THE CITY OF ROCHELLE Ogle County, Illinois
ORDINANCE NO
AN ORDINANCE APPROVING MEMBERSHIP IN THE ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL LEAGUE RISK MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION CONTRACT

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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 proper or necessary, to carry into effect the powers granted to municipalities." 65 ILCS 5/1-2-1; and

**WHEREAS**, while "non-home rule municipalities have the authority to enact ordinances, such ordinances may in no event conflict with state law or prohibit what a state statute expressly permits . . . A local ordinance may impose more rigorous or definite regulations in addition to those enacted by the state legislature so long as they do not conflict with the statute." (*Village of Wauconda v. Hutton,* 291 III. App. 3d 1058, 1060 (1997)); and

WHEREAS, the City of Rochelle has been advised that each unit of local government has the power, under the Local Governmental and Governmental Employees Tort Immunity Act (745 ILCS 10/9-103) (the "Tort Immunity Act"), to protect itself against liability or loss through risk management programs, including insurance, individual or joint self-insurance, and educational, inspectional, and supervisory services directly relating to loss prevention and loss reduction; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of Rochelle has received the Plan of the Illinois Municipal League Risk Management Association including By-Laws, the Intergovernmental Cooperation Contract, and the anticipated cost of participation in the Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and the City Council find it to be in the public interest of the City to participate in the Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCHELLE, OGLE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

<u>SECTION ONE</u>: That the City Council does hereby authorize and approve membership in the Illinois Municipal League Risk Management Association and directs the mayor and clerk to execute an Intergovernmental Cooperation Contract with the Illinois Municipal League Risk Management Association for membership on an annual basis and each year thereafter unless this ordinance is repealed.

<u>SECTION TWO</u>: Each Member hereby agrees to contribute to the Association a sum of money to be determined by the Association at the time of its annual renewal based on the needs of the Association and the loss experience of the Member, which sum shall constitute the cost of the Member's contribution for membership in the Association.

<u>SECTION THREE</u>; That this Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage and approval.

PASSED and APPROVED this 24th day of November, 2025.
AYES:
NAYS:
ABSENT:
MAYOR
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ATTEST:
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STATE OF ILLINOIS )
) SS. COUNTY OF OGLE )
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 APPROVING MEMBERSHIP IN THE ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL
LEAGUE RISK MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION
OF AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION CONTRACT," which was adopted by
the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochelle on November 24, 2025.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate
seal of the City of Rochelle this 24 <sup>th</sup> day of November, 2025.
CITY CLERK