

**ORDINANCE NO. 2100**

**AN ORDINANCE  
AMENDING SECTIONS 13.2.5 AND 13.2.6 OF CHAPTER 13  
OF THE VILLAGE OF RANTOUL CODE IN CONNECTION WITH THE  
ENFORCEMENT OF AND PENALTIES FOR WASTE MANAGEMENT VIOLATIONS**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF  
THE VILLAGE OF RANTOUL, ILLINOIS, as follows:**

**Section 1. Supplement and Amendment.** That Section 13.2.5, entitled "Burning Prohibited" and Section 13.2.6, entitled "General Penalty", each of Article II, entitled "WASTE MANAGEMENT", of Chapter 13, entitled "MUNICIPAL AND LANDSCAPE WASTE MANAGEMENT AND COLLECTION", of the Village of Rantoul Code-1977, as supplemented and amended, be and the same is hereby supplemented and amended to provide as follows:

**Section 13.2.5. Burning Prohibited.**

It shall be unlawful for any Person to burn any Municipal Waste or Landscape Waste within the Village, except for the following when constantly attended by an adult Person until the fire is extinguished:

(a) leaves only may be burned upon any private property by or with the consent of the owner, agent, lessee, occupant or other Person in control thereof between the hours of 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on any Saturday during the months of April, May, October and November if such burning of leaves is done upon private property located not less than three (3) feet from any Right-of-Way; and

(b) an outdoor fire burning fuel for pleasure, religious, ceremonial, cooking, warmth or similar purposes may be burned where the fuel being burned is contained in an outdoor fireplace, barbeque grill, barbeque pit, fire bowl, fire pit, campfire ring or similar device and has a total fuel area of 3 feet or less in diameter and 2 feet or less in height, provided that no Municipal Waste or Landscape Waste other than logs and untreated lumber shall be burned in such cases.

**Section 13.2.6. Issuance of Complaints; Authority to Issue Notice to Appear; and Penalty.**

(a) Any police officer or the Village Inspector, including any such other employee of the Inspection Department who is designated by the Village Inspector for such purposes (collectively, an "Inspector") shall be authorized to issue a complaint to any person who, upon reasonable belief, has violated any of the provisions of this Article.

(b) Any Inspector shall have the authority to issue a "notice to appear" as defined in Section 107.1(c) of the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963 (725 ILCS 5/107-1(c)) for any violation of this Chapter, and for this purpose any Inspector is hereby designated as a "peace

officer” within the meaning of Section 2-13 of the Criminal Code of 1961 (720 ILCS 5/2-13) for such limited purpose.

(c) Any person violating any of the provisions of this Article shall be punished by a fine of not less than Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00) nor more than Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00) for each offense. A separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day during or on which a violation of this Chapter continues.

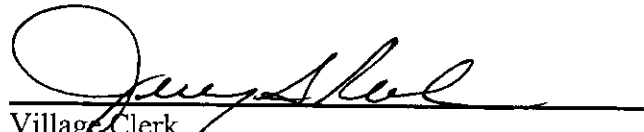
**Section 2. Effective Date.** The provisions of this Ordinance shall become effective on July 1, 2007, following its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

**Section 3. Conflict.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.


**Section 4. Publication.** The Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause this Ordinance to be published in pamphlet form.

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 regular meeting on the date set forth below.

**PASSED** this 12th day of June, 2007.

  
Village Clerk

**APPROVED** this 12th day of June, 2007.

  
Village President

