

TAX LEVY ORDINANCE**ORDINANCE NO. 2024-4****AURORA PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT****DUPAGE, KANE, KENDALL AND WILL COUNTIES, ILLINOIS****FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2024 to JUNE 30, 2025**

This Ordinance constitutes the Tax Levy Ordinance of the Aurora Public Library District for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024 and ending June 30, 2025.

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

SECTION 1. Ordinance No. 2024-3 (Budget and Appropriation Ordinance) previously passed by the Board is incorporated by reference.

SECTION 2. A tax in the sum of \$17,990,977 is levied upon all taxable property within the District, said tax levied to defray expenses and liabilities of the District for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024 ending June 30, 2025 for the specific objects and purposes indicated as follows:

Description	Appropriation	Levy
Salaries & Benefits	\$ 11,463,358	\$ 8,875,620
Office Expenses	\$ 138,250	\$ 110,000
Professional Fees	\$ 234,000	\$ 125,000
Communication Charges	\$ 105,675	\$ 85,000
Databases	\$ 288,750	\$ 225,000
Technology	\$ 1,146,938	\$ 950,000
Materials	\$ 2,257,275	\$ 1,790,000
Furniture, Fixtures & Equipment	\$ 113,573	\$ 80,500
Vehicles	\$ 68,641	\$ 50,000
Facilities & Grounds	\$ 1,843,700	\$ 1,200,000
Utilities	\$ 521,688	\$ 400,000
Marketing	\$ 289,879	\$ 204,000
Insurance	\$ 337,938	\$ 250,000
Programs & Events	\$ 153,590	\$ 119,600
Bonds and Interest	\$ 3,000,000	
Bonds & Interest-City of Aurora		\$ 1,199,119
Bonds & Interest-GO Series 2024		\$ 1,327,138
Capital Improvements	\$ 15,000,000	\$ 1,000,000
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Total	\$ 36,963,254	\$ 17,990,977

SECTION 3. The Secretary is authorized and directed to timely file a certified copy of this Ordinance with the County Clerks.

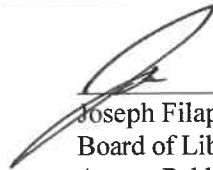
SECTION 4. This Ordinance is in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED by the Board of Library Trustees on October 23, 2024.


AYES: Filapek, LaTour, O'Neill, Orr, Riddick, Sanchez

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Plonczynski


Joseph Filapek, President
Board of Library Trustees
Aurora Public Library District

ATTEST:


Paul LaTour, Secretary
Board of Library Trustees
Aurora Public Library District

Notes/Courtesy Reminders

1. The Aurora Public Library District was formed in 2020 by converting the Aurora Public Library, a City of Aurora Public Library, to a Public Library District.
2. The conversion was approved by a Final Judgment Order entered in the Circuit Court of Kane County on June 5, 2020.
3. The Aurora Public Library District began operations July 1, 2020.
4. All levies are for the Library District's Corporate Fund/General Fund. There are no levies for Special Tax Funds.
5. The levy amounts for Bonds & Interest is intended to be consistent with documents filed 2012 in connection with the following bond issue:

City of Aurora General Obligation Library Bonds, Series 2012A (\$19,200,000)
(from pages 25-26 of City Ordinance Number 012-080 passed September 25,
2012) (for year 2024, the amount of \$1,199,119);

And with documents filed in 2024 in connection with the following bond issue:

Aurora Public Library District General Obligation Bonds, Series 2024 (\$13,000,000)
Ordinance 2024-5 passed September 25, 2024 (for the year 2024, the amount of
\$1,327,138).

6. The intent/objectives of the Aurora Public Library and the City of Aurora (City), as expressed in the Petition for Conversion and the Final Judgment Order, included:

Provide for assumption of obligations by the Aurora Public
Library District for all Library purposes (all operations,
IMRF contributions, and Bonds and Interest);

7. The Library District shall timely pay the amounts due for said Bonds and Interest.
8. The Library District will indemnify the City and hold the City harmless with respect to payment for said Bonds and Interest.
9. The total amount levied (\$17,990,977) is 5.5% higher (approximate) than the previous total extension (all Counties) (\$17,053,059). (This is an increase of \$937,918.)

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS.
COUNTY OF KANE)

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY

I, Paul LaTour, Board Secretary, the duly qualified and acting Secretary of the Board of Library Trustees of the Aurora Public Library District, and the keeper of the records thereof, hereby certify that attached hereto is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance entitled:

TAX LEVY ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE NO. 2043-4

adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Library Trustees held on October 23, 2024.



Paul LaTour
Board of Library Trustees
Aurora Public Library District

Date signed: October 23, 2024

(Library Seal)

TAX LEVY SUMMARY

Aurora Public Library District


DuPage, Kane, Kendall and Will Counties, Illinois

Fiscal Year July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025

Tax Year: 2024

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Levy Amount</u>
Corporate Fund/General Fund	\$17,990,977

AURORA PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

By: 

Michaela Haberkern

Executive Director

Date signed: October 25, 2024

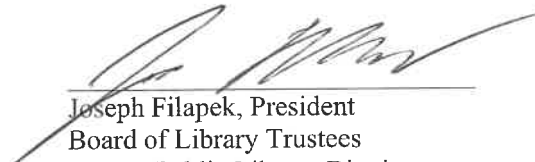
Courtesy note to County Clerks: The only levy is for the Library District's Corporate Fund/General Fund. There are no levies for Special Tax Funds.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS.
COUNTY OF KANE)

TRUTH IN TAXATION CERTIFICATE

I, Joseph Filapek, hereby certify that I am the chief presiding officer of Aurora Public Library District and as such chief presiding officer I certify that the attached Tax Levy Ordinance was adopted pursuant to and in all respects in compliance with the provisions of Section 18-70 through 18-90 of the "Truth in Taxation Law", 35 ILCS 200/18-55 et seq.

(Library Seal)



Joseph Filapek, President
Board of Library Trustees
Aurora Public Library District

Date signed: October 23, 2024