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**CERTIFICATION**

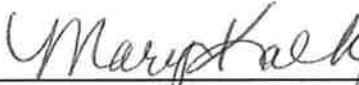
I, Mary Kalk, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and acting City Clerk of the City of Sycamore, County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, and that I am keeper of the records, ordinances and other proceedings of said city: and I further certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of

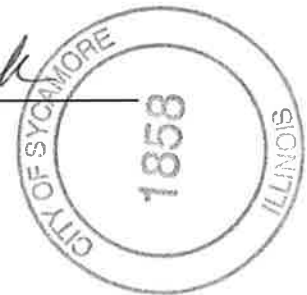
ORDINANCE 2022.14

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING TAXES FOR CORPORATE PURPOSES OF THE CITY OF SYCAMORE, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING MAY 1, 2023 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2023

As approved and adopted by the City Council at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Sycamore, held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 2022 which meeting was held in the Council Chambers located in the Sycamore Center at 308 W. state Street in the City of Sycamore, Illinois.

Witness my hand and seal this 21<sup>st</sup> Day of December 2022.

  
Mary Kalk, City Clerk



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### AN ORDINANCE LEVYING TAXES FOR CORPORATE PURPOSES OF THE CITY OF SYCAMORE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING MAY 1, 2023 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2023.

**WHEREAS**, The City Council of Sycamore, DeKalb County, Illinois did on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of April 2022, pass the Annual Appropriation Ordinance for said City for the Fiscal Year beginning on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2022, and ending on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023, to establish a General Fund budget of \$20,437,346 and said Appropriation Ordinance was originally published in pamphlet form as required by law by the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2022.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Sycamore as follows:

**THAT THERE BE, AND IS HEREBY**, levied upon all taxable property within the Corporate Limits of said City of Sycamore subject to taxation for the year 2022, the following sums:

LINE ITEM	2021 REQUEST	2022 REQUEST	DIFFERENCE
Fire Pension	\$791,882.00	\$791,882.00	\$0.00
Police Pension	\$581,724.00	\$581,724.00	\$0.00
IMRF	\$156,181.00	\$156,181.00	\$0.00
Social Security	\$93,147.00	\$93,147.00	\$0.00
Medicare	\$87,847.00	\$87,847.00	\$0.00
Crossing Guards	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$0.00
Gen. Obligation Bonds	\$155,000.00	\$155,000.00	\$0.00
General Operations	\$1,300,179.00	\$2,020,179.00	\$720,000.00
Total City Levy	\$3,185,960.00	\$3,905,960.00	\$720,000.00
Total Library Levy	\$1,186,584.00	\$1,316,684.00	\$130,100.00
Total Levy	\$4,372,544.00	\$5,222,644.00	\$850,100.00

The Clerk of the said City of Sycamore is hereby directed to file with the County Clerk of said County, a duly certified copy of this Ordinance.

If any item or portion thereof of this Tax Levy Ordinance is for any reason held invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Ordinance.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage according to law.

**PASSED** by the City Council of the City of Sycamore and **APPROVED** by the Mayor of said City this 19th day of December, 2022.

**APPROVED:**

  
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Steve Braser, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
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Mary Kalk, City Clerk



Roll Call Vote:

Ayes:

**STOWE**  
**FISCHER**  
**HUSEMAN**  
**PAULSEN**

Nays:

**STOUFFER**  
**COPPLE**

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**TRUTH IN TAXATION**

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am the presiding officer of **The City of Sycamore**, 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 Section 4 through 7 of the Truth in Taxation Act.

The Notice and Hearing requirements of Section 6 of the Act are applicable.

The Notice requirement of Section 7 is applicable.

This certificate applies to the 2022 Levy.

DATE: 12-21-22

PRESIDING OFFICER:   
Steve Braser, Mayor

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2023 City Tax Levy Options -- UPDATED FIGURES

Cost	*New*			*New*		
	Option 1B	Option 2	Option 2B	Option 1B	Option 2	Option 2B
\$120,000	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter
\$120,000	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter
\$120,000	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter	Firefighter
\$120,000	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer
\$120,000	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer
\$120,000	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer	Police Officer
\$120,000	Public Works Laborer	Public Works Laborer	Public Works Laborer	Public Works Laborer	Public Works Laborer	Public Works Laborer
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\$120,000	Economic Dev. Professional					
\$100,000	Full-time Police Admin					

Total	\$1,180,000	\$960,000	\$720,000	\$600,000	\$480,000
New City Tax Rate	0.78741	0.74773	0.70445	0.68280	0.66116
Impact on Avg. Tax Bill (Monthly)	+\$17.27	+\$14.05	+\$10.53	+\$8.77	+\$7.01
Impact on Avg. Tax Bill (Yearly)	\$207.24	\$168.60	\$126.36	\$105.24	\$84.12

District	Tax Rate	Rank	Name	Municipal Rate	Fire Protection	Total	Rank	Name	Municipal Rate
Sycamore School District 427	5.99933	1	Cortland	0.91757	0.55538	1.47295	1	DeKalb	0.98612
DeKalb County	1.03149	2	Kirkland	0.80202	0.63482	1.43684	2	Cortland	0.91757
Sycamore Park District	0.67372	3	Maple Park	0.6993	0.66207	1.35537	3	Sandwich	0.91486
CC 523 Kishwaukee	0.64319	4	Genoa	0.82224	0.46462	1.28686	4	Genoa	0.80224
City of Sycamore	0.62542	5	Sandwich	0.91486	0.35408	1.26894	5	Malta	0.80223
Sycamore Road & Bridge	0.24891	6	Somonauk	0.78552	0.43567	1.22119	6	Kirkland	0.80202
Sycamore Library	0.23281	7	Kingston	0.73683	0.46462	1.20145	7	Somonauk	0.78552
Sycamore Township	0.11982	8	Malta	0.80223	0.35433	1.15656	8	Kingston	0.73683
Forest Preserve	0.07355	9	Shabbonah	0.59957	0.40283	1.0024	9	Maple Park	0.69933
		10	Hinckley	0.5674	0.42759	0.99499	10	Sycamore	0.62542
		11	DeKalb	0.98612	0	0.98612	11	Waterman	0.60538
		12	Waterman	0.60538	0.21647	0.82185	12	Shabbonah	0.59957
		13	Sycamore	0.62542	0	0.62542	13	Hinckley	0.5674
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9.64824</b>								

Reference: