

**ORDINANCE NO. 2087**

**AN ORDINANCE  
APPROVING THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2007-2008**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Rantoul, Champaign County, Illinois (the "**Village**"), is a home rule unit pursuant to the provisions of Section 6, Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, and may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs, including, but not limited to, the power to regulate for the protection of the public health, safety, morals and welfare; to license; to tax; and to incur debt; and

**WHEREAS**, the provisions of Section 8-2-9.1 through Section 8-2-9.10 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/8-2-9.1 through 5/8-2-9.10), as supplemented by the power and authority of the Village as a home rule unit, are effective in and for the Village, the same having been adopted on September 9, 1997 by the President and Board of Trustees (the "**Corporate Authorities**") of the Village pursuant to Ordinance No. 1547, as Article I, entitled "Annual Budget", of Chapter 28, entitled "Finance" of the Village of Rantoul Code-1977, as supplemented and amended, including pursuant to Ordinance No. 1723 adopted on March 14, 2000 (the "**Annual Budget Provisions**"); and

**WHEREAS**, an annual budget for the fiscal year of the Village beginning May 1, 2007 and ending April 30, 2008, including the Pay Plan as provided for in Chapter 19 of the Village of Rantoul Code, 1977, as supplemented and amended, has been compiled in tentative form by the Budget Officer in accordance with the provisions of Section 28.1.4. of the Annual Budget Provisions (the "**Proposed Annual Budget**"); and

**WHEREAS**, such Proposed Annual Budget as compiled in tentative form was made conveniently available for public inspection by the Corporate Authorities of the Village at least ten (10) days prior to a public hearing on such Proposed Annual Budget; and

**WHEREAS**, a public hearing was duly held at 6:10 p.m. on Tuesday, April 3, 2007, after due and proper notice of the availability for inspection of such Proposed Annual Budget and of such public hearing having been given by publication in the *Rantoul Press*, a newspaper having a general circulation in the Village, on March 21 and 28, 2007, the first date of which was at least ten (10) days prior to the date of such public hearing; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities of the Village hereby desire to pass, approve and adopt the Proposed Annual Budget as compiled in tentative form by the Budget Officer, including as such Proposed Annual Budget in tentative form has subsequently been changed, modified and revised by the Budget Officer and the Corporate Authorities prior to the adoption of this Ordinance (the "**Annual Budget**"); and

**WHEREAS**, a true, complete and correct copy of such Annual Budget as so changed, modified and revised by the Budget Officer and the Corporate Authorities of the Village prior to the adoption of this Ordinance has been presented to and is now before the meeting of the Corporate Authorities at which this Ordinance is adopted.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF RANTOUL, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

**Section 1. Passage, Approval and Adoption of Annual Budget.** The Annual Budget be and the same is hereby passed, approved and adopted as the annual budget of and for the Village for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2007 and ending April 30, 2008. The Annual Budget, as so passed, approved and adopted, shall be on file in the records of the Village Clerk with this Ordinance but any failure to do so shall not abrogate, diminish or impair its effect. In accordance with Section 8-2-9.4 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/8-2-9.4) and Section 28.1.2 of the Annual Budget Provisions, the passage, approval and adoption of the Annual Budget as provided in this Ordinance shall be in lieu of the passage of an appropriation ordinance as required by Section 8-2-9 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/8-2-9).

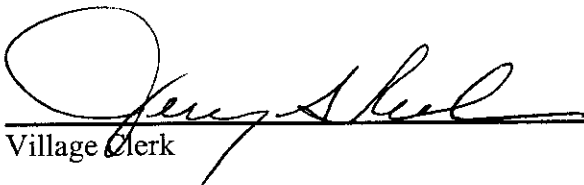
**Section 2. Adjustment for Encumbrances.** The Village Comptroller is hereby authorized to adjust the Annual Budget for the purposes of increasing any applicable expenditure by the amount of any encumbrance outstanding as of April 30, 2007.

**Section 3. Severability.** If any estimated revenues or authorized expenditures contained in the Annual Budget as passed, approved and adopted by this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional for any reason whatsoever by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of the Annual Budget, including as such Annual Budget may subsequently be supplemented and amended from time to time, shall not be affected thereby.

This Ordinance is hereby passed, the "ayes" and "nays" being called, by the concurrence of a majority of the members of the Corporate Authorities then holding office at a special meeting held on the date set forth below upon a roll call vote as follows:

"Ayes" FOGAL, WHITE, CARTER, SMITH, GRAHAM (5)  
"Nays" NONE (0)  
"Absent" LOY (1)

PASSED this 10th day of April, 2007.

  
Village Clerk

APPROVED this 10th day of April, 2007.



  
Village President