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WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 3.36 of the Grayslake Village Code and pursuant to statutory authority granted by Section 8-11-2 of the Illinois Municipal Code, 65ILCS 5/8-11-2, the Village currently imposes a municipal utilities tax upon persons engaging in the business of distributing, supplying, furnishing, or selling electricity for use or consumption within the corporate limits of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Village has determined that is in the best interests of the Village and its residents to amend the rates on which the tax shall be calculated;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF GRAYSLAKE, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Section 3.36.020 of the Grayslake Village Code is hereby amended to read as follows.

A tax is established and levied upon the privilege of using or consuming electricity acquired in a purchase at retail and used or consumed within the corporate limits of the village at the following rates, calculated on a monthly basis for each purchaser:

- A. For the first two thousand (2,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.564 cents per kilowatt-hour;
- B. For the next forty-eight thousand (48,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.370 cents per kilowatt-hours;
- C. For the next fifty thousand (50,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.332 cents per kilowatt-hour;
- D. For the next four hundred thousand (400,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.324 cents per kilowatt-hour;
- E. For the next five hundred thousand (500,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.314 cents per kilowatt-hour;
- F. For the next two million (2,000,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.296 cents per kilowatt-hour;
- G. For the next two million (2,000,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.292 cents per kilowatt-hour;
- H. For the next five million (5,000,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.286 cents per kilowatt-hour;
- I. For the next ten million (10,000,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.282 cents per kilowatt-hour;
- J. For the next twenty million (20,000,000) kilowatt-hours used or consumed in a month: 0.278 cents per kilowatt-hour.

SECTION 2. Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding pending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action arising, acquired or existing under any act or

ordinance or portion thereof hereby repealed or amended by this ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right, claim, penalty or remedy of any character of the corporate authority existing on the effective date hereof be lost, impaired or affected by this ordinance.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. If any provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or part of this ordinance or application thereof to any person, firm, corporation, public agency or circumstance, shall, for any reason, be adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, said judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of this ordinance and the application of such provision to other persons, firms, corporation, or circumstances, but shall be confined in its operation to the provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered and to the person, firm, corporation, or authorities that this ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional or invalid provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or part thereof not been included.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as required by law.

The foregoing Ordinance was passed this 21st day of October 2003, by a vote as follows:

Ayes: Douglas, Hunt, Rebin, Wafel

Nays: Taylor

Absent and Not Voting: Barratt

Approved: Timothy Perry
Village President

Attest: [Signature]
Deputy Village Clerk

