed the public of the opportunity to participate in said hearings and have given such interested parties the opportunity to make any statements or ask any questions regarding the proposed 2025 Municipal Budget; and

WHEREAS, a copy of the proposed 2026 budget has been available for public inspection in the City Clerk’s Office since November 14, 2025; and

WHEREAS, on November 17, 2025, at the Committee of the Whole, the City Council reviewed the proposed 2026 budget; and

WHEREAS, all due process provisions of 65 ILCS 5/8-2-1 et seq., entitled “Annual Appropriation Ordinances,” have been complied with; and

WHEREAS, Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochelle believe and hereby declare that it is in the best interest of the City and its residents to approve the 2026 Municipal Budget; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF ROCHELLE, OGLE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION ONE: The foregoing recitals shall be and are hereby incorporated as findings of fact as if said recitals were fully set forth herein.

SECTION TWO: The Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochelle hereby declare and approve the 2026 Municipal Budget, attached hereto as Exhibit 1, for the 2026 fiscal year beginning on January 1, 2026, and ending on December 31, 2026.

SECTION THREE: Any policy, resolution or ordinance of the City that conflicts with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and is hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION FOUR: The City Clerk shall publish this Ordinance in pamphlet form.

SECTION FIVE: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

PASSED THIS 8th day of December 2025.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

APPROVED THIS 8th day of December, 2025.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
)
COUNTY OF OGLE) SS.

CERTIFICATE

I, Rose Huéramo, City Clerk of the City of Rochelle, County of Ogle and State of Illinois, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. _____, "AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE 2026 CITY OF ROCHELLE MUNICIPAL BUDGET," which was adopted by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochelle on this 8th day of December, 2025.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the City of Rochelle this 8th day of December, 2025.

Rose Huéramo, City Clerk