



**VILLAGE OF RIVER GROVE, ILLINOIS**  
2621 THATCHER AVENUE, RIVER GROVE, ILLINOIS, 60171  
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**NOTICE AND AGENDA OF A PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING  
THE PROPOSED BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR  
BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2025 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2025  
FOR THE VILLAGE OF RIVER GROVE, ILLINOIS**

**ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 02, 2024 AT 6:00 PM**  
**at the Senior Community Center/ Courtroom, 2607 N Thatcher Ave, River Grove**

Interested parties attending the hearing will be allowed to make public comment during the public comment section of the hearing. Any individual may email any public comments to [publiccomment@rivergroveil.gov](mailto:publiccomment@rivergroveil.gov). Emails received by 5 p.m. the night of any meeting/ hearing will be read or summarized during the public comment session.

**AGENDA**

(1) **6:00 PM CALL TO ORDER**: By President Guerin (Time: \_\_\_\_\_)

(2) **ROLL CALL ATTENDANCE**: By Clerk Manchen:

President David B. Guerin _____	Trustee Lynn M. Bjorvik _____	Trustee Lora M. Lantgen _____
Clerk Marjorie A. Manchen _____	Trustee Robert C. Thomas _____	Trustee Benjamin E. Ramirez _____
	Trustee Christopher Lilly _____	Trustee Frank J. Obaya _____

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(3) **NOTICE**: Acknowledging Publication and Notice of the Public Hearing: By the Clerk.

The Notice of Public Hearing was published by the Chicago Tribune Media Group, in the Elm Leaves edition, on November 21, 2024 (copied hereinafter). Also, this public hearing will occur during the December 02, 2024 Regular Board Meeting, notice of which including date, time and location was published in the Tribune Media Group (formerly known as Pioneer Press), Elm Leaves edition, on December 14, 2023.

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(4) **PRESENTATION OF THE BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2025**, and **RIVER GROVE ORDINANCE NO. 2024-28**. By Village Comptroller, Greg Peters.

**ORDINANCE NO. 2024-28**. An Ordinance Making an Appropriation for General Corporate Purposes; for Police Pension Fund; for General Obligation Debt Service Fund; for Motor Fuel Tax Fund; for Tax Increment Finance Funds; and for Capital Improvement Fund for the Fiscal Year January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025, for the Village of River Grove, Cook County, Illinois.

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FY2025 General Corporate Purposes	\$19,322,565
FY2025 Special Taxation Purposes	\$27,538,748
Total FY2025 Appropriation	\$46,861,313

**Note:** *The public reading of ORDINANCE NO. 2024-28, and action with regard to said Ordinance, will occur during the public board meeting scheduled for December 02, 2024.* See separate Agenda.

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(5) **Comments and Questions from the Board Members:**

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(6) **Comments and Questions from the Public and Press:**

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(7) **Further Board Discussion, if any:**

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(8) **EXECUTIVE / CLOSED SESSION (If Needed):** A motion will be needed to go into a closed, executive session of the board to discuss the following items:

- a. Pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2(c) (1), the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body. Includes FOP grievance.
  - b. Pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2(c) (2), the Board shall hold a closed meeting session to consider the status of negotiations between the Village of River Grove and Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 59, i.e. collective negotiating matters between the public body and its employees or their representatives, or deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees.
  - c. Pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(2), the board to discuss and deliberate salary schedules for one or more classes of municipal employees, including the implementation of salary schedules in lieu of an arbitrary salary and wage process and subsequent increases in salaries or wages.
  - d. Pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(5) and (6), the board to discuss and deliberate the purchase, sale and/or lease of specific real property, including 8359 Grand Avenue, 8300 Center Street and the Center Street Expansion, 2212 Elm Street, and 8514 River Grove Avenue.
  - e. Pursuant to (5 ILCS 120/2(c)(11), the board to discuss litigation regarding a local tax which is probable or imminent, and the basis for such a finding is that a draft complaint has been presented to the village by the complaining party, and this fact shall be recorded and entered into the minutes of the closed portion of this meeting.
  - f. Pursuant to (5 ILCS 120/2(c)(8), the board to consider and discuss security procedures and the use of personnel and equipment to respond to an actual, threatened, or reasonably potential threats or danger to the safety of employees, students, staff, public property or the public in general, including use of all police and building department personnel, gang activities, school safety matters, and the operation and maintenance of the 9-1-1 Center.
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(9)     **ADJOURNMENT:** (Time: \_\_\_\_\_)

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Prepared by: Marjorie A. Manchen, JD, MMC  
Village Clerk

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Approved by: David. B. Guerin,  
Village President

Cc:       Bulletin Boards at Village Hall and at Senior/ Community Center  
          Village Website  
          Board members & Department heads (via e-mail)

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Said hearing may be continued without further notice except as required by the Illinois Open Meetings Act. The proposed budget may be revised and passed without any further notice or hearing.

Dated: November 13, 2024

/s/\_\_\_\_\_

MARJORIE A MANCHEN  
VILLAGE CLERK,  
VILLAGE OF RIVER  
GROVE, ILLINOIS

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