

ORDINANCE No. 2025-10

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2, SECTIONS 2-201 AND 2-231 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE, VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, ILLINOIS REGARDING VILLAGE OFFICERS AND ASSIGNED RESPONSIBILITIES

WHEREAS, the Village of Stickney (the "Village") is a home rule municipal corporation in accordance with Article VII, Section 6(a) of the Constitution of the State of Illinois of 1970; and

WHEREAS, the Village has the authority to adopt ordinances and to promulgate rules and regulations that pertain to its government and affairs, and to review, interpret and amend its ordinances, rules and regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Village President (the "President") and the Board of Trustees of the Village (the "Village Board" and with the President, the "Corporate Authorities") are committed to ensuring the health, safety and welfare of Village residents and to the efficient operation of the Village; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 2, Section 201 of the Municipal Code, Village of Stickney (the "Village Code") establishes the office of Village Treasurer and Chapter 2, Section 231 establishes the office of Village Collector; and

WHEREAS, it has been the past practice of the Village to assign the responsibilities and powers of the Village Treasurer and Village Collector to the Village's Finance Director; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities have determined that it is in the best interests of the Village and its residents to amend Chapter 2, Sections 2-201 and 2-231 to reflect the existing practice of assigning the responsibilities and powers of the Village Treasurer and Village Collector to the Finance Director; and

WHEREAS, based upon the foregoing, the Corporate Authorities have determined that it is necessary, advisable and in the best interests of the Village and its residents to amend Chapter 2, Sections 2-201 and 2-231 of the Village Code as set forth herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

ARTICLE I. IN GENERAL

SECTION 1. INCORPORATION CLAUSE.

The Corporate Authorities hereby find that all of the recitals hereinbefore stated as contained in the preambles to this Ordinance are full, true and correct and do hereby, by reference, incorporate and make them part of this Ordinance as legislative findings.

SECTION 2. PURPOSE.

The purpose of this Ordinance is to amend Chapter 2, Sections 2-201 and 2-231 of the Village Code as set forth herein and to authorize the President or his designee to take all action necessary to carry out the intent of this Ordinance.

ARTICLE II.
**AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2-201 AND SECTION 2-231 OF THE MUNICIPAL
CODE, VILLAGE OF STICKNEY, ILLINOIS**

SECTION 3.0. AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2-201.

That the Village Code is hereby amended, notwithstanding any provision, ordinance, resolution or Village Code section to the contrary, by amending Chapter 2, Section 2-201 as follows:

DIVISION 3 – VILLAGE TREASURER

Sec. 2-201 – Generally.

There is hereby created the office of village treasurer, who shall be appointed by the president by and with the consent of the board of trustees for a term of one year. The president, with the advice and consent of the board of trustees, may alternatively appoint a finance director for the village, who shall thereafter serve as the village treasurer and have all powers and duties related thereto.

SECTION 3.1. AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2-231.

That the Village Code is hereby amended, notwithstanding any provision, ordinance, resolution or Village Code section to the contrary, by amending Chapter 2, Section 2-231 as follows:

DIVISION 3 – VILLAGE COLLECTOR

Sec. 2-231. – Office created.

There is hereby created the office of village collector, an executive office of the village. The village collector shall be appointed by the president by and with the consent of the board of trustees for a term of one year. The president, with the advice and consent of the board of trustees, may alternatively appoint a finance director for the village, who shall thereafter serve as the village collector and have all powers and duties related thereto.

SECTION 3.2. OTHER ACTIONS AUTHORIZED.

The officers, employees and/or agents of the Village shall take all action necessary or reasonably required to carry out, give effect to and consummate the amendments contemplated by this Ordinance, and shall take all action necessary in conformity therewith. The officers, employees and/or agents of the Village are specifically authorized and directed to draft and disseminate any and all necessary forms or notices to be utilized in connection with the intent of this Ordinance.

**ARTICLE III.
HEADINGS, SAVINGS CLAUSES, PUBLICATION,
EFFECTIVE DATE**

SECTION 4. HEADINGS.

The headings of the articles, sections, paragraphs and subparagraphs of this Ordinance are inserted solely for the convenience of reference and form no substantive part of this Ordinance nor should they be used in any interpretation or construction of any substantive provision of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY.

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and should any provision of this Ordinance be determined to be in conflict with any law, statute or regulation by a court of competent jurisdiction, said provision shall be excluded and deemed inoperative, unenforceable and as though not provided for herein and all other provisions shall remain unaffected, unimpaired, valid and in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. SUPERSEDER.

All code provisions, ordinances, resolutions, rules and orders, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby superseded.

SECTION 7. PUBLICATION.

A full, true and complete copy of this Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form or in a newspaper published and of general circulation within the Village as provided by the Illinois Municipal Code, as amended.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED this 19TH day of August, 2025.

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

ABSTENTION:

APPROVED by me this 19th day of August, 2025.

Jeff Walik, President

**ATTESTED AND FILED in my
office this 19th day of August, 2025.**

Mitch Milenkovic, Village Clerk