



VILLAGE OF THORNTON

Regular Board Meeting

May 18, 2026 at 6:15 PM

Village Hall – 115 East Margaret St

AGENDA

I. Call to Order

II. Approval of Committee & Regular Meeting Minutes; Vouchers

[A.](#) Committee Meeting Minutes for May 4, 2026

[B.](#) Board Meeting Minutes for May 4, 2026

[C.](#) Approve Vouchers for May 18, 2026

III. Committee Topics

[A.](#) Trustee Pratscher - Ordinance #2026-018 - Amending Municipal Code Regarding the Appointment Terms of the Village Health Officer

[B.](#) Trustee Pratscher - Ordinance #2026-019 - Amending Section 2-4A-1 of Chapter 2-4 of Title 2 of the Municipal Code Related to the Appointment of the Fire Chief

[C.](#) Trustee Glaser - Ordinance #2026-020 - Amending Chapter 3-6 of Title 3 of Its Municipal code Related to the Village Emergency Management Agency

[D.](#) Trustee Glaser - Resolution #2026-012R - Authorizing and Approving an Intergovernmental Agreement by and Between the Village and Southland Public Safety Communications Related to Public Safety Response Services

[E.](#) Trustee Glaser - Resolution #2026-013R - Appointing David Duvall as the Emergency Management Agency Coordinator for the Village of Thornton

IV. Treasurer Jackson

V. Engineer Kaminsky

VI. Attorney Touhy

VII. Administrator Payne

VIII. President Reynolds

IX. Public Comment

X. Old & New Business

XI. Adjournment

VILLAGE OF THORNTON

COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

MAY 4, 2026

President Maxine Reynolds called the meeting to order at 6:12 p.m, and stated the meeting was being recorded by Clerk Kitakis and being streamed live on the Village of Thornton Facebook page. Residents were asked to silence electronic devices as a courtesy.

ROLL CALL

Present:

President Maxine Reynolds
Trustee Cunningham
Trustee Middlebrooks
Trustee Kaye
Public Works Superintendent Bryan Roberts
Park and Recreation Director Dunlop
Police Chief Wesolowski
Fire Chief Schweitzer

Also Present:

Attorney Touhy
Administrator Payne
Treasurer Simone Jackson
Clerk Nikki Kitakis

Absent:

Trustee Glaser
Trustee Pratscher
Trustee Pisarzewski

PUBLIC COMMENT

President Reynolds asked if there was any public comment regarding either agenda. No public comment was offered.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Trustee Pisarzewski

No report.

Trustee Cunningham

No report.

Trustee Middlebrooks

No report.

Trustee Kaye

No report.

Trustee Glaser

No report.

Trustee Pratscher

No report.

TREASURER’S REPORT

Treasurer Simone Jackson reported that the Village cash position as of April 30, 2026 was \$8,754,546.84, noting that approximately 53% of the funds were related to the SOS Grant Program.

ATTORNEY’S REPORT

Attorney Touhy presented a proposed ordinance adopting an amended Public Comment Policy. Attorney Touhy explained the amendment stemmed from a request for review filed with the Illinois Attorney General’s Public Access Counselor under the Illinois Open Meetings Act relating to the recording of Village meetings.

Attorney Touhy explained that while the Village has consistently permitted recordings of meetings in accordance with the Open Meetings Act, the amendment was being proposed to formally incorporate that language into the Village’s written policy to remove any ambiguity.

The amendment clarifies that any member of the public present at a meeting may record the proceedings provided the recording does not disrupt the meeting. Attorney Touhy further explained that the presiding officer retains the authority to establish reasonable rules regarding the placement and use of recording equipment to ensure orderly conduct of meetings.

Discussion occurred regarding the Village's live streaming of meetings through Facebook and whether any additional risks were associated with allowing recordings. Police Chief Wesolowski stated the Village is required by law to allow meetings to be recorded and noted the Village has no discretion to prohibit such recordings under the Open Meetings Act.

The Board discussed that elaborate recording equipment or media setups may still require coordination with the Village to ensure meetings remain orderly and unobstructed.

No further questions were raised.

ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

Administrator Payne reviewed several agenda items that would be presented for consideration during the Regular Board Meeting.

Line Item Transfers

Administrator Payne presented the following proposed line item transfers:

- Transfer of \$1,900 from the Fire Department Training Budget to the Fire Department Fuel Budget;
- Transfer of \$2,000 from the Fire Department Membership Budget to the Fire Department Operating Supplies Budget;
- Transfer of \$2,500 from the Fire Department Uniform Budget to the Fire Department Operating Supplies Budget;
- Transfer of \$1,500 from the Building Department Fuel Budget to the Fire Department Fuel Budget.

Administrator Payne explained the Building Department utilizes a fuel credit card billed through the Fire Department and the Fire Department has been covering those fuel expenses throughout the fiscal year.

No questions were raised regarding the transfers.

Purchase of 2026 Ford F-150 for ISATT

Administrator Payne presented proposals received for the purchase of a 2026 Ford F-150 vehicle for ISATT. The Board reviewed three submitted proposals.

Administrator Payne recommended approval of the lowest proposal submitted by Ziegler Ford in the amount of \$63,227.63.

No additional discussion occurred.

Ordinance Amending Municipal Code Regarding Unlawful Assembly and Disorderly Conduct

Administrator Payne presented a proposed ordinance amending the Municipal Code related to unlawful assembly and disorderly conduct. The ordinance was drafted in coordination with Police Chief Wesolowski and Attorney Touhy as a proactive measure addressing “teen takeover” incidents occurring in surrounding communities.

Discussion occurred regarding the proposed threshold of “three or more persons” contained in the ordinance language. Trustees questioned whether the number should be higher.

Police Chief Wesolowski explained the concern arises when gatherings begin escalating beyond manageable levels and stated the ordinance was intended to provide proactive authority before situations become unmanageable.

No further discussion occurred.

Purchase of Emergency Warning Siren

Administrator Payne presented a proposal for the replacement of the Village emergency warning siren located atop the original Fire Department building.

Fire Chief Schweitzer explained the siren was approximately sixty years old and recently failed due to ice-related damage. The equipment is no longer repairable and replacement parts are unavailable.

The proposal submitted by Federal Signal totaled \$33,501.10.

Extensive discussion occurred regarding aging infrastructure throughout the Village, including concerns about future failures and long-term planning for infrastructure replacement.

Trustees discussed the need to budget proactively for aging infrastructure and questioned how future replacement projects would be funded. Treasurer Jackson and Administrator Payne explained that infrastructure replacement projects would generally be funded through the Village Capital Fund and that the Village maintains a capital asset inventory identifying infrastructure age and estimated useful life.

Administrator Payne stated staff would continue reviewing available grants and external funding opportunities to offset future infrastructure costs wherever possible.

Chief Schweitzer further noted that additional warning sirens throughout the Village are also aging and may require replacement in future years.

Trustee Pratscher arrived during discussion of the warning siren item.

Purchase of Village-Wide Network Switches

Administrator Payne presented a proposal for the replacement of Village-wide network switches utilized for the Village computer systems, telephone systems, emergency dispatch systems, and overall network infrastructure.

Administrator Payne explained the current switches are outdated, some having been purchased used or dating back to approximately the year 2000, and are at severe risk of failure.

IT Director Watson addressed the Board and explained the network switches function as the “nervous system” of the Village’s communications infrastructure, controlling data flow for computers, phones, security systems, dispatch communications, pumping stations, and wireless access points.

Discussion occurred regarding the number of switches included in the proposal, with staff indicating approximately sixteen switches would be replaced throughout Village facilities.

IT Director Watson advised the new switches would improve overall network performance and reliability while replacing unsupported and outdated equipment.

He further explained the switches would optimize traffic flow between Village systems.

Discussion also occurred regarding the age of Village servers and future plans to upgrade server infrastructure and potentially transition from GroupWise email systems to Microsoft Office 365.

Trustees also discussed cybersecurity concerns and backup systems following prior technology issues experienced by the Village.

IT Director Watson informed the Board that a new Datto backup system had recently been installed, providing multiple backups per day along with cloud-based encrypted backup storage designed to protect Village data from future cyber incidents.

No further questions were raised.

Illinois America 250 Resolution

Administrator Payne presented a proposed resolution supporting the Illinois America 250 Commission and the nationwide commemoration of the 250th Anniversary of the United States of America occurring on July 4, 2026.

Administrator Payne read the resolution aloud into the record. The resolution recognizes the historical significance of the nation's founding and encourages Illinois communities to participate in educational and commemorative activities leading up to America's 250th anniversary.

No discussion occurred.

Ordinances Regarding Appointment Terms for Health Officer and Fire Chief

Administrator Payne presented two proposed ordinances amending appointment terms for the Village Health Officer and Fire Chief.

Administrator Payne explained the Village Code currently requires annual appointments for those positions each May 1st, unlike other appointed Village positions which continue until a successor is appointed.

The proposed ordinances would eliminate the annual appointment requirement and instead provide that appointments remain effective until successors are appointed.

No questions were raised.

THORNTON TOWNSHIP PRESENTATION

President Reynolds introduced Thornton Township Trustee Valerie, representing Thornton Township Highway Commissioner Antoine Russell.

Trustee Valerie presented funding from the Thornton Township Highway Department to the Village of Thornton derived from Personal Property Replacement Tax (PPRT) distributions.

The Village received an allocation of \$536.71 covering the period from March 2025 through February 2026.

The Township representative emphasized the continued partnership between Thornton Township and local municipalities and thanked the Village for its leadership and service to residents.

President Reynolds thanked Thornton Township for its continued support.

RESOLUTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF HEALTH OFFICER

Discussion occurred regarding the proposed appointment of David DuVall as Health Officer/Inspector for the Village of Thornton.

No concerns or comments were raised.

RESOLUTION FOR REAPPOINTMENT OF FIRE CHIEF

Discussion occurred regarding the proposed reappointment of Arthur Schweitzer as Fire Chief for the Village of Thornton.

No concerns or comments were raised.

PRESIDENT’S REPORT

President Reynolds thanked all personnel involved in the recent hostage rescue incident occurring within the Village.

Police Chief Wesolowski addressed the Board and commended responding officers along with the South Suburban Emergency Response Team for their actions in safely resolving the incident and rescuing the involved children.

Chief Wesolowski stated the South Suburban Emergency Response Team had successfully completed three hostage rescue operations within the previous year and a half and expressed pride in the professionalism and dedication of the team.

President Reynolds noted the Village benefits greatly from Chief Wesolowski's participation with the regional emergency response team and acknowledged the advantage of immediate access to specialized emergency resources.

Tree Grant Acknowledgements

President Reynolds announced the Village recently received additional tree grants through Openlands and ComEd.

Trees were planted at Village Hall, the Community Center, and Merkitt Park during Earth Day weekend.

President Reynolds thanked all volunteers who assisted with the planting efforts, including Shirley from the Recreation Center, members of her family, Fabian Ruiz, and Assistant Director Amy Potwin for organizing the event despite the recent passing of her father.

Residents were informed that a limited number of trees remained available at the Recreation Center free of charge.

Youth Night Acknowledgements

President Reynolds thanked everyone involved in the successful 55th Annual Youth Night event and recognized Treasurer Simone Jackson for hosting the Youth Symposium held at the Recreation Center on April 25, 2026.

Upcoming Events

President Reynolds announced the following upcoming events:

- Coffee with the Mayor – May 9, 2026 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at Village Hall;
- Senior Bingo and Luncheon – Wednesday, May 13, 2026 at 12:30 p.m. at the Community Center;
- Village-Wide Garage Sale – May 15 through May 17, 2026;
- Flood Brothers “Dump Your Junk Day” – Friday, May 22, 2026;
- Wolcott School Board Meeting and Book Fair activities;

- Memorial Day Parade scheduled for May 25, 2026 at 2:00 p.m.;
- Fall Fest vendor, crafter, and food truck registrations currently being accepted for the October 17, 2026 Fall Fest event.

Clerk Kitakis clarified that no permit is required to participate in the Village-Wide Garage Sale and participation on the Village advertising list is optional.

Discussion also occurred regarding signage regulations. Staff clarified that only Village-issued signs are permitted within parkways and all temporary signs must be removed by sunset on Sunday following the event.

OLD BUSINESS

Administrator Payne updated the Board regarding the underground fuel tank removal project at the former gas station property located on Williams Street.

Administrator Payne explained contractors recently discovered an undocumented underground fuel tank buried beneath asphalt and additional soil during remediation work.

The State Fire Marshal was notified and an additional removal operation was scheduled for the following Wednesday.

Administrator Payne advised the additional work would continue to be covered through grant funding.

President Reynolds expressed appreciation for the grant funding assistance, noting the substantial cost savings provided to the Village.

TREASURER'S COMMENTS

Treasurer Jackson thanked Recreation Director Dunlop, Assistant Director Amy Potwin, and staff for their assistance and professionalism during the recent Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Youth Symposium held at the Recreation Center.

Treasurer Jackson also thanked President Reynolds for attending and welcoming the participating youth.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Trustee Kaye and seconded by Trustee Middlebrooks to adjourn the meeting.

Voice Vote:

Ayes: All

Nays: None

Absent: Trustees Glaser and Pisarzewski

Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 6:57PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Nikki Kitakis
Village Clerk
Village of Thornton

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REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES

May 4, 2026

1. Call to Order

The Regular Board Meeting of the Village of Thornton was called to order at 6:57 PM by President Reynolds. The meeting was recorded by Clerk Kitakis and streamed live. All attendees were asked to silence electronic devices.

2. Pledge of Allegiance & Moment of Silence

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

A moment of silence was observed for public servants, military personnel, the sick, and recently departed members of the community, including Joyce Adams, Amy Potwin's father, and Linda Cameron, who was recognized for over forty years of dedication to special needs education and service as President of the Library Board.

3. Roll Call

ROLL CALL

Present:

President Maxine Reynolds
 Trustee Cunningham
 Trustee Middlebrooks
 Trustee Kaye
 Trustee Pratscher
 Public Works Superintendent Bryan Roberts
 Park and Recreation Director Dunlop
 Police Chief Wesolowski
 Fire Chief Schweitzer

Also Present:

Attorney Touhy
 Administrator Payne
 Treasurer Simone Jackson
 Clerk Nikki Kitakis

Absent:

Trustee Glaser

Trustee Pisarzewski

4. Approval of Youth Night Meeting Minutes – April 20, 2026

Trustee Cunningham made a motion to approve the Youth Night Meeting Minutes of April 20, 2026 as written. Trustee Middlebrooks seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Cunningham – Yes

Middlebrooks – Yes

Kaye – Abstain

Pratscher – Yes

Pisarzewski – Absent

Glaser – Absent

Motion carried.

5. Approval of Regular Board Meeting Minutes – April 20, 2026

Trustee Kaye made a motion to approve the Regular Board Meeting Minutes of April 20, 2026 as written. Trustee Cunningham seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Kaye – Yes

Cunningham – Yes

Middlebrooks – Yes

Pratscher – Yes

Glaser – Absent

Pisarzewski – Absent

Motion carried.

6. Fire Department Line Item Transfer – Training to Fuel

Trustee Kaye made a motion to approve the line item transfer in the amount of \$1,900 from Account No. 01-69-8005 Training to Account No. 01-69-7031 Fuel. Trustee Pratscher seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Kaye – Yes
Pratscher – Yes
Cunningham – Yes
Middlebrooks – Yes
Glaser – Absent
Pisarzewski – Absent

Motion carried.

7. Fire Department Line Item Transfer – Membership to Operating Supplies

Trustee Pratscher made a motion to approve the line item transfer in the amount of \$2,000 from Account No. 01-69-8002 Membership to Account No. 01-69-8064 Operating Supplies. Trustee Kaye seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Pratscher – Yes
Kaye – Yes
Middlebrooks – Yes
Cunningham – Yes
Glaser – Absent
Pisarzewski – Absent

Motion carried.

8. Fire Department Line Item Transfer – Uniforms to Operating Supplies

Trustee Cunningham made a motion to approve the line item transfer in the amount of \$2,500 from Account No. 01-69-8013 Uniforms to Account No. 01-69-8064 Operating Supplies. Trustee Kaye seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Cunningham – Yes
Kaye – Yes
Middlebrooks – Yes
Pratscher – Yes
Glaser – Absent
Pisarczyewski – Absent

Motion carried.

9. Building Department to Fire Department Fuel Transfer

Trustee Pratscher made a motion to approve the line item transfer in the amount of \$1,500 from the Building Department Fuel Line Item to the Fire Department Fuel Line Item. Trustee Kaye seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Pratscher – Yes
Kaye – Yes
Cunningham – Yes
Middlebrooks – Yes
Glaser – Absent
Pisarczyewski – Absent

Motion carried.

10. Payment of Vouchers

Trustee Kaye made a motion to approve vouchers totaling \$139,489.11, of which \$77,769.92 was related to SOS Grant funds and \$58,930.86 related to prepaid checks. Trustee Pratscher seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Kaye – Yes
Pratscher – Yes
Middlebrooks – Yes
Cunningham – Yes
Glaser – Absent
Pisarczyewski – Absent

Motion carried.

11. Ordinance 2026-016 – Amended Public Comment Policy

Trustee Cunningham made a motion to approve Ordinance 2026-016 adopting the amended Public Comment Policy for the Village of Thornton. Trustee Kaye seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

- Cunningham – Yes
- Kaye – Yes
- Pratscher – Yes
- Middlebrooks – Yes
- Glaser – Absent
- Pisarzewski – Absent

Motion carried.

12. Purchase of Village-Wide Network Switches

Trustee Cunningham made a motion to approve the purchase of new Village-wide network switches from TrustTap in the amount of \$59,500. Trustee Pratscher seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

- Cunningham – Yes
- Pratscher – Yes
- Middlebrooks – Yes
- Kaye – Yes
- Glaser – Absent
- Pisarzewski – Absent

Motion carried.

13. Purchase of 2026 Ford F-150 for ISAT

Trustee Cunningham made a motion to approve the purchase of a 2026 Ford F-150 from Ziegler Ford in the amount of \$63,227.63 for ISAT. Trustee Pratscher seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

- Cunningham – Yes
- Pratscher – Yes
- Middlebrooks – Yes
- Kaye – Yes
- Glaser – Absent
- Pisarzewski – Absent

Motion carried.

14. Ordinance 2026-017 – Unlawful Assembly and Disorderly Conduct

Trustee Cunningham made a motion to approve Ordinance 2026-017 amending Section 10-1A-1 of Chapter 10-1 of Title 10 of the Municipal Code related to unlawful assembly and disorderly conduct. Trustee Middlebrooks seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

- Cunningham – Yes
- Middlebrooks – Yes
- Kaye – Yes
- Pratscher – Yes
- Glaser – Absent
- Pisarczyewski – Absent

Motion carried.

15. Purchase of Replacement Warning Siren

Trustee Pratscher made a motion to approve the purchase of a replacement warning siren from Federal Signal in the amount of \$33,501. Trustee Kaye seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

- Pratscher – Yes
- Kaye – Yes
- Middlebrooks – Yes
- Cunningham – Yes
- Glaser – Absent
- Pisarczyewski – Absent

Motion carried.

16. Resolution 2026-010R – Appointment of Health Officer

Trustee Pratscher made a motion to approve Resolution 2026-010R appointing David DuVal as Health Officer for the Village of Thornton. Trustee Cunningham seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Pratscher – Yes
Cunningham – Yes
Kaye – Yes
Middlebrooks – Yes
Glaser – Absent
Pisarczyewski – Absent

Motion carried.

17. Resolution 2026-011R – Reappointment of Fire Chief

Trustee Pratscher made a motion to approve Resolution 2026-011R reappointing Arthur Schweitzer as Fire Chief for the Village of Thornton. Trustee Middlebrooks seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Pratscher – Yes
Middlebrooks – Yes
Kaye – Yes
Cunningham – Yes
Glaser – Absent
Pisarczyewski – Absent

Motion carried.

18. Resolution 2026-009R – Illinois America 250 Commemoration

Trustee Pratscher made a motion to approve Resolution 2026-009R in support of the Illinois America 250 Commemoration. Trustee Middlebrooks seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Pratscher – Yes
Middlebrooks – Yes
Cunningham – Yes
Kaye – Yes
Glaser – Absent
Pisarczyewski – Absent

Motion carried.

19. Public Comment

No public comments were made.

20. Old Business

No old business was discussed.

21. New Business

No new business was discussed.

22. President’s Comments

President Reynolds thanked Village employees, elected officials, residents, and all attendees for their continued support and service to the Village despite the inclement weather.

23. Adjournment

A motion was made by Trustee Pratscher and seconded by Trustee Cunningham to adjourn the meeting.

Voice Vote:
Ayes – All
Nays – None
Absent – Trustees Glaser and Pisarzewski

Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:10PM

Maxine Reynolds, Village President

Nikki Kitakis, Village Clerk

Report Criteria:
Detail report.
Invoices with totals above \$0.00 included.
Only paid invoices included.

Invoice Number	Invoice Date	Description	GL Account and Title	Net Invoice Amount
Ziegler Ford				
5/5/26	05/05/2026	FORD 150	15-68-8063 Vehicle Acquisition	63,227.63
Total Ziegler Ford:				63,227.63
Grand Totals:				63,227.63

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Invoice Number	Invoice Date	Description	GL Account and Title	Net Invoice Amount
GENERAL FUND				
Total GENERAL FUND:				74,492.56
WATER FUND				
Total WATER FUND:				5,976.13
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND				
Total CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND:				50,000.00
SOS GRANT				
Total SOS GRANT:				278,343.58
Grand Totals:				408,812.27

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Report Criteria:

Detail report.
Invoices with totals above \$0.00 included.
Only unpaid invoices included.

Invoice Number	Invoice Date	Description	GL Account and Title	Net Invoice Amount
ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SOLUTIONS				
222437	05/01/2026	PW GENERATOR	01-63-7025 Contract services	269.00
222438	05/01/2026	GENERATOR PD/REC	01-63-7025 Contract services	266.00
222439	05/01/2026	GEN SERVICE NORTH STATION	01-63-7025 Contract services	620.62
Total ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SOLUTIONS:				1,155.62
AMERICAN EXPRESS				
05232026	05/13/2026	LABOR POSTER	01-69-8014 Supplies-operating	84.65
Total AMERICAN EXPRESS:				84.65
ANDREW COSTELLO				
COSTELLO 5/5	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	260.00
Total ANDREW COSTELLO:				260.00
BOSS DOOR COMPANY, INC.				
8161	04/30/2026	PW DOOR REPAIR	01-63-7001 Maint-building	370.00
Total BOSS DOOR COMPANY, INC.:				370.00
BYUNG LIM				
LIM 5/2/26	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	260.00
Total BYUNG LIM:				260.00
CDS OFFICE TECHNOLOGIES				
INV1776836	05/13/2026	COMPUTERS	15-67-8064 Equipment Purchases	997.31
Total CDS OFFICE TECHNOLOGIES:				997.31
CITY OF CHICAGO				
3/1/26-3/31/26	05/13/2026	SALARY REIMBURSEMENT	15-68-7077 Contractual Overtime - Inve	102,900.58
Total CITY OF CHICAGO:				102,900.58
COM ED				
317000-426	05/06/2026	6637317000	01-63-7044 Street light electricity	3,164.50
559410	04/29/2026	0830559410	01-63-7044 Street light electricity	11.76
6610-426	04/29/2026	7453086610	01-63-7041 Electricity-hst s-vldgs	19.69
76000-326	05/06/2026	3353476000	02-74-7041 Electricity-pumps	633.87
88364-326	04/29/2026	3062988364	01-63-7041 Electricity-hst s-vldgs	127.36
97000-426	05/06/2026	4652697000	02-74-7041 Electricity-pumps	177.26
Total COM ED:				4,134.44
DAVID WATSON				
WATSON 5/2/2	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	745.68
Total DAVID WATSON:				745.68

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Invoice Number	Invoice Date	Description	GL Account and Title	Net Invoice Amount
DEARBORN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY				
6/1/26-6/30/26	05/13/2026	LIFE INSURANCE	01-01-2231 EFC contributions payable	1,009.51
Total DEARBORN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY:				1,009.51
DELTA SONIC CAR WASH SYSTEMS, INC.				
0036665	05/04/2026	ADM CAR WASH X4	01-69-7025 Contracted services	63.96
0037067	05/13/2026	CAR WASHES	15-67-7002 Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	5,180.76
Total DELTA SONIC CAR WASH SYSTEMS, INC.:				5,244.72
EAGLE UNIFORM CO., INC.				
51067-3	04/29/2026	UNIFORMS @ F.D.	01-69-8013 Uniforms	240.00
51675-3	05/07/2026	UNIFORM ALLOWANCE	01-67-8013 Uniforms	474.00
51776-3	05/13/2026	UNIFORM ALLOWANCE	01-67-8013 Uniforms	24.00
Total EAGLE UNIFORM CO., INC.:				738.00
ELIZABETH MURILLO				
MURILLO 5/2/2	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	990.90
Total ELIZABETH MURILLO:				990.90
FLOOD BROTHERS DISPOSAL CO.				
MAY 2026	05/11/2026	GARBAGE	01-63-7035 Garbage disposal	23,028.76
Total FLOOD BROTHERS DISPOSAL CO.:				23,028.76
FOSTER COACH SALES, INC.				
30836	04/14/2026	A-145 PARTS	01-69-7002 Maint-vehicles	282.47
30902	05/06/2026	A-145 PARTS	01-69-7002 Maint-vehicles	1,280.70
Total FOSTER COACH SALES, INC.:				1,563.17
FP Mailing Solutions				
RII07223359	05/11/2026	INK	01-59-7065 Postage	198.00
Total FP Mailing Solutions:				198.00
GATEWAY BUSINESS SYSTEMS				
41842758	04/25/2026	PINTER CONTRACT PW	01-63-7025 Contract services	131.50
Total GATEWAY BUSINESS SYSTEMS:				131.50
Great America Financial Services				
41546476	05/07/2026	COPIERS @ PD	01-67-7025 Contractual services	558.00
41819047	05/07/2026	COPIERS @ PD	01-67-7025 Contractual services	558.00
41899859	05/03/2026	IMPACT COPIER	01-61-8007 Computer Support/IT	244.57
Total Great America Financial Services:				1,360.57
GUS BOCK HARDWARE CO.				
413743/1.	05/11/2026	MARKING PAINT	01-63-8014 Supplies-operating	15.96
Total GUS BOCK HARDWARE CO.:				15.96

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Invoice Number	Invoice Date	Description	GL Account and Title	Net Invoice Amount
IL SECRETARY OF STATE				
5/14/26	05/14/2026	PLATE RENEWAL	15-67-7002 Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	158.00
Total IL SECRETARY OF STATE:				158.00
JM Custom T-Shirts				
000847	05/07/2026	UNIFORM ALLOWANCE	01-67-8013 Uniforms	238.00
Total JM Custom T-Shirts:				238.00
JOEY EVERETT				
EVERETT 5/2/	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	260.00
Total JOEY EVERETT:				260.00
JOSUE LANDEROS				
LANDEROS 5/	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	260.00
Total JOSUE LANDEROS:				260.00
KAROL OBARTUCH				
OBARTUCH 5/	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	260.00
Total KAROL OBARTUCH:				260.00
KUSTOM SIGNALS INC.				
626686	05/13/2026	RADAR GUN	01-67-7018 Maint-equipment	898.00
Total KUSTOM SIGNALS INC.:				898.00
LABSOURCE INC				
006673937	05/05/2026	EMS GLOVES	01-69-8014 Supplies-operating	69.60
Total LABSOURCE INC:				69.60
LANER MUCHIN DOMBROW BECKER				
722849	05/12/2026	MARCH 2026 RETAINER	01-54-7071 Legal fees-labor	800.00
Total LANER MUCHIN DOMBROW BECKER:				800.00
LEGACY FIRE APPARATUS				
21835	05/01/2026	A-45 PARTS	01-69-7018 Maint-equipment	376.75
Total LEGACY FIRE APPARATUS:				376.75
LITCHFIELD POLICE DEPT.				
GORMAN 4/2/2	05/11/2026	SALARY REIMBURSEMENT	15-67-7075 ISATT Sworn Law Enforcem	7,803.42
Total LITCHFIELD POLICE DEPT.:				7,803.42
M& M ROOFING INC.				
10401-606494-	04/30/2026	FIRE STATION #1 ROOF	01-63-7001 Maint-building	2,465.00
10401-606590-	05/06/2026	FIRE STATION #2	01-63-7001 Maint-building	1,335.00
10401-606594-	04/30/2026	POLICE DEPT ROOF	01-63-7001 Maint-building	1,410.00
Total M& M ROOFING INC.:				5,210.00

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Master Building Services				
15900.2	05/13/2026	1/2 CLEANING	15-67-7025 Contractual services	500.00
Total Master Building Services:				500.00
MENARD Inc				
20980	05/11/2026	SUPPLIES	01-63-8014 Supplies-operating	19.96
21677	04/23/2026	MISC SUPPLIES	01-63-8014 Supplies-operating	59.54
22359	05/13/2026	FD SUPPLIES	01-69-8014 Supplies-operating	164.66
22439	05/13/2026	FD SUPPLIES	01-69-8014 Supplies-operating	1,214.78
22799	05/13/2026	FD SUPPLIES	01-69-8014 Supplies-operating	184.10
Total MENARD Inc:				1,643.04
PACE ANALYTICAL SERVICES LLC				
267213575	05/11/2026	LEAD COPPER TEST	02-74-7020 Maint-water tests	665.00
Total PACE ANALYTICAL SERVICES LLC:				665.00
PERFECT POTTY, INC.				
34328	05/01/2026	PORTABLE RESTROOM	01-61-7025 Contract services	130.00
Total PERFECT POTTY, INC.:				130.00
RILEY COSTELLO				
COSTELLO 5/4	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	200.00
Total RILEY COSTELLO:				200.00
ROBERT RADECKI				
RADECKI 5/4/2	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	250.00
Total ROBERT RADECKI:				250.00
ROSE PEST SOLUTIONS HD				
4414768	05/11/2026	PEST CONTROL PD	01-63-7001 Maint-building	85.00
Total ROSE PEST SOLUTIONS HD:				85.00
RYAN GORMAN				
GORMAN 5/4/2	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	250.00
Total RYAN GORMAN:				250.00
SCOTT R. WHEATON & ASSOC.				
202605022	05/05/2026	APRL 2026 HEARING	01-54-7073 Legal fees - General	262.50
Total SCOTT R. WHEATON & ASSOC.:				262.50
SECRETARY OF STATE POLICE				
SOS 4/16/26-4/	05/13/2026	SALARY REIMBURSEMENT	15-67-7077 ISATT Sworn Law Enforce	15,868.05
Total SECRETARY OF STATE POLICE:				15,868.05
SHARLEE DUNLOP				
20260430	04/30/2026	MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT	01-61-7031 Motor Fuel	174.29

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Total SHARLEE DUNLOP:				174.29
SIPPLE, ROGER				
SIPPLE 5/4/26	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	250.00
SIPPLE 5/7/26	05/13/2026	REIMBURSEMENT	15-67-7002 Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	360.95
Total SIPPLE, ROGER:				610.95
STEVEN JAROSZ				
JAROSZ 5/4/26	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	1,048.62
Total STEVEN JAROSZ:				1,048.62
STU'S FLAGS				
2315	05/01/2026	VILLAGE HALL FLAGS	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	904.60
2316	05/01/2026	HALF STAFF SERVICE 5/1/26-4/30/27	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	200.00
2318	05/06/2026	FLAGS	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	1,000.00
2319	05/06/2026	FLAGPOLES	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	1,000.00
Total STU'S FLAGS:				3,104.60
T & T BUSINESS SYSTEMS				
125340	05/11/2026	PRINTER VILLAGE	01-51-7025 Contracted Service	211.95
125341	05/11/2026	PRINTER AT FIRE	01-69-7025 Contracted services	168.00
Total T & T BUSINESS SYSTEMS:				379.95
THOMAS PARHAM				
PARHAM 5/1/2	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	368.03
Total THOMAS PARHAM:				368.03
TRUGREEN CHEMLAWN				
222539131	05/06/2026	LAWN SERVICE VILLAGE HALL	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	156.31
222541833	05/06/2026	LAWN SERVICE DIEKELMAN.	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	93.51
222553748	05/06/2026	LAWN SERVICE HUBBARD ST.	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	367.80
222557075	05/06/2026	LAWN SERVICE HUBBARD ST.	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	124.68
222565271	05/06/2026	LAWN SERVICE REC CENTER	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	350.16
222569590	05/06/2026	LAWN SERVICE MIKRUT PARK	01-63-7008 Maint-grounds	166.24
Total TRUGREEN CHEMLAWN:				1,258.70
Trust Tech, LLC				
30130DP	05/14/2026	NETWORK SWITCHES	08-50-8064 Equipment Acquisitions	50,000.00
30130DP	05/14/2026	NETWORK SWITCHES	01-59-8007 Computer Support/IT	1,000.00
30130DP	05/14/2026	NETWORK SWITCHES	01-61-8007 Computer Support/IT	2,300.00
30130DP	05/14/2026	NETWORK SWITCHES	01-63-8007 Computer Support/IT	1,700.00
30130DP	05/14/2026	NETWORK SWITCHES	02-74-8007 Computer Support/IT	4,500.00
30157	05/11/2026	NETWORKING	15-67-8064 Equipment Purchases	6,763.96
30158M	05/14/2026	ANNUAL BACKUP DATTO	01-50-8007 Computer Support	9,192.00
Total Trust Tech, LLC:				75,455.96
VECTOR SOLUTIONS				
125701	09/09/2025	TRAINING	01-69-8007 Computer Support/IT	4,287.90

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Total VECTOR SOLUTIONS:				4,287.90
VILLAGE OF PARK FOREST				
HOSKINS 4/3/2	05/13/2026	OT REIMBURSEMENT	15-67-7077 ISATT Sworn Law Enforce	2,711.31
HOSKINS 4/3/2	05/13/2026	SALARY REIMBURSEMENT	15-67-7075 ISATT Sworn Law Enforcem	25,621.32
Total VILLAGE OF PARK FOREST:				28,332.63
VILLAGE OF STONE PARK				
VICARI 4/3/26-	05/11/2026	SALARY REIMBURSEMENT	15-67-7075 ISATT Sworn Law Enforcem	8,384.33
VICARI 4/3/26-	05/11/2026	OT REIMBURSEMENT	15-67-7077 ISATT Sworn Law Enforce	1,872.90
Total VILLAGE OF STONE PARK:				10,257.23
VILLAGE OF THORNTON SOSDC				
April 2026	05/13/2026	WINGATE	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	119.77
April 2026	05/13/2026	MIDCO	15-67-7002 Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	259.98
April 2026	05/13/2026	COVERT MEDIA	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	250.00
April 2026	05/13/2026	AMAZON	15-67-8012 Materials/Supplies	187.85
April 2026	05/13/2026	AMAZON	15-67-8012 Materials/Supplies	76.34
April 2026	05/13/2026	WINGATE	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	119.77
April 2026	05/13/2026	WINGATE	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	119.77
April 2026	05/13/2026	MIDCO	15-67-7002 Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	285.97
April 2026	05/13/2026	VERIZON CMATTI	15-68-8064 Equipment Purchases	72.02
April 2026	05/13/2026	VERIZON ISATT	15-67-7025 Contractual services	2,908.65
April 2026	05/13/2026	MIDCO	15-67-8063 Vehicle Acquisitions	415.96
April 2026	05/13/2026	AMAZON	15-67-8012 Materials/Supplies	71.61
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	841.80
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	841.80
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	841.80
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	841.80
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	841.80
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	850.80
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-68-8064 Equipment Purchases	645.06
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-68-8064 Equipment Purchases	645.06
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-68-8064 Equipment Purchases	631.35
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-68-8064 Equipment Purchases	631.35
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-68-8064 Equipment Purchases	631.35
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-68-8064 Equipment Purchases	631.35
April 2026	05/13/2026	INN OF LAKE SUPERIOR	15-68-8064 Equipment Purchases	631.35
Total VILLAGE OF THORNTON SOSDC:				14,394.36
WENTWORTH TIRE				
30070180	05/11/2026	JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE	15-67-7002 Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	285.40
30070225	05/11/2026	GMC SIERRA	15-67-7002 Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	121.41
30070315	05/13/2026	GMC SIERRA	15-67-7002 Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	32.00
30070369	05/13/2026	OIL CHANGE	01-67-7002 Maint-vehicles	110.42
Total WENTWORTH TIRE:				549.23
WEST PUBLISHING CORPORATION				
853528024	05/11/2026	SOFTWARE SUBSCRIPTION	15-67-7025 Contractual services	1,310.70
Total WEST PUBLISHING CORPORATION:				1,310.70

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WEX BANK				
112228022	05/11/2026	FUEL FIRE	01-69-7031 Motor fuel	2,793.63
112228023	05/11/2026	FUEL PW	01-63-7031 Motor fuel	1,228.19
112230669	05/11/2026	FUEL PD	01-67-7031 Motor fuel	4,206.98
112263839	05/11/2026	FUEL ISATT	15-67-7002 Vehicle Maintenance/Fuel	13,288.21
Total WEX BANK:				21,517.01
William Moran				
MORAN 5/4/26	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-67-8003 Travel/Training	250.00
Total William Moran:				250.00
ZACHARY BENNIS				
BENNIS 5/2/26	05/11/2026	TRAINING	15-68-8003 Travel & Training	907.75
Total ZACHARY BENNIS:				907.75
Grand Totals:				345,584.64

Report Criteria:
Detail report.
Invoices with totals above \$0.00 included.
Only unpaid invoices included.

THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE
NUMBER 2026-018

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS,
AMENDING ITS MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING THE APPOINTMENT TERMS OF
THE VILLAGE HEALTH OFFICER**

MAXINE REYNOLDS, Village President
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WHEREAS, the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois (the “*Village*”) is a home rule municipality pursuant to Section 6(a), Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, and as such may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs (the “*Home Rule Powers*”); and

WHEREAS, the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village (the “*Corporate Authorities*”) may from time to time amend the text of the Thornton Code when it is determined to be in the best interests of the residents of the Village; and

WHEREAS, Section 1-6G-1 (“*Appointment, qualifications*”) of Chapter 1-6 (“*Village Officers and Employees*”) of Title 1 (“*Administrative*”) and Section 3-7-2(A) (“*Appointments, salary, composition*”) of Chapter 3-7 (“*Board of Health*”) of Title 3 (“*Boards and Commissions*”) of the Thornton Municipal Code (the “*Code*”) establish provisions relating to the appointment of a Health Officer and currently provide that the Health Officer shall be appointed annually as of May 1 of each year; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities desire to amend the Code to eliminate the requirement for annual appointments and instead provide that the Health Officer shall serve until his or her successor is appointed to promote continuity and efficiency in the administration of public health functions; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities have determined that the following change to its Code is in the best interest of the Village and promotes the efficient and effective operation of its public health administration.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois, by and through its Home Rule Powers as follows:

Section 1. That the above recitals and legislative findings are found to be true and correct and are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof, as if fully set forth in their entirety.

Section 2. Section 1-6G-1 (“*Appointment, qualifications*”) of Chapter 1-6 (“*Village Officers and Employees*”) of Title 1 (“*Administrative*”) of the Thornton Code is hereby amended by deleting the stricken language and adding the underlined language to read, as follows:

Section 1-6G-1: Appointment, qualifications.

A Health Officer shall be appointed ~~annually as of May 1 of each year~~ by the Village President and with the consent of the Board of Trustees. The Health Officer shall serve until his or her successor is appointed. The Health Officer shall be experienced in the administration of public health matters. He need not be a resident of the Village.

Section 3. Section 3-7-2(A) (“*Appointments, salary, composition*”) of Chapter 3-7 (“*Board of Health*”) of Title 3 (“*Boards and Commissions*”) of the Thornton Code is hereby amended by deleting the stricken language and adding the underlined language to read, as follows:

Section 3-7-2(A): Appointments, salary, composition.

A. A Health Officer shall be appointed ~~annually as of May 1 of each year~~ by the Village President and with the consent of the Board of Trustees. The Health Officer shall serve until his or her successor is appointed. He is responsible to the Village President and the Board of Trustees for the efficient administration and enforcement of health and sanitation regulations in the Village, as well as the health and sanitation laws of the State of Illinois and the health and sanitation ordinances of the County of Cook. The Health Officer shall be experienced in the administration of public health matters. He need not be a resident of the Village.

Section 4. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any other provision of this Ordinance.

Section 5. All ordinances, resolutions, motions or orders in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

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ADOPTED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton,
Cook County, Illinois this 18th day of May 2026, pursuant to a roll call vote, as follows:

	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
CUNNINGHAM				
GLASER				
KAYE				
MIDDLEBROOKS				
PISARZEWSKI				
PRATSCHER				
VILLAGE PRESIDENT REYNOLDS				
TOTAL				

APPROVED by the Village President of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois
on this 18th day of May 2026.

MAXINE REYNOLDS
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

NIKKI KITAKIS
VILLAGE CLERK

THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE
NUMBER 2026-019

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS,
AMENDING SECTION 2-4A-1 (“*APPOINTMENT*”) OF CHAPTER 2-4 (“*FIRE
DEPARTMENT*”) OF TITLE 2 (“*DEPARTMENT AND DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS*”) OF
ITS MUNICIPAL CODE RELATED TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE FIRE CHIEF**

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AMENDING SECTION 2-4A-1 (“APPOINTMENT”) OF CHAPTER 2-4 (“FIRE
DEPARTMENT”) OF TITLE 2 (“DEPARTMENT AND DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS”) OF
ITS MUNICIPAL CODE RELATED TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE FIRE CHIEF**

WHEREAS, the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois (the “*Village*”) is a home rule municipality pursuant to Section 6(a), Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, and as such may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs (the “*Home Rule Powers*”); and

WHEREAS, the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village (the “*Corporate Authorities*”) may from time to time amend the text of the Thornton Code when it is determined to be in the best interests of the residents of the Village; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-4A-1 of the Thornton Municipal Code (the “*Code*”) currently provides that the Fire Chief is appointed for a fixed annual term from May 1 to April 30; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities desire to amend such provision to eliminate the fixed annual term and clarify that the appointment is not limited to an annual term; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities have determined that the following changes to the Code are in the best interest of the Village and promote the efficient and consistent administration of the Fire Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois, by and through its Home Rule Powers as follows:

Section 1. That the above recitals and legislative findings are found to be true and correct and are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof, as if fully set forth in their entirety.

Section 2. Section 2-4A-1 (“*Appointment*”) of Article A of Chapter 2-4 (“*Fire Department*”) of Title 2 (“*Departments and Department Officials*”) of the Thornton Code is hereby amended by deleting the stricken language and adding the underlined language to read, as follows:

Section 2-4A-1: Appointment.

The Fire Chief shall be appointed by the Village President by and with the consent and advice of the Board of Trustees and shall hold office until a successor has been appointed and qualified. ~~His appointment shall be from May 1 to April 30.~~

Section 3. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any other provision of this Ordinance.

Section 4. All ordinances, resolutions, motions or orders in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

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ADOPTED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton,
Cook County, Illinois this 18th day of May 2026, pursuant to a roll call vote, as follows:

	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
CUNNINGHAM				
GLASER				
KAYE				
MIDDLEBROOKS				
PISARZEWSKI				
PRATSCHER				
VILLAGE PRESIDENT REYNOLDS				
TOTAL				

APPROVED by the Village President of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois
on this 18th day of May 2026.

MAXINE REYNOLDS
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

NIKKI KITAKIS
VILLAGE CLERK

THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE
NUMBER 2026-020

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS,
AMENDING CHAPTER 3-6 (“*EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY*”) OF TITLE 3
 (“*BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS*”) OF ITS MUNICIPAL CODE RELATED TO THE
VILLAGE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY**

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AMENDING CHAPTER 3-6 (“*EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY*”) OF TITLE 3
 (“*BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS*”) OF ITS MUNICIPAL CODE RELATED TO THE
VILLAGE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY**

WHEREAS, the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois (the “*Village*”) is a home rule municipality pursuant to Section 6(a), Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, and as such may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs (the “*Home Rule Powers*”); and

WHEREAS, the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village (the “*Corporate Authorities*”) may from time to time amend the text of the Thornton Municipal Code (the “*Code*”) when it is determined to be in the best interests of the residents of the Village; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 3-6 (“*Emergency Management Agency*”) of Title 3 (“*Boards and Commissions*”) of the Code currently establishes the Village of Thornton Emergency Management Agency (“*EMA*”) and provides for the appointment and duties of the EMA Coordinator; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities desire to amend Chapter 3-6 of the Code to remove provisions related to the prior member-based operational structure of the EMA while retaining the Village’s emergency management framework and EMA Coordinator position pursuant to the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act, 20 ILCS 3305/1 *et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities have determined that the following changes to the Code are in the best interest of the Village’s emergency management functions and are in the best interests of the Village.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois, by and through its Home Rule Powers as follows:

Section 1. That the above recitals and legislative findings are found to be true and correct and are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof, as if fully set forth in their entirety.

Section 2. Chapter 3-6 (“*Emergency Management Agency*”) of Title 3 (“*Boards and Commissions*”) of the Thornton Code is hereby amended by deleting the stricken language and adding the underlined language to read, as follows:

ARTICLE A – GENERAL PROVISIONS.

§ 3-6A-1 - Established.

- A. There is hereby created the Village of Thornton Emergency Management Agency (EMA) to prevent, minimize, repair and alleviate injury or damage resulting from disaster caused by enemy attack, sabotage or other hostile action, or from natural or man-made disaster, in accordance with the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act, 20 ILCS 3305/1 et seq.
- B. The EMA shall consist of the Coordinator, ~~and such additional members, who must be 18 years of age and over, as may be selected by the Coordinator.~~
- C. ~~The Village President is authorized to designate space in a Village building, or elsewhere as may be provided for by the Village President, for the Village EMA as its office.~~

§ 3-6A-2- Powers and duties; functions.

A. General function. The Village EMA shall perform such EMA functions within the Village as shall be prescribed in and by the Illinois Emergency Management Agency (IEMA) plan and program prepared by the Governor, and such orders, rules and regulations as may be promulgated by the Governor, and, in addition, shall perform such duties outside the corporate limits as may be required pursuant to any mutual aid agreement with any other political subdivision, municipality or quasi-municipality entered into as provided in 20 ILCS 3305/1 et seq.

~~B. Mobile support team. All or any members of the Village EMA organization may be designated as members of a mobile support team created by the Director of the State IEMA as provided by law.~~

- ~~1. The leader of such mobile support team shall be designated by the Coordinator of the Village EMA organization.~~
- ~~2. Any member of a mobile support team who is a Village employee or officer, while serving on call to duty by the Governor or the State Director of IEMA, shall receive the compensation and have the powers, duties, rights and immunities incident to such employment or office. Any such member who is not a paid officer or employee of the Village, while so serving, shall receive from the state reasonable compensation as provided by law.~~

~~€.~~ B. Mutual aid agreements. The Coordinator of EMA may negotiate mutual aid agreements with other villages or political subdivisions of the state, but no such agreement shall be effective until it has been approved by the Village President and by the State Director of IEMA.

~~Đ.~~ C. Cooperate in emergency. If the Governor proclaims that a disaster emergency exists in the event of actual enemy attack upon the United States, or the occurrence within the State of Illinois of a major disaster resulting from enemy sabotage or other hostile action, or from man-made or natural disaster, it shall be the duty of the Village EMA to cooperate fully with the State IEMA and with the Governor in the exercise of emergency powers as provided by law.

~~§ 3-6A-3- Compensation.~~

- ~~A. Members of the EMA who are paid employees or officers of the Village, if called for training by the State Director of IEMA, shall receive for the time spent in such training the same rate of pay as is attached to the position held; members who are not such Village employees or officers shall receive for such training time such compensation as may be established by the Village President.~~
- ~~B. Members will be compensated for planned events within the Village or at the request of another municipality (i.e., parades, 5k runs, fests, etc.), emergencies, training, and mutual aid assistance. Members' compensation will be set by the annual appropriation ordinance. Members will receive payment biweekly.~~

§ 3-6A-4- Oath.

Prior to assuming the duties of EMA Coordinator, the Coordinator shall take and file any oath required pursuant to the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act, 20 ILCS 3305/1 et seq.

~~Every person appointed to serve in any capacity in the Village EMA organization shall, before entering upon his duties, subscribe to the following oath, which shall be filed with the Coordinator:~~

~~"I, _____, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend and bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Illinois, and the territory, institutions and facilities thereof, both public and private, against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter, and I do further swear (or affirm) that I do not advocate, nor am I, nor have I been, a member of any political party or organization that advocates the overthrow of the government of the United States or of this state by force or violence; and that during such time as I am affiliated with the Village of Thornton, I will not advocate nor become a member of any political party or organization that advocates the overthrow of the government of the United States or of this state by force or violence."~~

§ 3-6A-5- Financial provisions.

- A. Purchases and expenditures.

1. The Village President may, with the consent of the Board, on recommendation of the Village Coordinator of EMA, authorize any purchase or contracts necessary to place the Village in a position to combat effectively any disaster resulting from the explosion of any nuclear or other bomb or missile, and to protect the public health and safety, protect property and provide emergency assistance to victims in the case of such disaster, or from man-made or natural disaster.
 2. In the event of enemy-caused or other disaster, the Village EMA Coordinator is authorized, on behalf of the Village, to procure such services, supplies, equipment or material as may be necessary for such purpose, in view of the exigency, without regard to the statutory procedures or formalities normally prescribed by law pertaining to Village contracts or obligations, as authorized by 20 ILCS 3305/1 et seq., provided that if the Village Board of Trustees meets at such time he shall act subject to the directions and restrictions imposed by that body.
- ~~B. Reimbursement by state. The State Treasurer may receive and allocate to the appropriate fund any reimbursement by the state to the Village for expenses incident to training members of the EMA as prescribed by the State Director of IEMA, as compensation for services and expenses of members of a mobile support team while serving outside the Village in response to a call by the Governor or State Director of IEMA as provided by law, and any other reimbursement made by the state incident to EMA activities as provided by law.~~
- ~~C. B.~~ Appropriation; tax levy. The Village Board may make an appropriation for EMA purposes in the manner provided by law, and may levy, in addition, for EMA purposes only, a tax not to exceed \$0.05 per \$100 of the assessed value of all taxable property in addition to all other taxes, as provided by 20 ILCS 3305/1 et seq.; however, that amount collectable under such levy shall in no event exceed \$0.25 per capita.

ARTICLE B – EMA COORDINATOR

§ 3-6B-1- Appointment.

The Coordinator of the Village EMA shall be appointed by the Village President and shall serve until his or her successor has been appointed and qualified, unless sooner removed by the Village President. ~~removed by same.~~

§ 3-6B-2- Acting Coordinator.

In the event of the absence, resignation, death or inability to serve as the Coordinator, the Village President, or any person designated by him, shall be and act as Coordinator until a new appointment is made as provided in this chapter.

§ 3-6B-3- Powers and duties.

The Coordinator shall have direct responsibility for the ~~organization~~, administration, training and operation of the EMA, subject to the direction and control of the Village President as provided by statute.

Section 3. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any other provision of this Ordinance.

Section 4. All ordinances, resolutions, motions or orders in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

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ADOPTED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton,
Cook County, Illinois this 18th day of May 2026, pursuant to a roll call vote, as follows:

	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
CUNNINGHAM				
GLASER				
KAYE				
MIDDLEBROOKS				
PISARZEWSKI				
PRATSCHER				
VILLAGE PRESIDENT REYNOLDS				
TOTAL				

APPROVED by the Village President of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois
on this 18th day of May 2026.

MAXINE REYNOLDS
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

NIKKI KITAKIS
VILLAGE CLERK

THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

RESOLUTION
NUMBER 2026-012R

**A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS,
AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BY
AND BETWEEN THE VILLAGE AND SOUTHLAND PUBLIC SAFETY
COMMUNICATIONS RELATED TO PUBLIC SAFETY RESPONSE SERVICES**

MAXINE REYNOLDS, Village President
NIKKI KITAKIS, Village Clerk

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COMMUNICATIONS RELATED TO PUBLIC SAFETY RESPONSE SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois (the “*Village*”) is a home rule municipality pursuant to Section 6(a), Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, and as such may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs (the “*Home Rule Powers*”); and

WHEREAS, the Illinois Intergovernmental Cooperation Act, 5 ILCS 220/1 et seq., authorizes agreements between governmental bodies; and

WHEREAS, the Village and Southland Public Safety Communications desire to enter into an intergovernmental agreement related to public safety response services, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit A (the “*Agreement*”); and

WHEREAS, the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton (the “*Corporate Authorities*”) deem it advisable and in the best interest of the Village to approve the Agreement and authorize its execution pursuant to the Village’s Home Rule Powers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois, by and through its Home Rule Powers as follows:

Section 1. That the above recitals and legislative findings are found to be true and correct and are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof, as if fully set forth in their entirety.

Section 2. The Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit A, is hereby approved in substantially the form presented to the Village Board with such necessary non-material changes as may be authorized by the Village President.

Section 3. The Village President and Village Administrator are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver the Agreement and any and all documents necessary to implement the provisions, terms and conditions thereof, as therein described.

Section 4. The officials and officers of the Village are hereby authorized to undertake actions on the part of the Village as necessary to implement the terms of this Resolution and as contained in the Agreement to complete satisfaction of the provisions, terms or conditions stated therein.

Section 5. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Resolution shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any other provision of this Resolution.

Section 6. All ordinances, resolutions, motions or orders in conflict with this Resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 7. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

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PASSED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois this 18th day of May 2026, pursuant to a roll call vote, as follows:

	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
CUNNINGHAM				
GLASER				
KAYE				
MIDDLEBROOKS				
PISARZEWSKI				
PRATSCHER				
VILLAGE PRESIDENT REYNOLDS				
TOTAL				

APPROVED by the Village President of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois on this 18th day of May 2026.

MAXINE REYNOLDS
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

NIKKI KITAKIS
VILLAGE CLERK

Exhibit A

Agreement

(see attached)

**AGREEMENT FOR USE OF PROPERTY BETWEEN
VILLAGE (CITY) OF _____ AND
SOUTHLAND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS**

I. GENERAL TERMS

A. This Agreement is made between the Village (City) of _____, located at _____, Illinois (hereinafter “Municipality”) and Southland Public Safety Communications, located at 3700 West 183rd Street, Hazel Crest, Illinois 60429 (hereinafter “Southland”).

B. This Agreement shall commence on _____ and shall be in effect for one (1) year thereafter. The Agreement shall be automatically renewed at the end of the initial term on a year-to-year basis unless either party provides ninety (90) days written notice to the other party of their intent to terminate the Agreement.

II. USE OF THE PROPERTY

A. Southland will have the right to maintain all equipment as detailed on attached addendum and install or update equipment as necessary on the water tower, building or other public structure located at _____. Said equipment is to be utilized by Southland for facilitating a public safety response and the provision of such service to the community will serve as consideration to the Municipality. Southland for its Police and Fire operations shall have twenty-four (24) hour a day access to the water tower, building or other public structure and _____ (insert any other spatial requirements, i.e. cabinets, etc.). Southland shall have access to a communication provider network interface.

B. Each party to this Agreement will bear their own costs associated with the use of the water tower, building or other public structure by Southland.

C. Each party will be responsible for all utility costs associated with the use of the water tower, building or other public structure.

III. MAINTENANCE

A. From time to time, said Municipality may choose to paint or do other maintenance on the water tower, building or other public structure itself. If said maintenance process requires the removal of any or all of the Southland equipment, the Municipality shall bear the full costs of said removal. Southland shall maintain sole discretion to elect the contractors to perform the removal and replacement work on its equipment.

B. Any maintenance, service, replacement or repair done to the Southland equipment that is initiated by Southland and that is not a result of the Municipality’s maintenance to or painting of the water tower, building or other public structure shall be borne by Southland.

C. The cost of any repair or replacement of the Southland equipment as a result of damage from an act of nature shall be borne solely by Southland. The cost of any repair to the water tower, building or other public structure as a result of damage from an act of nature shall be borne solely by the Municipality.

D. Southland shall have twenty-four (24) hour access to the water tower, building or other public structure and its equipment to maintain, service, replace, or repair its equipment.

E. Southland shall operate and perform maintenance on its equipment on Municipality's facilities in such a manner that will not cause interference to the Municipality; and other lessees whose leases proceed the date of this agreement, and any of their operations.

F. Southland will comply with all Federal Communication Commission (FCC) license and tower requirements.

IV. TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

A. This Agreement may be terminated without further liability on ninety (90) days written notice as follows:

1. By either party upon a default of any covenant or term hereof by the other party, which default is not cured within ninety (90) days of receipt of written notice of default.
2. By the Municipality if Southland fails to meet the requirements set forth in this Agreement.
3. By Southland or by the Municipality, for any reason or no reason provided ninety (90) days written notice is provided.

B. Within sixty (60) days of the date of termination of this Agreement, Southland will, at their expense, remove all equipment and attachments from the Municipality property and return the property to the condition that existed at the time Southland placed their equipment on the Municipality's property.

V. WAIVER OF SUBROGATION

A. The Municipality and Southland release each other and their respective principals, employees, representatives and agents from any claims for damage to any person or to the property caused by, or that resulted from, risks insured under any insurance policies carried by the parties and in force at the time of any such damage. Both parties shall cause each insurance policy obtained by them to provide that the insurance company waives all right of recovery by way of subrogation against the other in connection with any damage covered by any policy. Neither party shall be liable to the other for any damage caused by fire or any of the risks insured against under any insurance policy required in paragraph VI.

VI. INSURANCE

A. Southland, at their sole expense, shall procure and maintain on the Municipality property bodily injury and property damage insurance with a combined single limit of at least \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Such insurance shall insure, on an occurrence basis, against liability of Southland arising out of or in connection with Southland's use of the Municipality water tower, building or other public structure.

VII. LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY

A. Southland shall indemnify and hold the Municipality harmless from all claims (including attorney's fees, costs and expenses of defending against such claims) arising from the negligence or willful misconduct of Southland or their agents or employees in or about the leased property.

B. The Municipality shall indemnify and hold Southland harmless from all claims (including attorney's fees, costs and expenses of defending against such claims) arising or alleged to arise from the acts or omissions of the Municipality or its agents, employees, contractors or other tenants occurring in or about the leased property.

C. Nothing in Sections V, VI, or VII of this Agreement shall in any way abrogate or nullify any immunity provisions available to Southland or Municipality under the terms of Illinois law.

VIII. MISCELLANEOUS

A. This Agreement constitutes the entire Agreement and understanding between the parties and supersedes all offers, negotiations and other Agreements concerning the subject matter contained herein. Any amendments to this Agreement must be in writing and executed by both parties.

B. If any provision of this Agreement is invalid or unenforceable with respect to any party, the remainder of this Agreement or the application of such provision to persons other than those as to whom it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected and each provision of this Agreement shall be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.

C. This Agreement shall be binding on and inure to the benefit of the successors and permitted assignees of the respective parties.

D. Any notice or demand required to give herein shall be made by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, or reliable overnight courier to the address of the respective parties set forth below:

Municipality:

Southland:

Southland Public Safety Communications
3700 W. 183rd Street
Hazel Crest, IL 60429
ATTN: Executive Director

E. The laws of the State of Illinois shall govern this Agreement.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

VILLAGE(CITY) OF _____

SOUTHLAND PUBLIC SAFETY
COMMUNICATIONS

By: _____

By: _____

Date: _____

Date: _____

THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

RESOLUTION
NUMBER 2026-013R

**A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS,
APPOINTING DAVID DUVAL AS THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY
(EMA) COORDINATOR FOR THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON**

MAXINE REYNOLDS, Village President
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APPOINTING DAVID DUVALL AS THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY
(EMA) COORDINATOR FOR THE VILLAGE OF THORNTON**

WHEREAS, the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois (the “*Village*”) is a home rule municipality pursuant to Section 6(a), Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, and as such may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs (the “*Home Rule Powers*”); and

WHEREAS, Chapter 3-6 (“*Emergency Management Agency*”) of Title 3 (“*Boards and Commissions*”) of the Thornton Code and the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act, 20 ILCS 3305/1 et seq., provide for the appointment of an EMA Coordinator by the Village President; and

WHEREAS, the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton (the “*Corporate Authorities*”) desire to appoint Deputy Fire Chief David Duvall as Emergency Management Agency (EMA) Coordinator for the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities deem it advisable and in the best interest of the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the Village to appoint David Duvall as EMA Coordinator of the Village.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois, by and through its Home Rule Powers as follows:

Section 1. That the above recitals and legislative findings are found to be true and correct and are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof, as if fully set forth in their entirety.

Section 2. David Duvall is hereby appointed as EMA Coordinator for the Village of Thornton, such appointment to commence upon the passage of this Resolution and shall continue

until a successor has been appointed and qualified, unless sooner removed by the Village President.

Section 3. The Village President, Village Administrator, and Village Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to deliver any and all documents necessary to implement the provisions, terms and conditions of this Resolution.

Section 4. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Resolution shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any other provision of this Resolution.

Section 5. All ordinances, resolutions, motions or orders in conflict with this Resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 6. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

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PASSED by the Village President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Thornton, Cook County, Illinois this 18th day of May 2026, pursuant to a roll call vote, as follows:

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MAXINE REYNOLDS
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

NIKKI KITAKIS
VILLAGE CLERK