

STATE OF ILLINOIS       )  
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COUNTY OF COOK       )  
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VILLAGE OF THORNTON )

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TRUTH IN TAXATION

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

I, Joseph Pisarzewski, hereby certify that I am the presiding officer of the Village of Thornton, Thornton, Illinois, 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 the Illinois Property Tax Code - Truth in Taxation Law, 35 ILCS 200/18-60 through 18-85 (2002).

This certificate applies to the 2024 levy.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Village of Thornton this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December,  
  
2024.

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Joseph Pisarzewski, Acting President and  
Presiding Officer  
Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois

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I, the undersigned, acting Village Clerk of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois, and keeper of the records, files and seal of said Village, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of an ordinance entitled:

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE LEVYING AND ASSESSMENT  
OF TAXES FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING MAY 1, 2024,  
AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2025, FOR THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON,  
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

which has been passed by motion duly made, seconded and carried by the affirmative vote of the majority of members of the Board of Trustees of said Village of Thornton and the said Trustees were voting at a duly convened meeting, and said Ordinance has been signed and approved by the President of said Village and the same in any manner has not been revoked or rescinded. Said copy shows the vote for and against the passage of said Ordinance as said vote was recorded. Said Ordinance was passed at a regular meeting of said President and Board of Trustees held on December 16, 2024, and each and every member of said Board had due and timely notice of said meeting. This certification is based upon the official records of said proceedings of said Board.

I further certify that the amount levied and assessed by the said Ordinance is required by said Village of Thornton to be levied and assessed and extended upon the appropriate tax books for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2024, and ending April 30, 2025.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Village of Thornton this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2024.

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Nikki Kitakis, Acting Village Clerk  
Village of Thornton  
Cook County, Illinois

\*\* Seal \*\*

LEVY ORDINANCE 2024-2025

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE LEVYING AND ASSESSMENT  
OF TAXES FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING MAY 1, 2024  
AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2025, FOR THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON,  
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

BE IT ORDAINED by the President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois:

SECTION I: That heretofore an ordinance entitled:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE - 2024-2025  
AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON,  
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING  
MAY 1, 2024 AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2025

was passed and approved on the \_\_\_\_ day of July, 2024 and duly appropriated for the municipal fiscal year commencing May 1, 2024 and ending April 30, 2025, the sum of NINETEEN MILLION SIX HUNDRED FIFTY SIX THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED SIXTY TWO EIGHT AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$19,656,628.00) for corporate purposes and objects as shown in the first column of the following entitled "Appropriation."

Whereas, the Village of Thornton, Illinois, is a Home Rule unit of local government pursuant to the terms and provisions of Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, which the Constitution in Section 6(A) thereof grants unto the Village of Thornton as a Home Rule unit of government the power to tax;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Illinois, under the power and authority granted to it under the terms and provisions of Article VII, Section 6(A) of the Constitution of the State of Illinois of 1970, as follows:

Said President and Board of Trustees, in accordance with the provisions of said ordinance and of the statutes in such case made and provided, have ascertained and hereby fix and determine the total amount of appropriations for all corporate purposes legally made and to be collected from the tax levy for the current fiscal year in the sum of **THREE MILLION SIX HUNDRED THIRTY SIX THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED SIXTY ONE AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$3,636,461)** is made, and the sums or amounts appropriated to be collected and used for such purposes respectively are specified in detail and are shown in the second column of the following entitled "From Tax Levy",

ARTICLE I - GENERAL CORPORATE PURPOSES

	<u>APPROPRIATION</u>	<u>FROM TAX LEVY</u>
<b>A. General Administration:</b>		
Salary - Village President	3,300	None
Salary - Liquor Commissioner	600	None
Salary - Six Trustees	21,600	None
Salary - Village Administrator	97,977	48,800
FICA/Medicare	9,171	None
Unemployment Insurance	1	None
IMRF	8,010	None
Employee Group Insurance	42,274	15,000
Telephone Service	34,314	15,000
Engineering/Architect	3,000	None
Ordinance Updates	17,112	None
Board Allowances	8,700	None
Membership Dues	9,444	None
Convention/Training expenses	4,920	None
Miscellaneous Expenses	3,600	None
Computer Support	159,034	None
Special events	12,420	None
Equipment Purchases	600	None
Debt Service Admin. Fees	2,400	None

Fund Transfers	103,000	None
Legal Settlement	1	None
Real Estate Tax Payment	1	None
<b>Total General Administration</b>	<b>\$ 541,479</b>	<b>\$ 78,800</b>
<b>B. Clerk/Collector's Office:</b>		
Salary - Village Collector	64,480	20,000
Salaries - General	17,683	10,000
Salary - Village Clerk	3,600	None
Salaries - Overtime	12,000	None
Salaries - Part-time	1,500	None
FICA/Medicare tax	8,185	None
Unemployment Benefits	1	None
IMRF	7,830	None
Employee Group Health Insurance	35,078	15,000
Contracted Services (copier lease)	2,880	None
Postage	4,800	None
Memberships	1	None
Training/Conferences	1,590	None
Miscellaneous	2,400	None
Office Supplies	12,720	None
Pet Tags	120	None
Uniforms	1	None
Equipment Purchases	1	None
<b>Total Clerk/Collector's Office</b>	<b>\$ 174,870</b>	<b>\$ 45,000</b>
<b>C. Finance:</b>		
Salaries - Village Treasurer	23,984	10,000
FICA/Medicare tax	1,835	None
Contract Services	1,110	None
Memberships	192	None
Training	630	None
Miscellaneous	1	None
Computer Software	1	None
<b>Total Finance</b>	<b>\$ 27,753</b>	<b>\$ 10,000</b>
<b>D. Street Department:</b>		
Salary - PW Supt.	45,781	25,000
Salaries	126,080	50,000
Salaries-overtime	16,200	None
Salaries-part time	4,500	None
FICA/Medicare tax	15,976	None
Unemployment benefits	1	None
IMRF	15,155	5,000
Employee Group Health Insurance	49,066	25,000
Maintenance-Buildings	38,400	None
Maintenance-Vehicles	9,600	None
Maintenance-Grounds	48,960	None
Maintenance-Equipment	10,200	None
Other Contractual Services	22,324	None
Motor fuel	18,000	None
Electricity	7,200	None
Heat	36,000	None
Street lighting electricity	39,600	None
Training/Conferences	120	None
Computer Support/IT	3,600	None
Uniforms	2,400	None
Operating Supplies	21,600	None
Equipment Purchases (misc.)	7,800	None
Fund Transfer (Energy Loan-debt Service)	10,948	None
Collection and disposal of garbage	300,000	150,000
<b>Total Street Department</b>	<b>\$ 849,511</b>	<b>\$ 255,000</b>

<b>E. Legal Services:</b>		
Retainer - Village Attorney	66,000	30,000
Special Prosecuting Attorney@ \$165/hr		
Village Attorney @ \$165/hr		
Labor Attorney	12,000	5,000
Legal Fees - Litigation	1	None
Legal Fees - Regulatory	1	None
Notices & Publications	1,440	None
<b>Total Legal Services</b>	<b>\$ 79,442</b>	<b>\$ 35,000</b>
<b>F. Planning &amp; Development Commission:</b>		
Printing	1	None
Professional Services	1,380	None
Training/Conferences	240	None
Special Projects	1,200	None
<b>Total Planning &amp; Development Commission</b>	<b>\$ 2,821</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<b>G. Fire and Police Commission:</b>		
Notices	1	None
Professional Services	1	None
Membership Dues	450	None
Training/Conferences	1	None
Fire and Police Commission	6,000	None
<b>Total Fire and Police Commission</b>	<b>\$ 6,453</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<b>H. Building Commission:</b>		
Salary - Code Enforcement Officer/	34,010	15,000
Salary- Part time	18,000	None
FICA/Medicare tax	2,602	None
Unemployment Benefits	1	None
Employee Health Insurance	13,759	None
Code Enforcement Expenses, including tear downs	48,000	20,000
Electrical Inspections	2,400	None
Electrical Inspections @ a rate of \$40.00/inspection		None
Plumbing Inspections	2,400	None
Plumbing Inspections @ a rate of \$40.00/inspection		None
Memberships	1,374	None
Training/Conferences	1,200	None
Computer Support/IT	600	None
Operating Supplies	1,200	None
<b>Total Building Commission</b>	<b>\$ 125,546</b>	<b>\$ 35,000</b>
<b>I. Department of Recreation:</b>		
Salary - Park Director	62,400	15,000
Salaries-Part time	113,220	25,000
FICA/Medicare tax	13,435	None
Unemployment Benefits	1	None
IMRF	10,333	None
Employee Health Insurance	36,743	4,058
Maintenance - Equipment:	5,280	None
Contract services:	9,840	None
Programs:	13,920	None
Motor Fuel	720	None
Printing	1,800	None
Training/Conferences	1,200	None
Computer Support/IT	1,200	None
Supplies - Office	960	None
Uniforms	840	None
Supplies- operating:	2,880	None
Program Expenses	3,300	None
Equipment purchases:	6,000	None
<b>Total Department of Recreation</b>	<b>\$ 284,072</b>	<b>\$ 44,058</b>

**TOTAL ARTICLE I - GENERAL CORPORATE PURPOSES****\$ 2,091,947****\$ 502,858****ARTICLE II - POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Salary-Police Chief	20,592	None
Salary-Interim Police Chief/DC	112,320	80,000
Salaries-Support Staff	60,320	40,000
Salaries-Sergeants	114,524	75,000
Salaries-Patrol officers	1,094,205	800,000
Salaries-Overtime	90,000	75,000
Salaries-Part-Time	40,680	20,000
ESDA rate of pay will be the State Minimum Wage		
Salaries - Crossing Guards	59,400	25,000
Tuition Reimbursement	3,600	None
FICA/Medicare tax	123,938	75,000
Unemployment Benefits	1	None
IMRF	102,754	75,000
Employee Group Health Insurance	349,177	250,000
Maintenance-Vehicles	24,000	None
Maintenance-Equipment	7,200	None
Contractual services	172,489	75,000
Motor fuel	32,400	None
Postage	2,400	None
Printing	720	None
Memberships	6,042	None
Police Training/Conferences	36,688	10,000
Miscellaneous Expenses	2,400	None
Computer Support/IT	15,158	None
Testing	4,230	None
Publication	240	None
Uniforms	25,440	None
Operating Supplies	3,000	None
Equipment Purchases (misc.)	28,502	None
LEADS/NCIC	1	None

**TOTAL ARTICLE II - POLICE DEPARTMENT****\$ 2,532,421****\$ 1,600,000****ARTICLE III - FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Salaries - Fire Chief	93,600	75,000
Salaries - General	566,333	500,000
Salaries - Overtime	80,000	50,000
Salaries - Part-Time	250,000	150,000
FICA/Medicare tax	75,424	50,000
Unemployment benefits	1	None
IMRF	67,096	25,000
Employee Group Health Insurance	192,876	150,000
Maintenance-Vehicles	48,000	None
Maintenance-Equipment	8,400	None
Contractual Services:	87,163	None
Motor fuel	24,000	None
Postage	120	None
Memberships	13,216	None
Dues-fees	1,200	None
Training/Conferences	23,400	None
Miscellaneous Expenses	1,200	None
Computer Support/IT	17,041	None
Supplies - Office	1,200	None
Uniforms	11,400	None
Supplies-operating	22,235	None
Foreign Fire Tax	1	None
Equipment	13,200	None
Debt Service (Fire Engine Payment#1)	55,038	None

**TOTAL ARTICLE III - FIRE DEPARTMENT****\$ 1,652,144****\$ 1,000,000**

# ARTICLE IV - SPECIAL TAX LEVIES

<b>A. Audit:</b>		
Payment of audit as provided by law	\$ 22,622	\$ 15,000
<b>B. Liability Insurance:</b>		
Payment of the cost of liability Insurance as provided by law	\$ 257,510	\$ 175,000
<b>C. Motor Fuel Tax Street Fund:</b>		
For street fund representing monies allocated to the Village of Thornton under the Motor Fuel Tax Law, to be used in the construction, reconstruction and maintenance of such streets and thoroughfares in said Village of Thornton as may be designated by the President and Board of Trustees and by the Department of Public Works and Buildings of the State of Illinois		
Maintenance-streets	\$ 135,600	None
Maintenance-sidewalks	19,200	None
Maintenance-tree removal	20,400	None
Maintenance-street lights	4,800	None
Engineering Services	12,000	None
Salt	26,400	None
Signs	9,600	None
Traffic Lights	4,800	None
<b>Total Motor Fuel Tax Street Fund</b>	<b>\$ 232,800</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<b>D. Rebuild Illinois Fund:</b>		
For street fund representing monies allocated to the Village of Thornton under the multi-year program established in 2019 by the State of Illinois, to be used for the construction of streets and thoroughfares in said Village of Thornton as may be designated by the President and Board of Trustees		
Engineering Services	\$ 6,000	None
Infrastructure Improvements	52,410	None
<b>Total Rebuild Illinois Fund</b>	<b>\$ 58,410</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<b>TOTAL ARTICLE IV - SPECIAL TAX LEVIES</b>	<b>\$ 571,342</b>	<b>\$ 190,000</b>

# ARTICLE V - GRANT EXPENDITURES

<b>A. Grant Fund:</b>		
PW Department Grant Expenditures:		
CDBG Grant-Street resurfacing	\$ 300,000	None
DCEO Street Resurfacing	180,000	None
Police Department Grant Expenditures:		
ILTSB Body Camera	6,000	None
Bulletproof Vests	2,400	None
Forfeitures	36,000	None
Fire Department Grant Expenditures		
MABAS net 24 Radio Equip	18,000	None
Contingency	600,000	None
<b>Total Grant Fund</b>	<b>\$ 1,142,400</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<b>B. SOS Grant-Auto Theft Task Force:</b>		
Auto Theft Task Force (Thornton)	\$ 4,661,838	None
Salaries - Full Time	\$ 258,053	
Salaries - overtime	3,030	
Salaries - part time	15,000	
Accountant @ a rate of \$70/hr.		
FICA/Medicare tax	21,120	
Unemployment benefits	6	

IMRF Retirement	22,572
Employees Health Insurance	53,063
Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	198,000
Contracted services	61,560
Facilities lease	28,800
Contractual Legal & Audit	12,000
States Attorney	480,000
Contracted Payroll to other agencies	2,353,634
Contracted Overtime - investigation	960,000
Travel	42,000
Materials/supplies	22,200
Vehicle Acquisition	111,600
Equipment Purchases	19,200

Auto Theft Task Force (Chicago)	\$	2,101,213	None
Contracted Services	101,402		
Contracted Overtime - Investigations	1,470,959		
Training & Travel	9,828		
Material/Supplies	74,304		
Vehicle Acquisition	240,000		
Equipment purchases	204,720		

<b>Total SOS Grant-Auto Theft Task Force</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>6,763,051</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
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<b>TOTAL ARTICLE V - GRANT EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>7,905,451</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
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#### ARTICLE VI - WATER & SEWER FUND

Salary - PW Supt.	\$	45,781	None
Salaries-General		56,810	None
Salaries-Overtime		10,612	None
Salaries-Part-Time		2,760	None
FICA		8,871	None
Unemployment Benefits		1	None
IMRF		9,256	None
Employee Group Health Insurance		45,852	None
Maintenance-sewers		34,800	None
Maintenance-Equipment		6,000	None
Maintenance-Ground Reservoir & Tower		6,000	None
Maintenance-Water Tests		5,400	None
Maintenance-Water System		27,600	None
Maintenance-Meters		2,400	None
Telephone		3,000	None
Electricity-pumps		15,600	None
Heat		4,800	None
Water purchases		789,872	None
Postage		3,960	None
Audit		2,820	None
Legal Fees		4,800	None
Professional services		33,000	None
Engineering/Architect		2,400	None
Dues-fees		300	None
Training/Conferences		1,200	None
Miscellaneous		1,200	None
Computer Support/IT		3,600	None
Supplies-operating WATER		10,200	None
Supplies-operating SEWER		1,800	None
General Insurance		16,200	None
Depreciation		6	None
Interest Expense		6	None

<b>TOTAL ARTICLE VI - WATER &amp; SEWER FUND</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,156,907</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
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#### ARTICLE VII- TIF EXPENSE

<b>A. TIF Blackstone:</b>			
Legal Services	\$	3,600	None
Professional services		600	None
Engineering Expense		1	None



Developer reimbursement	1	None
Miscellaneous	1	None
Capital improvements:	103,200	None
Equipment acquisition	1	None
Energy Loan-debt service	68,974	None
<b>Total TIF Blackstone:</b>	<b>\$ 176,378</b>	<b>\$ -</b>

**B. Downtown TIF #3:**

Legal Expenses	\$ 14,400	None
Professional services	14,400	None
Engineering services	3,000	None
Developer reimbursement	49,200	None
Miscellaneous	1	None
Computer Support/IT	23,448	None
Capital improvements:	28,800	None
Equipment acquisition	1	None
Real Estate Taxes	1	None
Transfer to other funds	1	None
<b>Total Downtown TIF #3:</b>	<b>\$ 133,252</b>	<b>\$ -</b>

**TOTAL ARTICLE VII - TIF EXPENSE**

<b>\$ 309,630</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
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**ARTICLE VIII - DEBT SERVICE**

For the payment of principal and interest  
of the \$1,400,000 G.O. Bond, Series  
2014

Principal	175,000		
Interest	7,175	\$ 182,175	None

For the payment of principal and interest  
of the \$1,260,000 G. O. Bond Series  
2018

	115,000	136,025	137,690
	21,025		

Capital Loan-principal	90,474	
Energy Loan	52,974	
Fire Engine Loan	37,500	

Capital Loan-interest	32,990	
Energy Loan	15,452	
Fire Engine Loan	17,538	

**TOTAL ARTICLE VIII - DEBT SERVICE**

<b>\$ 441,664</b>	<b>\$ 137,690</b>
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**ARTICLE IX - LIBRARY**

Salaries/Professional	\$ 40,000	\$ 30,060
Salaries/Clerical	40,000	29,200
Fringe Benefits:		
IMRF	4,000	2,920
Employee Insurance	20,000	14,600
FICA	6,000	4,380
Board and Staff Development	4,000	2,920
Education	12,000	8,760
Illinois Department of Employment Security	2,000	1,460
Purchase of Books:		-
Adult	6,500	4,745
Large print	3,500	2,555
Teens	2,000	1,000
Juvenile	2,000	1,000
Electronic Subscriptions	1,000	730
Magazines/Periodicals	1,200	876
Audiobooks:		-
Adult	4,000	2,920
Teens	2,000	1,000

Juvenile	2,000	1,000
DVDs		-
Adult	1,500	1,000
Juvenile	1,000	500
Liability Insurance/Bond/WC/Umbrella	12,000	8,760
Maintenance Repairs	2,500	1,500
Purchase of Furniture/Equipment	15,000	10,950
Utilities:		-
Gas	1,200	843
Telephone, Internet, Cable	5,000	3,650
Supplies	4,500	3,285
Publicity	500	365
Programming:		-
Adult	3,500	2,555
Juvenile	3,000	2,190
Security	2,500	1,825
SWAN fees	17,000	12,410
Mileage	200	146
Travel	250	183
Contingency	1,500	1,095
Postage	500	365
Contractual Services	11,000	8,030
Accounting Services	20,000	14,600
Legal Services	4,500	3,285
Building Enhancement	5,000	3,650
Capital Expenses	20,000	14,600

The above and foregoing appropriation for maintaining a free public library is to be secured from a special tax in addition to all other village taxes as authorized by law.

<b>TOTAL ARTICLE IX - LIBRARY:</b>	<b>\$ 284,350</b>	<b>\$ 205,913</b>
<b>ARTICLE X - CAPITAL FUNDS</b>		

<b>A. Water Capital Fund:</b>		
Engineering/Architect	\$ 1	None
Infrastructure improvements - SEWER	1	None
Infrastructure improvements -WATER	2,036,006	None
Equipment purchases	1	None
IEPA Debt Payments	45,500	None
<b>Total Water Capital Fund:</b>	<b>\$ 2,081,509</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<b>B. Capital Fund:</b>		
Professional Services	\$ 1	None
<u>Infrastructure Improvements:</u>		
Administration	1	None
Recreation Department	32,500	None
Public Works	1	None
	<b>\$ 32,502</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<u>Equipment Acquisition:</u>		
Administration	\$ 92,950	None
Recreation Department	1	None
Public Works	29,900	None
Police Department	111,800	None
Fire Department	121,654	None
	<b>\$ 356,305</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<u>Building Improvements:</u>		
Administration	\$ 1	None
Recreation Department	36,400	None
Public Works	1	None
Police Department	22,100	None
Fire Department	1	None
	<b>\$ 58,503</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
Capital Expenditures required as Grant Match		
Administration	\$ 1	None
Recreation Department	1	None

Public Works	1	None
Police Department	1	None
Fire Department	1	None
	<u>\$ 5</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Transfer to Other Funds	<u>1</u>	<u>None</u>
Total Capital Fund	<u>\$ 447,317</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
C, DUI/Vehicle Replacement Fund:		
Maintenance Vehicle	1,943	None
Miscellaneous	1	None
Equipment/Vehicle Purchases	1	None
Interest Expenses	1	None
Total DUI/Vehicle Replacement Fund	<u>\$ 1,946</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
TOTAL ARTICLE X - CAPITAL FUNDS	<u>\$ 2,530,772</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
ARTICLE XI - CONTINGENCIES		
Contingencies	<u>180,000</u>	<u>None</u>
TOTAL ARTICLE XI - CONTINGENCIES	<u>\$ 180,000</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
GRAND TOTALS	<u>\$ 19,656,628</u>	<u>\$ 3,636,461</u>
RECAPITULATION		
	<u>APPROPRIATION</u>	<u>FROM TAX LEVY</u>
Article I - General Corporate Purposes:		
A. General Administration:	\$ 541,479	\$ 78,800
B. Clerk/Collector's Office:	174,870	45,000
C. Finance:	27,753	10,000
D. Street Department:	849,511	255,000
E. Legal Services:	79,442	35,000
F. Planning & Development Commission:	2,821	-
G. Fire and Police Commission:	6,453	-
H. Building Commission:	125,546	35,000
I. Department of Recreation:	284,072	44,058
Total Article 1 - General Corporate	<u>\$ 2,091,947</u>	<u>\$ 502,858</u>
Article II - Police Department:	\$ 2,532,421	\$ 1,600,000
Article III - Fire Department:	\$ 1,652,144	\$ 1,000,000
Article IV - Special Tax Levies:		
A. Audit:	22,622	15,000
B. Liability Insurance:	257,510	175,000
C. Motor Fuel Tax Street Fund:	232,800	-
D. Rebuild Illinois Fund:	58,410	-
Total Article IV - Special Tax Levies:	<u>\$ 571,342</u>	<u>\$ 190,000</u>
Article V - Grant Expenditures:		
A. Grant Fund:	1,142,400	-
B. SOS Grant-Auto Theft Task Force:	6,763,051	-
Total Article V - Grant Expenditures:	<u>\$ 7,905,451</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Article VI - Water & Sewer Fund:	\$ 1,156,907	\$ -
Article VII - TIF Expense:		
A. TIF Blackstone:	176,378	-
B. Downtown TIF #3:	133,252	-
Total Article VII - TIF Expense:	<u>\$ 309,630</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Article VIII - Debt Service:	\$ 441,664	\$ 137,690
Article IX - Library:	\$ 284,350	\$ 205,913

Article X - Capital Funds:		
A. Water Capital Fund:	2,081,509	-
B. Capital Fund:	447,317	-
C. DUI/Vehicle Replacement Fund:	1,946	-
Total Article X - Capital Funds:	\$ 2,530,772	\$ -
Article XI - Contingencies	\$ 180,000	\$ -
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 19,656,628</b>	<b>\$ 3,636,461</b>

SECTION III: That the Village Clerk be, and she hereby is directed to file with the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois, a copy of this ordinance duly certified by said Clerk in accordance with the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

SECTION IV: That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after passage and approval according to law.

PASSED this 16th day of December, 2024.

VOTE: \_\_\_\_\_

AYES: \_\_\_\_\_

NAYS: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED this 16th day of December 2024.

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Joseph Pisarzewski, Village Acting President  
Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois

ATTESTED AND FILED in my office as Village Clerk this 16th day of December, 2024

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Nikki Kitakis, Village Clerk  
Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois

PUBLISHED by me as required by law this 16th day of December, 2024, in pamphlet form.

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Nikki Kitakis, Village Clerk  
Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois

STATE OF ILLINOIS        )  
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COUNTY OF COOK        )  
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VILLAGE OF THORNTON    )  
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SS

I, the undersigned, being the duly elected, qualified and now acting Clerk of the Village of Thornton, County of Cook, State of Illinois, and keeper of the records, files and seal of said Village, do hereby certify that the attached and foregoing Ordinance is a true and correct copy of an ordinance entitled:

LEVY ORDINANCE 2024-2025

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE LEVYING AND ASSESSMENT  
OF TAXES FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING MAY 1, 2024  
AND ENDING APRIL 30, 2025, FOR THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON,  
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

which has been passed by motion duly made, and seconded and carried by affirmative vote of the majority of members of the Board of Trustees of said Village of Thornton and the said Trustees were voting at a duly convened meeting, and said Ordinance has been signed and approved by the President of said Village and the same in any manner has not been revoked or rescinded. Said Ordinance was passed at a regular meeting of said President and Board of Trustees held on December 16, 2024 and each and every member of said Board had due and timely notice of said meeting. This certification is based upon the official records of the said proceedings of said Board.

I further certify that the amount levied and assessed by the said Ordinance is required by said Village of Thornton to be levied and assessed and extended upon the appropriate tax books for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2024 and ending April 30, 2025.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Village of Thornton this 16th day of December 2024.

(Seal)

Nikki Kitakis, Village Clerk  
Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois

STATE OF ILLINOIS        )  
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COUNTY OF COOK        )  
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VILLAGE OF THORNTON    )

TRUTH IN TAXATION  
CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

I, Joseph Pisarzewski, hereby certify that I am the presiding officer of the Village of Thornton, Thornton, Illinois, 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 the Illinois Property Tax Code - Truth in Taxation Law, 35ILCS 200/18-60 through 18-25 (2002).

This certificate applies to the 2024 levy.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Village of Thornton this 16th day of December 2024.

Joseph Pisarzewski, Village Acting President and Presiding Officer  
Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois