ORDINANCE # 2027-2

ORDINANCE LEVYING AND ASSESSING TAXES OF WORTH PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2026, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2027

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Library Trustees of the Worth Public Library District as follows:

Section 1: That the sum of ONE MILLION SIXTY EIGHT THOUSAND AND FORTY THREE ($1,068,043) DOLLARS be and the same is assessed and levied from and against all taxable property within the limits of the said Worth Public Library District as the same is assessed and equalized for State and County purposes for the current year, 2026, and are to be applied in liquidation of the appropriations heretofore made by Ordinance adopted by the Board of Library Trustees of the Worth Public Library District at a meeting thereof convened and held August 11, 2026 and duly published as provided by law; the various objects and purposes for which said appropriations were made are set forth under the column entitled "Amount Appropriated" and the specific amount hereby levied for each object and purpose is set forth under the column entitled "Amount To Be Raised by Tax Levy," as follows:

CORPORATE FUND

	Appropriated	**Levy**
Salary of Full Time Employees	$292,500	$211,000
Salary of Part Time Employees	$357,500	$245,000
Purchase of Books	$58,500	$50,000
Public Relations/Programs	$31,200	$20,000
Periodicals	$4,550	$4,200
Audio/Visuals	$1,300	$2,000

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Postage	$1,300	$1,000
Utilities (Telephone, Gas, Water, Electric)	$45,500	$30,000
Office Supplies	$13,000	$10,000
Publicity/Printing	$15,600	$15,000
Staff Continuing Education	$1,300	$500
Board Continuing Education	$1,300	$500
Dues, Memberships	$1,300	$500
Reciprocal Borrowing Delinquencies	$6,500	$500
Professional Services	$45,500	$30,000
Legal Fees and Expenses	$13,000	$5,000
Treasurer's Bond	$1,300	$1,000
Copier	$7,800	$2,000
Computers/Software	$16,250	$12,800
Databases/online resources	$9,750	$7,500
Computer Maintenance	$91,000	$50,000
Hospitalization Insurance	$117,000	$80,000
Contingencies	$5,200	$3,000
FAX tax	$585	$-
Purchase of Furniture	$6,500	$-
Donation Purchases	$650	$-
Memorial Book Purchases	$130	$-
Equipment	$6,500	$5,000
Capital Improvements	$520,000	$145,000
Direct Deposit Fee	$3,250	$1,000

Personal Protective Equipment	$1,300	$500
TOTAL ESTIMATED	**$1,677,065**	**$935,000**

The foregoing appropriations are appropriated from the proceeds of a special tax for corporate purposes. Said appropriations, less estimated amounts receivable from other sources, are hereby levied from the tax for general corporate purposes.

AUDIT FUND

Purpose	Appropriated	Levy
Audit	$19,500	$9,031
TOTAL	**$19,500**	**$9,031**

The foregoing appropriations are hereby appropriated from the proceeds of a special tax for audit expense purposes and is in addition to all other library district taxes as provided by law. Said appropriation is hereby levied from the proceeds of a special tax for audit expense purposes in addition to all other library district taxes.

ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT FUND AND SOCIAL SECURITY FUND

Purpose	Appropriated	Levy
Social Security	$68,750	$28,000
Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	$68,750	$41,138
TOTAL	**$137,500**	**$69,138**

The foregoing appropriations are hereby appropriated from the proceeds of a special tax to pay the Library District's contribution to the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund and Social Security and are in addition to all other library district taxes as provided by law. Said appropriations are hereby levied from the proceeds of a special tax for Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund and Social Security contributions in addition to all other library district taxes as provided by law.

PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE

Purpose	Appropriated	Levy
Public Liability Insurance	$19,500	$14,000
TOTAL	**$19,500**	**$14,000**

The foregoing appropriations are hereby appropriated from the proceeds of a special tax for public liability insurance purposes and are in addition to all other library district taxes as provided by law. Said appropriations are hereby levied from the proceeds of a special tax for public liability insurance purposes in addition to all other library district taxes.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE

Purpose	Appropriated	Levy
Workers' Compensation Fund	$3,250	$3,011
TOTAL	**$3,250**	**$3,011**

The foregoing appropriations are hereby appropriated from the proceeds of a special tax for Workers' Compensation insurance purposes and are in addition to all other library district taxes as provided by law. Said appropriations are hereby levied from the proceeds of a special tax for Workers' Compensation insurance purposes in addition to all other library district taxes.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION INSURANCE

Purpose	Appropriated	Levy
Unemployment Insurance Premium	$1,300	$251
TOTAL	**$1,300**	**$251**

The foregoing appropriation is hereby appropriated from the proceeds of a special tax for unemployment compensation insurance purposes and is in addition to all other library district taxes as provided by law. Said appropriation is hereby levied from the proceeds of a special tax for unemployment compensation insurance purposes in addition to all other library district taxes.

PURCHASE OF SITES AND BUILDING, MAINTENANCE AND EQUIPMENT

Purpose	Appropriated	Levy
Library Improvements pursuant to fund	$81,900	$38,000
TOTAL	**$81,900**	**$38,000**

The foregoing appropriation is appropriated from the proceeds of a special tax for the purchase of sites and buildings, construction and equipment of buildings, rental of buildings for library purposes and for maintenance, repairs and alterations of library buildings and equipment and are in addition to all other library district taxes as provided by law.

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SUMMARY

Fund Name	Appropriations	Levy
Corporate Fund	$1,677,065	$935,000
Purchase of Sites and Buildings, Maintenance, And Repairs Fund	$81,900	$38,000
Social Security Contribution	$68,750	$28,000
IMRF Fund	$68,750	$41,138
Public Liability Insurance Fund	$19,500	$14,000
Audit Fund	$19,500	$9,031
Unemployment Insurance Fund	$1,300	$251
Workers' Compensation Fund	$3,250	$3,011
Special Reserve Fund	$39,000	$-
GRAND TOTAL	**$1,979,015**	**$1,068,431**

Section 1: That the Secretary is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this Ordinance with the County Clerk of Cook County within the time specified by law.

Section 2: That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as required by law.

ADOPTED this 10th day of November, 2026, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

AYES: Berlinski, J. McCarthy, Hennel, Williams

NAYS: Ø

ABSENT: Banasiak. W. McCarthy

President

ATTEST:

Secretary

CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE

TRUTH IN TAXATION LAW

I the undersigned the duly qualified and acting presiding officer of the Worth Public Library District, Cook County, Illinois, do hereby certify the 2027 tax levy of said district attached hereto was adopted in full compliance with the provisions of sections 18-60 through 18-80 of the Illinois "Truth in Taxation Law" found at 35 Illinois Compiled Statutes 200/18-55 *et seq.*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have placed my official signature this 10th day of November, 2026.

Secretary
Board of Library Trustees of the
Worth Public Library District

STATE OF ILLINOIS)

)SS.

COUNTY OF COOK)

SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

I, **the undersigned**, the duly qualified and acting Secretary of the Board of Library Trustees of the Worth Public Library District, Cook County, Illinois, and the keeper of the records thereof, do hereby certify that attached hereto is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance entitled:

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Adopted at a regular meeting of said Board of Library Trustees at which a quorum was present held pursuant to the Illinois Open Meetings Act on the 10th day of November, 2026.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 10th day of November, 2026.

Secretary