



**NOTICE OF MEETING OF JOINT REVIEW BOARD
(31st Street/Barnsdale Road Redevelopment Project Area)**

Village of La Grange Park
Dr. Jim Discipio, Village President
447 N. Catherine Avenue
La Grange Park, Illinois 60526

La Grange Park Public Library District
Gabe Oppenheim, Executive Director
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La Grange Park, Illinois 60526

Lyons Township High School District 204
Brian Waterman, Superintendent
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La Grange Park, Illinois 60525

Cook County - Government Center
Maria Pappas, Treasurer
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Chicago, Illinois 60602

DuPage Community College District 502
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Proviso Township
Michael A. Corrigan, Supervisor
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Community Park District of La Grange Park
Jessica Cannaday, Executive Director
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La Grange School District 102
Dr. Chris Covino, Superintendent
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Dr. Mark Kuzniewski
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Komarek School District 94
Todd Fitzgerald, Superintendent
8940 W. 24th Street
North Riverside, Illinois 60546

Riverside Brookfield High School District 208
Kevin Skinkis, Superintendent
160 Ridgewood Road
Riverside, Illinois 60546

Proviso Township High Schools District 209
Mr. Krish Mohip, Superintendent
8601 Roosevelt Road
Forest Park, Illinois 60130

Triton Community College District 504
Mary-Rita Moore, President
2000 Fifth Avenue
River Grove, Illinois 60171

Metropolitan Water Reclamation District
Kari Steele, President
100 East Erie Street
Chicago, IL 60611

Desplaines Valley Mosquito Abatement District
Reatha S. Henry
8130 Ogden Avenue
Lyons, IL 60534

January 14, 2025

Dear Joint Review Board Member:

The annual Joint Review Board (JRB) for the 31st Street/Barnsdale Redevelopment Project Area will be held on Thursday, January 30, 2025 to commence at 2:15 p.m., or at the conclusion of the preceding Joint Review Board Meeting for the Village Market TIF District, in the Village Hall Board Room. At the meeting, the Village will review the Illinois Tax Increment Financing report, previously submitted to the Office of the Illinois State Comptroller. A copy of the report is enclosed for your review and may also be found on the Village's website under the Agenda Center.

Questions regarding the JRB meeting or the 31st Street/Barnsdale Redevelopment Area in general may be directed to my attention at (708) 354-0225 ext. 108 or mjarr@lagrangepark.org.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Maggie Jarr", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Maggie Jarr

Deputy Village Manager
Village of La Grange Park



A G E N D A

JOINT REVIEW BOARD for the VILLAGE OF LA GRANGE PARK 31ST STREET/BARNSDALE REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT AREA

***Thursday, January 30, 2025 to Commence at 2:15 p.m. or at the Conclusion
of the Preceding Joint Review Board Meeting for the Village Market TIF District
Village of La Grange Park, Village Hall
447 N. Catherine Avenue, La Grange Park, Illinois 60526***

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Roll Call Village of La Grange Park
 Proviso Township
 DuPage Community College District 502
 Cook County
 Lyons Township High School District 204
 La Grange Park Public Library District
 La Grange School District 102
 Community Park District of La Grange Park
 Brookfield La Grange Park School District 95
 Komarek School District 94
 Riverside Brookfield High School District 208
 Proviso Township High Schools District 209
 Triton Community College District 504
 Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago
 Desplaines Valley Mosquito Abatement District
3. Motion to appoint Public Member
4. Motion to appoint Chairperson
5. Motion to Approve Minutes of May 23, 2024 Joint Review Board
6. Summary of Annual Municipal TIF Obligations And Joint Review Board Activities
7. Review of TIF Revenue & Expenses for FY 2023-2024
8. Discussion of Illinois Comptroller Report for FY 2023-2024
9. Board's Deliberation
Motion to accept the FY 2023-2024 Fiscal Year Illinois State Comptroller Report
10. Adjournment



RULES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

All Village Meetings

1. Please step up to the podium before speaking, and announce your name before beginning your comments. Speakers shall provide comments only from the podium and return to their seat at the end of their remarks.
2. After announcing your name for the record, you will be allowed to speak for three (3) minutes, or such lesser period of time as the Village President or Commission/Committee Chair deems appropriate in light of number of potential speakers and time constraints.
3. You may not use profane or obscene language and you may not threaten any person with bodily harm, or engage in conduct which amounts to a threat of physical harm.
4. The Village President or Commission/Committee Chair reserves the right to disallow comments that are repetitive of comments previously made during the meeting, or comments that do not relate to Village business, Village services or Village governance.
5. For Village Board Meetings only (4th Tuesday of each month): Under the "Public Participation (Agenda Related Comments)" section of the agenda, the Village President reserves the right to disallow comments that do not relate to agenda items.
6. The Village of La Grange Park complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. If you require accommodations in order to observe or participate in the meeting, please contact Deputy Village Manager Maggie Jarr at mjarr@lagrangepark.org or by calling (708) 354-0225 between 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. before the meeting so that the Village can make reasonable accommodations for you.

**JOINT REVIEW BOARD for the VILLAGE OF LA GRANGE PARK
31ST STREET/BARNSDALE REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT AREA
Meeting Minutes – May 23, 2024 (2023)**

The Joint Review Board for the Village of La Grange Park 31st Street/Barnsdale Redevelopment Project Area was scheduled on Thursday, May 23, 2024 at 3:00 p.m. in the Board Room of the La Grange Park Municipal Building.

Call Meeting to Order

The Meeting for the Joint Review Board for the Village of La Grange Park 31st Street/Barnsdale Redevelopment Project Area was called to order 3:03 p.m.

Roll Call

Those in attendance were:

Gabe Oppenheim, Executive Director, La Grange Park Public Library
Jessica Cannaday, Executive Director, Community Park District of La Grange Park
Robert Corte, President, Community Park District of La Grange Park
Sheri Sauer, Commissioner, Community Park District of La Grange Park
Maggie Jarr, Assistant Village Manager, Village of La Grange Park
Julia Cedillo, Village Manager, Village of La Grange Park
Larry Noller, Finance Director, Village of La Grange Park
Sandy Bakalich, Executive Secretary/Deputy Village Clerk, Village of La Grange Park

Motion to Appoint Public Member

A motion was made by Gabe Oppenheim to appoint Sandy Bakalich, a resident of La Grange Park, as Public Member, the motion was seconded by Jessica Cannaday. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

Motion to Appoint Chairperson

Gabe Oppenheim made a motion to nominate Maggie Jarr as Chairperson. The motion was seconded by Jessica Cannaday and passed unanimously by voice vote.

Motion to Approve Minutes of February 23, 2023 Joint Review Board

Gabe Oppenheim made a motion to approve the meeting minutes of February 23, 2023. The motion was seconded by Jessica Cannaday and passed unanimously by voice vote.

Review of TIF Revenue & Expenses for FY 2022-2023 & Discussion of Comptroller Report for FY 2022-2023

Maggie Jarr delivered a Power Point Presentation. Ms. Jarr detailed the TIF District boundaries, noted the affected taxing districts, and reviewed the Revenue and Expenses through the fund activity.

Projects being accounted for included reimbursements to Posto 31 (relevant to the Redevelopment Project that included installation of a new water main and sewer main), lighting improvements in the Redevelopment Project Area, the opening of

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Happier Now Café & Market, the development of a Streetscape Improvement Plan, and a Market Study & Site Capacity Analysis.

Board's Deliberation and Recommendation

Gabe Oppenheim made a *motion to accept the FY2022-2023 Illinois State Comptroller Report*. The motion was seconded by Jessica Cannaday and passed unanimously by voice vote.

Adjournment

A motion to adjourn was made by Jessica Cannaday and seconded by Gabe Oppenheim. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote and the meeting adjourned at 3:32 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandy Bakalich
Village of La Grange Park
Executive Secretary/Deputy Village Clerk



January, 2025

SUMMARY OF ANNUAL MUNICIPAL TIF OBLIGATIONS
AND
JOINT REVIEW BOARD ACTIVITIES

ANNUAL MUNICIPAL TIF OBLIGATIONS:

Effective in November 1999, the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-3 *et seq.*] and the Industrial Jobs Recovery Law [65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-10 *et seq.*] require all Illinois municipalities with one or more TIF districts to annually file information with the IOC.

The following agency assists in the completion of the annual TIF Report:

ILLINOIS OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER (IOC) www.ioc.state.il.us

- Central repository for annual TIF Reports.
- Annually distributes forms and instructions to municipalities.
- Makes TIF Reports available for public inspection.
- Completed TIF Reports (FY 2010 and on) will be posted on-line within 45 days of receipt.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF TIF MUNICIPALITIES:

- Submit annual TIF Report to the IOC 180 days after the municipal fiscal year ends (or as soon thereafter as the audited financial statements become available).
- Conduct annual Joint Review Board (JRB) meeting following submission of the annual TIF Report to the IOC.
- Distribute copies of the annual TIF Report to all overlapping taxing districts and interested parties.
- Select TIF Administrator (responsible for the completion and submission of the TIF Report).

RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE TIF ADMINISTRATOR:

- Coordinate annual TIF reporting process for the municipality.
- Sign TIF Report approved by the municipality.
- Prepare and submit reports to the IOC and overlapping taxing jurisdictions, convene annual JRB Meeting, mail notices to interested parties.
- Monitor deadlines, report components, compliance audit for individual Special Tax Allocation Fund(s).
- Monitor TIF budget and accounting of TIF fund(s).
- Confirm eligible expenditures and accurate receipt of TIF revenue.
- Determine surplus.
- Identify amendments to the TIF Redevelopment Plan, such as boundary extensions, district terminations, etc.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY OR TIF ATTORNEY:

- Answer and /or opine on any questions regarding permissible redevelopment costs.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF AUDITOR:

- Prepare a Certified Audit for Special Tax Allocation Fund(s) that have accumulated over \$100,000 in incremental tax revenue since inception.
- The audit report shall contain a letter from the independent certified public accountant indicating compliance or noncompliance with the requirements of subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3.

ANNUAL TIF REPORT BASICS:

- The TIF Report is due 180 days after the municipal fiscal year ends (or as soon thereafter as the audited financial statements become available).
- FY 2010 and subsequent TIF Reports must be submitted in an electronic format.
- The TIF Report must be signed by the TIF Administrator.
- If there is a change in TIF Administrator, a letter from the mayor must be included with the TIF Report.
- CEO and legal certification must be included with the TIF Report, even if there is no activity in the TIF district.
- The annual TIF Report is due even if the TIF District did not receive an increment or was inactive.
- Illinois statutes do not allow the IOC to grant extensions for late TIF Report submissions.

THE FOLLOWING ATTACHMENTS MUST BE INCLUDED WITH THE ANNUAL TIF REPORT PER SECTION 11-74.4-5 OF TIF ACT:

- Certified audit for special tax allocation funds that have accumulated over \$100,000 in incremental tax revenue since inception.
- A letter from the independent certified public accountant indicating compliance or noncompliance with the requirements of subsection (q) of Section 11 74.4-3.
- A brief activity statement that summarizes fiscal year activities undertaken to further TIF Redevelopment Plan goals and objectives.
- TIF Administrator confirmation of completeness and accuracy of the Report.
- Certification of compliance letter by municipal chief executive officer.
- Opinion by legal counsel that the municipality has complied with the TIF Act.
- A list of intergovernmental agreement(s) with a brief description of each and an accounting of any money transferred or received by the municipality during that fiscal year pursuant to the agreement(s).
- **For Fiscal Year 2022 and each fiscal year thereafter**, reporting municipalities shall also report to the Illinois State Comptroller's Office annually in a manner and format prescribed by the Comptroller:
 - The number of jobs, if any, projected to be created for each redevelopment project area at the time of approval of the redevelopment agreement;
 - The number of jobs, if any, created as a result of the development to date for that reporting period under the same guidelines and assumptions as was used for the projections used at the time of approval of the redevelopment agreement;
 - The amount of increment projected to be created at the time of approval of the redevelopment agreement for each redevelopment project area;
 - The amount of increment created as a result of the development to date for that reporting period using the same assumptions as was used for the projections used at the

- time of the approval of the redevelopment agreement; and
- The stated rate of return identified by the developer to the municipality for each redevelopment project area, if any. Stated rates of return required to be reported shall be independently verified by a third party chosen by the municipality. Reporting municipalities shall also report to the Comptroller a copy of the redevelopment plan each time the redevelopment plan is enacted, amended, or extended in a manner and format prescribed by the Comptroller. These requirements shall only apply to redevelopment projects beginning in or after Fiscal Year 2022.

If TIF bonds are issued, the annual TIF report to the Comptroller must also include an analysis prepared by a financial advisor or underwriter, chosen by the municipality, setting forth: (i) the nature and term of obligation; (ii) the projected debt service, including required reserves and debt coverage; and (iii) the actual debt service. Public Act 102-0127.

IS THERE A PENALTY FOR DELINQUENT TIF REPORTS?

- A list of all municipalities that are not in compliance with the TIF reporting requirements from FY 2010 and forward will be posted on the Comptroller’s website.

2021 AMENDMENT TO COOK COUNTY TAX DISTRICT DEBT DISCLOSURE ORDINANCE AND FILING REQUIREMENTS:

SECTION 2-243 (Taxing District Debt and Tax Increment Financing Districts Costs Disclosure)

“... (c) *Duty of Taxing Districts to disclose Tax Increment Financing District Redevelopment Project financial information and costs.* Each Taxing District shall, on or before 30 days after such Taxing District’s most recent audited financials have been issued, provide to the Office of the Cook County Treasurer, in the electronic format required by the Office of the Cook County Treasurer:

- (1) Information provided to the State of Illinois for each Tax Increment Financing (TIF) District Redevelopment Project pursuant to 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5(d);
- (2) The total dollar amount of all TIF District Redevelopment Project Costs, if any, paid from the Taxing District’s Special Allocation Fund for the previous fiscal year, with a breakdown of the following:
 - a. Category of eligible TIF District Redevelopment Project Cost, as categorized in 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-3(q)
 - b. Name of the paid vendor, contractor, or Taxing District
 - c. Dollar amount paid
- (3) The employee’s name, job title, and amount paid for all administrative, management, and staff costs (whether paid directly by the TIF District or paid by a Taxing District and reimbursed by Special Allocation Fund).
- (4) Electronic copies of all contracts the Taxing District’s tax increment advisor and/or consultants entered with entities or persons that received or are receiving payments financed by tax increment revenues produced by the same redevelopment project area.
- (5) All Economic Disclosure Statements submitted by all vendors and/or contractors disclosed in Section 2-243(c)(2)(b).
- (6) Any and all dollar amounts in the Taxing District’s Special Allocation Fund that were re-allocated from one TIF Redevelopment Project to another, pursuant to 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-

4(q), including the names of the TIF Redevelopment Project sender and recipient, along with documentation reflecting the reason for the transfer.

- (d) Within 60 days of the effective date of this provision, each Taxing District shall provide the Cook County Treasurer's Office the information required by Subsection (c), with respect to the previous five fiscal years.
- (e) If the Taxing District cannot provide the audited financial statement for the most recent fiscal year, the Taxing District must provide the Cook County Treasurer with the most recent unaudited financial statements, disclosing: actual or contingent current debt, current liabilities, long term debt, and long term liabilities. A Taxing District whose financial statements are included or consolidated in the financial statements of another Taxing District is not required to separately provide the financial statements, if the other Taxing District is in compliance with the requirements of this Ordinance...."

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Chicago, Illinois 60661
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- www.ioc.state.il.us

ANNUAL JOINT REVIEW BOARD ACTIVITIES

- The 1999 Amendment to the Tax Increment Financing Act (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5(b)) ("TIF Act") requires that such municipalities create a Joint Review Board ("JRB").
- A JRB is required for every TIF district.
- Duties of the JRB can generally be placed into three categories:
 - Review of proposed TIF districts.
 - Review of amendments proposed to existing TIF districts.
 - Annual meetings to review existing TIF districts.
- Annual Meeting Requirements:
 - All JRBs are required to **meet annually 180 days after the close of the municipality's fiscal year** or as soon as the redevelopment project audit for that fiscal year becomes available to review the effectiveness and status of the redevelopment project area up to that date.
 - Additional meetings of the JRB are held upon the call of any member.
- The municipality must convene a JRB Meeting prior to holding a public hearing to approve or amend a redevelopment plan or to designate or add additional parcels of property to a redevelopment project area.
 - Convened by notice from the municipality.
 - First meeting must be convened at least 14 days, but not more than 28 days, after the municipality mails the notice of public hearing to affected taxing districts and to the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (11-74.4-6(c)).
 - Notice must include time and place of the first JRB Meeting.

- Municipality is required to provide administrative support services to the JRB.
 - Prepare an agenda.
 - Distribute agenda packets that include documents to be discussed at the meeting.
 - Coordinate with the various tax districts to assist them in conducting their JRB Meeting.

JRB Membership:

- Members of the JRB are selected by the governing body of each community college, local elementary school and high school district, or each local community unit school district, park district, library district, township, fire protection district and county that will have the authority to directly levy taxes on property within the proposed TIF district at the time it is approved.
- Membership of JRB shall also include a representative of the municipality and a public member.
- The public member is selected by the JRB as its first order of business.
- The initial public member must be a resident of the TIF district if:
 - The proposed TIF district's redevelopment plan or proposed plan would result in displacement of 10 or more inhabited residential units; or
 - The area contains 75 or more inhabited residential units.
- If a housing impact study or other reasonable data determines that the majority of residential units within an existing or proposed TIF district are occupied by low-income, very low-income or moderate-income households, as determined by Section 3 of the Illinois Affordable Housing Act, the public member must be a person who resides in a low-income, very low-income or moderate-income household.
 - However, for TIF districts in municipalities with less than 15,000 population, that requirement is waived if the municipality certifies in its redevelopment plan that the plan will not result in displacement of residents from 10 or more inhabited residential units.

65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5(b) — TIF Act (JRB, administrative support, JRB membership, public member)

65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5(c) — TIF Act (convening the JRB Meeting/notice)

65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5(d) — TIF Act (annual meeting requirement)

310 ILCS 65/3 — Illinois Affordable Housing Act (as it applies to public member qualification)

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SECTION 2 [Sections 2 through 8 must be completed for each redevelopment project area listed in Section 1.]

FY 2024

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

31ST STREET/BARNSDALE

Primary Use of Redevelopment Project Area*: MIXED
<small>*Types include: Central Business District, Retail, Other Commercial, Industrial, Residential, and Combination/Mixed.</small>
If "Combination/Mixed" List Component Types: COMMERCIAL,
Under which section of the Illinois Municipal Code was the Redevelopment Project Area designated? (check one): Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Industrial Jobs Recovery Law <input type="checkbox"/>

Please utilize the information below to properly label the Attachments.

	No	Yes
For redevelopment projects beginning prior to FY 2022, were there any amendments, to the redevelopment plan, the redevelopment project area, or the State Sales Tax Boundary? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (1) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (1)] If yes, please enclose the amendment (labeled Attachment A). For redevelopment projects beginning in or after FY 2022, were there any amendments, enactments or extensions to the redevelopment plan, the redevelopment project area, or the State Sales Tax Boundary? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (1) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (1)] If yes, please enclose the amendment, enactment or extension, and a copy of the redevelopment plan (labeled Attachment A).	X	
Certification of the Chief Executive Officer of the municipality that the municipality has complied with all of the requirements of the Act during the preceding fiscal year. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (3) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (3)] Please enclose the CEO Certification (labeled Attachment B).		X
Opinion of legal counsel that municipality is in compliance with the Act. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (4) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (4)] Please enclose the Legal Counsel Opinion (labeled Attachment C).		X
Statement setting forth all activities undertaken in furtherance of the objectives of the redevelopment plan, including any project implemented and a description of the redevelopment activities. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (A and B) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (A and B)] If yes, please enclose the Activities Statement (labeled Attachment D).		X
Were any agreements entered into by the municipality with regard to the disposition or redevelopment of any property within the redevelopment project area or the area within the State Sales Tax Boundary? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (C) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (C)] If yes, please enclose the Agreement(s) (labeled Attachment E).	X	
Is there additional information on the use of all funds received under this Division and steps taken by the municipality to achieve the objectives of the redevelopment plan? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (D) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (D)] If yes, please enclose the Additional Information (labeled Attachment F).	X	
Did the municipality's TIF advisors or consultants enter into contracts with entities or persons that have received or are receiving payments financed by tax increment revenues produced by the same TIF? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (E) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (E)] If yes, please enclose the contract(s) or description of the contract(s) (labeled Attachment G).	X	
Were there any reports <u>submitted to</u> the municipality <u>by</u> the joint review board? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (F) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (F)] If yes, please enclose the Joint Review Board Report (labeled Attachment H).	X	
Were any obligations issued by the municipality? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (8) (A) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (8) (A)] If yes, please enclose any Official Statement (labeled Attachment I). If Attachment I is answered yes, then the Analysis must be attached (labeled Attachment J).	X	
An analysis prepared by a financial advisor or underwriter, chosen by the municipality, setting forth the nature and term of obligation; projected debt service including required reserves and debt coverage; and actual debt service. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (8) (B) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (8) (B)] If attachment I is yes, the Analysis and an accompanying letter from the municipality outlining the contractual relationship between the municipality and the financial advisor/underwriter <u>MUST</u> be attached (labeled Attachment J).	X	
Has a cumulative of \$100,000 of TIF revenue been deposited into the special tax allocation fund? 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (2) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (2) If yes, please enclose audited financial statements of the special tax allocation fund (labeled Attachment K).		X
Cumulatively, have deposits of incremental taxes revenue equal to or greater than \$100,000 been made into the special tax allocation fund? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (9) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (9)] If yes, the audit report shall contain a letter from the independent certified public accountant indicating compliance or noncompliance with the requirements of subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3 (labeled Attachment L).		X
A list of all intergovernmental agreements in effect to which the municipality is a part, and an accounting of any money transferred or received by the municipality during that fiscal year pursuant to those intergovernmental agreements. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (10)] If yes, please enclose the list only, not actual agreements (labeled Attachment M).	X	
For redevelopment projects beginning in or after FY 2022, did the developer identify to the municipality a stated rate of return for each redevelopment project area? Stated rates of return required to be reported shall be independently verified by a third party chosen by the municipality. If yes, please enclose evidence of third party verification, may be in the form of a letter from the third party (labeled Attachment N).	X	

SECTION 3.1 [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d)(5)(a)(b)(d)) and (65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (5)(a)(b)(d)]

FY 2024

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

31ST STREET/BARNSDALE

Provide an analysis of the special tax allocation fund.

Special Tax Allocation Fund Balance at Beginning of Reporting Period \$ 1,537,578

SOURCE of Revenue/Cash Receipts:	Revenue/Cash Receipts for Current Reporting Year	Cumulative Totals of Revenue/Cash Receipts for life of TIF	% of Total
Property Tax Increment	\$ 434,058	\$ 2,267,208	95%
State Sales Tax Increment			0%
Local Sales Tax Increment			0%
State Utility Tax Increment			0%
Local Utility Tax Increment			0%
Interest	\$ 87,603	\$ 128,941	5%
Land/Building Sale Proceeds			0%
Bond Proceeds			0%
Transfers from Municipal Sources			0%
Private Sources			0%
Other (Identify source _____; if multiple other sources, attach schedule)			0%

All Amount Deposited in Special Tax Allocation Fund \$ 521,661

Cumulative Total Revenues/Cash Receipts \$ 2,396,149 100%

Total Expenditures/Cash Disbursements (Carried forward from Section 3.2) \$ 73,747

Transfers to Municipal Sources \$ 11,444

Distribution of Surplus

Total Expenditures/Disbursements \$ 85,191

Net/Income/Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements \$ 436,470

Previous Year Adjustment (Explain Below)

FUND BALANCE, END OF REPORTING PERIOD* \$ 1,974,048

* If there is a positive fund balance at the end of the reporting period, you must complete Section 3.3

Previous Year Explanation:

SECTION 3.2 A [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (5) (c) and 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (5)(c)]

FY 2024

**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:
31ST STREET/BARNSDALE**

**ITEMIZED LIST OF ALL EXPENDITURES FROM THE SPECIAL TAX ALLOCATION FUND
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Category of Permissible Redevelopment Cost [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-3 (q) and 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-10 (o)]	Amounts	Reporting Fiscal Year
1. Cost of studies, surveys, development of plans, and specifications. Implementation and administration of the redevelopment plan, staff and professional service cost.		
Legal	\$161	
Engineering for Green Alley Project	\$42,000	
Engineering for 31st Street/Beach Avenue Parking Lot Project	\$641	
		\$ 42,802
2. Annual administrative cost.		
		\$ -
3. Cost of marketing sites.		
		\$ -
4. Property assembly cost and site preparation costs.		
		\$ -
5. Costs of renovation, rehabilitation, reconstruction, relocation, repair or remodeling of existing public or private building, leasehold improvements, and fixtures within a redevelopment project area.		
Reimbursement per Approved Redevelopment Agreement - Posto 31	\$8,910.72	
Reimbursement per Approved Redevelopment Agreement - Dubak Electric	\$22,034.74	
		\$ 30,945
6. Costs of the construction of public works or improvements.		
		\$ -

SECTION 3.3 [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (5d) 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (5d)]

FY 2024

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

31ST STREET/BARNSDALE

Breakdown of the Balance in the Special Tax Allocation Fund At the End of the Reporting Period by source

FUND BALANCE BY SOURCE	\$ 1,974,048
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1. Description of Debt Obligations	Amount of Original Issuance	Amount Designated
Total Amount Designated for Obligations	\$ -	\$ -

2. Description of Project Costs to be Paid	Amount of Original Issuance	Amount Designated
Streetscape Improvement Projects	\$	708,600
Posto 31	\$	28,960
Dubak Electric	\$	482,965
Happier Now	\$	55,000
Total Amount Designated for Project Costs	\$	1,275,525

TOTAL AMOUNT DESIGNATED	\$ 1,275,525
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SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	\$ 698,523
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SECTION 4 [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (6) and 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (6)]

FY 2024

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

31ST STREET/BARNSDALE

Provide a description of all property purchased by the municipality during the reporting fiscal year within the redevelopment project area.

X	Indicate an 'X' if no property was acquired by the municipality within the redevelopment project area.
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Property (1):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (2):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (3):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (4):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (5):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (6):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (7):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

SECTION 5 [20 ILCS 620/4.7 (7)(F)]

FY 2024

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

31ST STREET/BARNSDALE

PAGE 1

Page 1 MUST be included with TIF report. Pages 2 and 3 are to be included ONLY if projects are listed.

Select ONE of the following by indicating an 'X':

1. NO projects were undertaken by the Municipality Within the Redevelopment Project Area.	
2. The municipality DID undertake projects within the Redevelopment Project Area. (If selecting this option, complete 2a and 2b.)	X
2a. The total number of ALL activities undertaken in furtherance of the objectives of the redevelopment plan:	9
2b. Did the municipality undertake any NEW projects in fiscal year 2022 or any fiscal year thereafter within the Redevelopment Project Area?	2

LIST ALL projects undertaken by the Municipality Within the Redevelopment Project Area:

TOTAL:	11/1/99 to Date	Estimated Investment for Subsequent Fiscal Year	Total Estimated to Complete Project
Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 4,573,000	\$ -	\$ 4,573,000
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 443,722	\$ 36,700	\$ 1,772,775
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	10 15/49		2 51/88

Project 1 Name: Posto 31

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 908,000		\$ 908,000
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 252,512	\$ 10,000	\$ 335,000
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	3 28/47		2 27/38

Project 2 Name: Murphy's Water Main Extension Project

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 387,000		\$ 387,000
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 48,252		\$ 48,252
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	8 1/49		8 1/49

Project 3 Name: 31st Street/Beach Avenue Parking Area

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 43,974		\$ 43,974
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 4 Name: 31st Street Stamped Concrete Sidewalk Project

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 34,308		\$ 34,308
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 5 Name: Dubak Electric

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 2,900,000		\$ 2,900,000
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 22,035	\$ 25,000	\$ 505,000
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	131 14/23		5 49/66

Project 6 Name: Happler Now

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ 378,000		\$ 378,000
Public Investment Undertaken		\$ 1,700	\$ 55,000
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		6 48/55

Project 7 Name: Streetscape Improvement Projects

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			\$ 708,800
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 8 Name: Green Alley Project

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 42,000		\$ 42,000
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 9 Name: 31st Street/Beach Avenue Parking Lot Project

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 641		\$ 641
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 10 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 11 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 12 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 13 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 14 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 15 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 16 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 17 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 18 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 19 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 20 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 21 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 22 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 23 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 24 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

Project 25 Name:

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

SECTION 6 [Information requested in SECTION 6.1 is not required by law, but may be helpful in evaluating the performance of TIF in Illinois. SECTIONS 6.2, 6.3, and 6.4 are required by law, if applicable. (65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5(d))]

FY 2024

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

31ST STREET/BARNSDALE

SECTION 6.1-For redevelopment projects beginning before FY 2022, complete the following information about job creation and retention.

Number of Jobs Retained	Number of Jobs Created	Job Description and Type (Temporary or Permanent)	Total Salaries Paid
Posto 31	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Dubak Electric	55	Permanent	Unknown
			\$ -

SECTION 6.2-For redevelopment projects beginning in or after FY 2022, complete the following information about projected job creation and actual job creation.

Project Name	The number of jobs, if any, projected to be created at the time of approval of the redevelopment agreement.		The number of jobs, if any, created as a result of the development to date, for the reporting period, under the same guidelines and assumptions as was used for the projections used at the time of approval of the redevelopment agreement.	
	Temporary	Permanent	Temporary	Permanent
Happler Now	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	10

SECTION 6.3-For redevelopment projects beginning in or after FY 2022, complete the following information about increment projected to be created and actual increment created.

Project Name	The amount of increment projected to be created at the time of approval of the redevelopment agreement.	The amount of increment created as a result of the development to date, for the reporting period, using the same assumptions as was used for the projections used at the time of the approval of the redevelopment agreement.

SECTION 6.4-For redevelopment projects beginning in or after FY 2022, provide the stated rate of return identified by the developer to the municipality and verified by an independent third party, IF ANY:

Project Name	Stated Rate of Return

SECTION 7 [Information in the following section is not required by law, but may be helpful in evaluating the performance of TIF in Illinois.]

FY 2024

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

31ST STREET/BARNSDALE

Provide a general description of the redevelopment project area using only major boundaries.

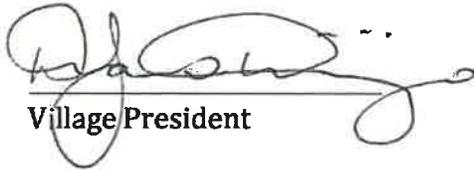
Optional Documents	Enclosed
Legal description of redevelopment project area	
Map of District	

ATTACHMENT B



31st Street/Barnsdale Redevelopment Project Area

I, James L. Discipio, the duly elected Chief Executive Officer of the Village of La Grange Park, Cook County, State of Illinois, do hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge, the Village complied with the requirements pertaining to the Illinois Tax Incremental Redevelopment Allocation Act during the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2023 and ending April 30, 2024.


Village President

12/29/24
Date

ATTACHMENT C



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December 18, 2024,

Susana A Mendoza, State Comptroller
James R. Thompson Center
Local Government Division
100 West Randolph Street, Suite 15-500
Chicago, Illinois 60601

Dear Ms. Mendoza:

I have acted as Special Counsel for the Village of La Grange Park, Cook County, Illinois, in connection with the administration of the Redevelopment Plan for the Village's 31st Street and Barnsdale TIF Redevelopment Project Area.

I have reviewed all information provided to me by the Village and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, find that the Village has acted in compliance with all of the applicable provisions of the *Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act*, 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-1 et seq., for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2024.

Very truly yours,

OTTOSEN DINOLFO HASENBALG & CASTALDO, LTD.


Kathleen Field Orr

ATTACHMENT D

Posto 31 – 1015-1017 E. 31st Street

In 2017, the Village approved a Redevelopment Agreement with the owner of 1015-1017 31st Street to incentivize the construction of full-service restaurant. The Village committed to installing a new water main and sewer main to service the restaurant in the public alley adjacent to the structure. The public infrastructure was completed in the late fall of 2017 and the restaurant was completed and opened in May of 2018. In FY20, FY21, FY22, and FY23, the Village provided reimbursements to the owner in the amount of \$9,005, \$11,625, \$9,715, and \$13,256, respectively, for a portion of the tax increment generated as a result of his improvements to the property. In FY24, the Village provided \$8,910.72 reimbursement and will continue to do so in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

Murphy's Transmission and Complete Auto – 1117 E. 31st Street

In 2021, the Village approved a Redevelopment Agreement with the owner of 1117 E. 31st Street to incentivize an expansion of the existing business. The project includes two building additions, a new parking lot, and new perimeter and parking lot landscaping. The building addition necessitated the installation of a sprinkler system and new water service line. In order to provide for a sprinkler system, the Village extended its water main to a more proximate location directly north of the subject property. The engineering and construction was completed in FY22. The total project cost was \$48,252.

31st Street/Beach Avenue Parking Area

The Village identified a lack of public parking as one of the impediments to redevelopment within the 31st Street/Barnsdale TIF District. In 2020, the Village began the planning phase for converting an existing parkway located at the northwest corner of 31st Street and Beach Avenue to a public parking area. In FY20, the Village expended funds to engineer the design of an eight stall public parking lot. In FY21, the parking lot was constructed. The total project cost was \$43,974.

31st Street Stamped Concrete Sidewalk

The Village determined that the sidewalk on the south side of 31st Street, between Homestead Road and Barnsdale Road, was in need of replacement and also presented an opportunity for a strategic public improvement project. This replacement and upgrade aims to create a more conducive environment for new development and also send a message that the Village is willing to invest in the area. The project was constructed in FY21. The total project cost was \$34,308.

Dubak Electric – 1201 Barnsdale Road

In 2021, the Village approved a Redevelopment Agreement with the owner of 1201 Barnsdale Road to incentivize the redevelopment of the property as a manufacturing and training facility. The redevelopment project includes a new roof and doors, masonry tuckpointing, site drainage, and a new parking area, among other improvements. In FY24, the Village booked \$22,034.74 as the amount due for reimbursement once the developer's obligations have been met in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

Happier Now – 1016 E. 31st Street

In 2022, the Village approved a Redevelopment Agreement to incentivize the development of a new restaurant at 1016 E. 31st Street. The redevelopment project includes new mechanical, electrical, and plumbing, fire protection, and a new water service line. The project was completed in January of 2024 and created 10 new permanent jobs.

Streetscape Improvement Projects

The Village intends to develop a Streetscape Improvement Plan that will identify and prioritize specific public improvements for the 31st Street/Barnsdale TIF District. In early 2022, in order to reserve a certain amount of funding for public improvements, the Village Board also approved a resolution approving the appropriation of funds from the 31st Street/Barnsdale Redevelopment Project Area Special Tax Allocation Fund.

31st Street/Beach Avenue Parking Lot

In FY24, engineering services were utilized as part of a project to replace the deteriorating perimeter fence at the Village's 31st Street/Beach Avenue Parking Lot, which is located in and serves the 31st Street/Barnsdale TIF District. The engineering cost was \$641.

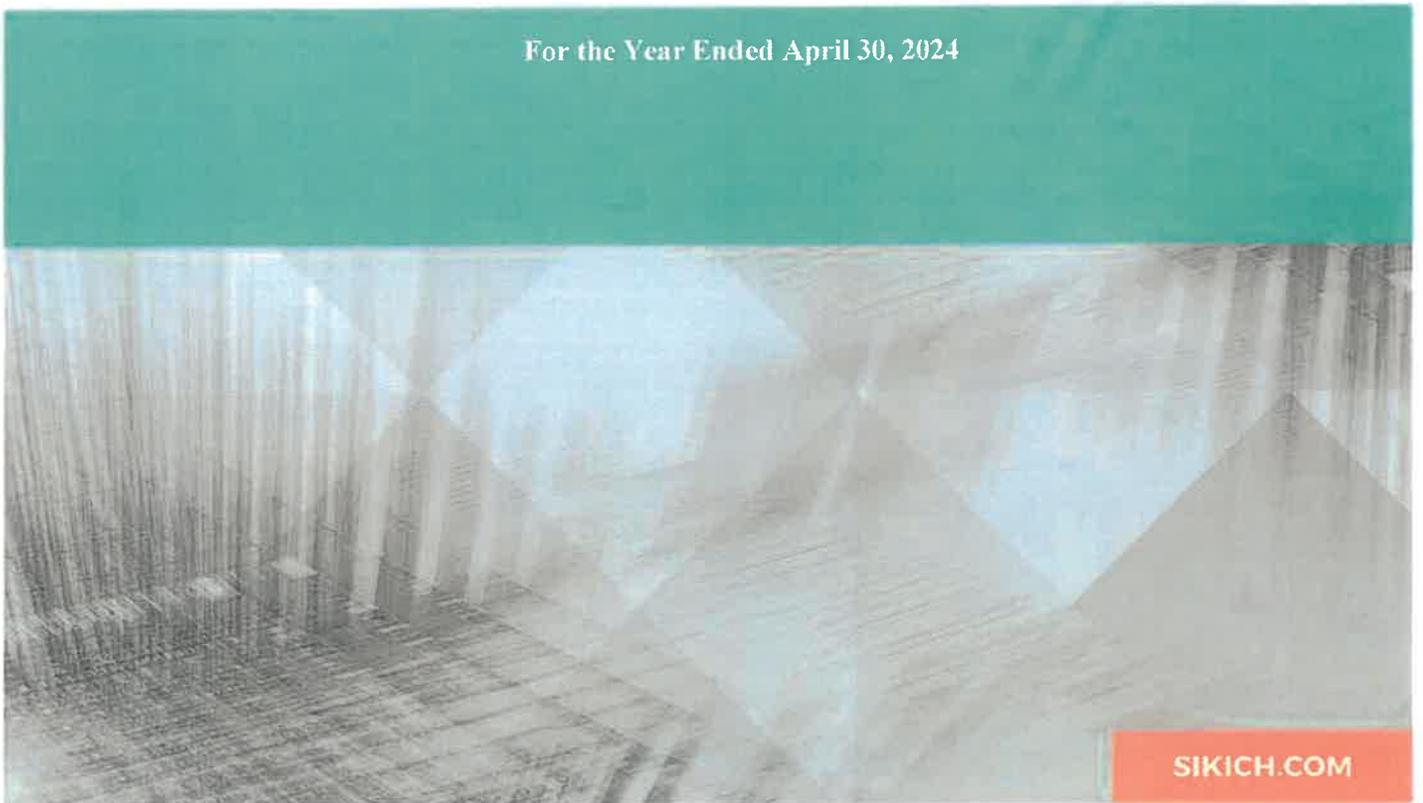


**VILLAGE OF LA GRANGE PARK,
ILLINOIS**

**FINANCIAL REPORT AND REPORT ON
COMPLIANCE WITH PUBLIC ACT 85-1142**

31ST & BARNSDALE TIF DISTRICT FUND

For the Year Ended April 30, 2024



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**VILLAGE OF LA GRANGE PARK, ILLINOIS
31ST & BARNSDALE TIF DISTRICT FUND
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**INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON
MANAGEMENT'S ASSERTION OF COMPLIANCE**

The Honorable Village President
and Members of the Board of Trustees
Village of La Grange Park, Illinois

We have examined management's assertion that the Village of La Grange Park, Illinois (the Village), complied with the provisions of subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3 of the Illinois Tax Increment Redevelopment Allocation Act (Illinois Public Act 85-1142) during the year ended April 30, 2024. Management is responsible for the Village's assertion. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on management's assertion about the Village's compliance with the specific requirements based on our examination.

Our examination was made in accordance with the standards established by the American Institute of Public Accountants. Those standards require that we plan and perform the examination to obtain reasonable assurance about whether management's assertion about compliance with the specified requirements is fairly stated, in all material respects. An examination involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about whether management's assertion is fairly stated, in all material respects. The nature, timing, and extent of the procedures selected depend on our judgment, including an assessment of the risks of material misstatement of management's assertion, whether due to fraud or error. We believe that the evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

We are required to be independent and meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to the engagement.

Our examination does not provide a legal determination on the Village's compliance with the specified requirements.

In our opinion, management's assertion that the Village of La Grange Park, Illinois, complied with the aforementioned requirements for the year ended April 30, 2024, is fairly stated in all material respects.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Trustees, management and the Illinois Department of Revenue, Illinois State Comptrollers office and the Joint Review Board and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Sikich CPA LLC

Naperville, Illinois
November 25, 2024



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

The Honorable Village President
and Members of the Board of Trustees
Village of La Grange Park, Illinois

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Village of La Grange Park, Illinois (the Village) as of and for the year ended April 30, 2024, which collectively comprise the basic financial statements of the Village and have issued our report thereon dated November 25, 2024, which expressed an unmodified opinion on those statements.

Our audit was made in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the basic financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts, and disclosures in the basic financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall basic financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Village's basic financial statements. The supplementary financial information (balance sheet and schedule of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance) is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The supplementary financial information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements.

The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

SiKich CPA LLC

Naperville, Illinois
November 25, 2024

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

VILLAGE OF LA GRANGE PARK, ILLINOIS

BALANCE SHEET
31ST AND BARNSDALE TIF DISTRICT FUND

April 30, 2024

ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,995,559
Receivables	
Property tax	<u>533,431</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 2,528,990</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	
LIABILITIES	
Other payables	<u>\$ 21,511</u>
Total liabilities	<u>21,511</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Unavailable property tax revenue	<u>533,431</u>
Total liabilities and deferred inflows of resources	<u>554,942</u>
FUND BALANCE	
Restricted for economic development	<u>1,974,048</u>
Total fund balance	<u>1,974,048</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	<u>\$ 2,528,990</u>

(See independent auditor's report on supplementary information.)

VILLAGE OF LA GRANGE PARK, ILLINOIS
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND
CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
31ST AND BARNSDALE TIF DISTRICT FUND

For the Year Ended April 30, 2024

REVENUES	
Property taxes	\$ 434,058
Investment income	<u>87,603</u>
Total revenues	<u>521,661</u>
EXPENDITURES	
Community development	<u>73,747</u>
Total expenditures	<u>73,747</u>
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	<u>447,914</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	
Transfers (out)	<u>(11,444)</u>
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(11,444)</u>
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	436,470
FUND BALANCE, MAY 1	<u>1,537,578</u>
FUND BALANCE, APRIL 30	<u><u>\$ 1,974,048</u></u>

(See independent auditor's report on supplementary information.)



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