

ORDINANCE 25/26-O-4
LEVYING TAXES FOR CORPORATE PURPOSES FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR
COMMENCING JULY 1, 2025 AND ENDING ON JUNE 30, 2026
FOR ZION-BENTON PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES OF THE ZION-BENTON PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS THAT:

SECTION 1: A tax for the following sums of money, or as much thereof as may be authorized by law, to defray all expenses and liabilities of the ZION-BENTON PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT be and the same are hereby levied, for the purpose specified against all taxable properties in the ZION-BENTON PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT for the fiscal year commencing on the 1st day of July, 2025 and ending on the 30th day of June, 2026, to wit:

<u>LIBRARY FUND</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Levied</u>
Salaries	2,000,000	1,700,000
Other Personnel Costs	300,000	215,000
Professional Development	60,000	30,000
Utilities	200,000	100,000
Professional Services	300,000	150,000
Library Materials	260,000	232,000
Programming & Publicity	150,000	100,000
Supplies	75,000	45,000
Postage	40,000	18,000
Repairs	600,000	154,176
Contingency	100,000	10,000
Total Library Fund	\$4,085,000	\$2,754,176

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TOTAL TO BE LEVIED FOR LIBRARY FUND

<u>OTHER FUNDS</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Levied</u>
Per Capita Grant Fund	85,000	0
Special Reserve Fund	2,000,000	0
Building, Site & Maintenance Fund	500,000	75,000
Social Security Fund	150,000	95,000
Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	150,000	20,000
Insurance Fund	125,000	80,000
Audit Fund	40,000	10,500

SECTION 2:Summary of Appropriation and Levy

	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Levied</u>
Library Fund	4,085,000	2,754,176
Per Capita Grant Fund	85,000	0
Special Reserve Fund	2,000,000	0
Building, Site and Maintenance Fund	500,000	75,000
Social Security Fund	200,000	95,000
Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	125,000	20,000
Insurance Fund	125,000	80,000
Audit Fund	40,000	10,500
TOTAL	7,160,000	3,034,676

SECTION 3: If any section, paragraph, clause, item or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity of such section, item, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the other provisions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and posting as required by law.

PASSED by the Board of Library Trustees of the Zion-Benton Public Library District, Lake County, Illinois, on the 28th day of October, 2025.

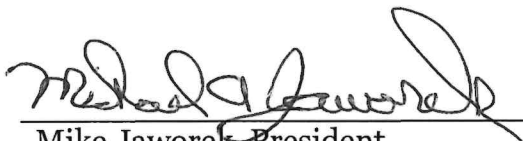
AYES: Adams, Montgomery, Pickenpugh, Onan, Singhal, Jaworek

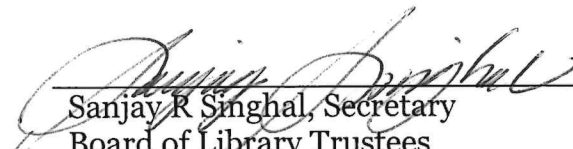
NAYS: Ø

ABSTAIN: Ø

ABSENT: Martin

ATTEST:


Mike Jaworek, President
Board of Library Trustees
Zion-Benton Public Library District
Zion, Lake County, Illinois


Sanjay R. Singhal, Secretary
Board of Library Trustees
Zion-Benton Public Library District
Zion, Lake County, Illinois

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF LAKE)

SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

I, Sanjay R Singhal DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I am the duly qualified and acting Secretary of the Board of Library Trustees of the Zion-Benton Public Library District, Lake County, Illinois and as such I am the custodian and keeper of the records and files of said Library District.

I do further certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of Ordinance 25/26-O-4 adopted on the 28th day of October 2025, at a meeting of the Board of Library Trustees of the Zion-Benton Public Library District.

DATED, this 28th day of October 2025.



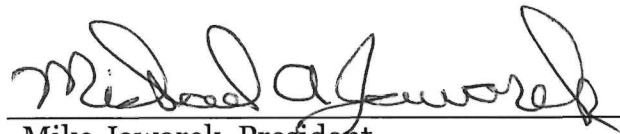
Sanjay R Singhal Secretary
Board of Library Trustees
Zion-Benton Public Library District
Zion, Lake County, Illinois

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**CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE
WITH THE TRUTH IN TAXATION ACT**

I, Michael A. Jaworek the duly qualified and presiding officer of THE ZION-BENTON PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT, Lake County, Illinois, do hereby certify that the attached Levy Ordinance of THE ZION-BENTON PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025, was adopted in full compliance with the provisions of The Truth in Taxation Law. (35 ILCS 200/18-55 et seq.)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have placed my official signature this 28th day of October, 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael A. Jaworek", is written over a horizontal line.

Mike Jaworek, President
Board of Library Trustees
Zion-Benton Public Library District
Zion, Lake County, Illinois