

**GREEN GARDEN TOWNSHIP
BUDGET & APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE # 2026-001**

WILL COUNTY CLERK
WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS

An ordinance appropriating for all township purposes for the GREEN GARDEN Township, WILL County, Illinois for the fiscal year beginning **April 1, 2026** and ending **March 31, 2027**.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of GREEN GARDEN Township, WILL County Illinois.

SECTION 1: That the amounts hereinafter set forth, or so much thereof as may be authorized by law, and as may be needed or deemed necessary to defray all expenses and liabilities of **GREEN GARDEN Township**, be and the same are hereby appropriated for the township purposes of **GREEN GARDEN Township**, WILL

County, Illinois as hereinafter specified for the fiscal year beginning **April 1, 2026** and ending **March 31, 2027**.

SECTION 2: That the following budget containing an estimate of revenues and expenditures is hereby adopted for the following funds: **Town Fund, General Assistance Fund, Capital Fund and Park Donation Fund.**

TOWN FUND

Beginning Balance			186,878.41
Revenue		883,792	
Property Tax Levy	301,400		
Replacement Tax	10,000		
Interest	100		
Hall Use Maintenance	500		
Miscellaneous Income	1,000		
Farm Rental Income	9,575		
Road District Loan Payments	30,000		
Circuit Court Fines	1,000		
Town Hall Grant Reimbursement	530,217		
Expenses		955,317	
Salaries & Employment Taxes	135,000		
Contractual Services	601,817		
Payroll & Accounting	25,000		
Legal Services	25,000		
Liability Insurance	10,000		
Mowing	3,000		
IT License and Support	5,000		
IT Hardware	3,100		
Pace Ride Share/Sr. Services	500		
TH Improvements/Grant	530,217		
Flooding Issues	6,000		
Building Maintenance & Supplies	2,000		
Utilities	5,500		
Telecommunications	2,500		
Assessor Office Rent	12,600		
Real Estate Taxes	2,000		
Miscellaneous Expense/Contingencies	5,000		
Office Commodities	3,000		
Publishing	5,000		
Newsletter	5,000		
Community Services	4,000		
Town Hall Improvements/Other	10,000		
New Town Hall Capital Fund	100,000		
Planning Commission Expenses	5,000		

Assessor Expenses		50,900	
Staff	28,100		
IT License and Support	7,700		
IT Hardware	2,500		
Telecommunications	3,400		
Appeals	500		
Office and Field Supplies	3,600		
Mileage-Travel	2,200		
Training-CE	2,500		
Other Assessor Expenses	400		
Ending Balance			115,353.41

GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND

Beginning Balance			40,557.18
Revenue		0	
Property Tax	0		
Interest	0		
Expenses		\$40,557.18	
General	35,557.18		
Miscellaneous Expenses	5,000		
Ending Balance			0

CAPITAL FUND

Beginning Balance			839,940.22
Revenue		132,647.25	
Interest	32,647.25		
Town Fund Surplus	100,000		
Expenses		0	
Miscellaneous Expenses	0		
Ending Balance			972,587.47

PARK DONATION FUND

Beginning Balance			66,295.33
Revenue		2,577.33	
Interest	2,577.33		
Park Donations Income	0		
Expenses		0	
Miscellaneous Expenses	0		
Ending Balance			66,295.33

SECTION 3: That the amount appropriated for Township purposes for the Fiscal year beginning **April 1, 2026** and ending **March 31, 2027** by fund shall be As follows:

TOWN FUND	955,317
GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND	40,557.18
CAPITAL FUND	0
PARK DONATION FUND	0
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS:	\$995,874.18

SECTION 4: That if any section, subdivision, or sentence of this ordinance shall for any reason be held invalid or to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this ordinance.

SECTION 5: That each appropriated fund total shall be divided among the several objects and purposes specified, and in particular amounts stated for each fund respectively in Section 2 constituting the total appropriations in the amount of Nine Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy-Four Dollars Eighteen Cents (\$995,874.18) for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2026 and ending March 31, 2027.

SECTION 6: That Section 3 shall be and is a summary of the annual Appropriation Ordinance of this Township, passed by the Board of Trustees as required by law and shall be in full force and effect from and after this date.

SECTION 7: That a certified copy of the Budget & Appropriation Ordinance shall be filed with the County Clerk within 30 days after adoption.

ADOPTED this 8th day of June, 2026 pursuant to a roll call vote by the Board of Trustees of Green Garden Township, Will County, Illinois.

<u>BOARD OF TRUSTEES</u>	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NAY</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
<u>Wesley Shepherd</u>	✓	_____	_____
<u>Della Ullery</u>	✓	_____	_____
<u>Robert Bandy</u>	✓	_____	_____
<u>Belinda Olszewski</u>	✓	_____	_____
<u>Trustee Strigson</u>	_____	_____	✓
<u>LaKraft</u> Township Clerk			
<u>Della Ullery</u> Township Supervisor			

FILED

11:16 am, Jun 12 2026

WILL COUNTY CLERK
WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS

CERTIFICATION OF BUDGET / APPROPRIATION

**IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 35 SECTION 200/18-50
ILLINOIS COMPILED STATUTES***

The undersigned, being Clerk/Secretary and/or Chief Fiscal Officer of the Taxing District below named, do hereby certify that attached hereto is a **TRUE AND CORRECT COPY** of the Budget/Appropriation of said District for its 20²⁶ - 20²⁷ fiscal year, adopted on June 8, 20²⁶.

We further certify that the **ESTIMATE OF REVENUES**, by source, anticipated to be received by said Taxing District, either set forth in said document or attached hereto separately, is a true statement of said estimate.

Name of District: Green Garden Township

Clerk/Secretary/Chief Fiscal Officer Name: Christina Kraft

Clerk/Secretary/Chief Fiscal Officer Signature: 



Date: June 12, 20²⁶

*35 ILCS 200/18-50: The governing authority of each taxing district shall file with the County clerk within 30 days of their adoption a certified copy of its appropriation and budget ordinances or resolutions, as well as an estimate, certified by its chief fiscal officer, of revenues, by source, anticipated to be received by the taxing district in the following fiscal year. If the governing authority fails to file the required documents, the county clerk shall have the authority, after giving timely notice of the failure to the taxing district, to refuse to extend the tax levy until the documents are so filed. (Source: P.A. 86-233; 86-953; 86-957; 86-1475; 87-17; 87-477; 87-895; 88-455.)

The Vedette

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS.
COUNTY OF WILL)

I, Mark Hornung, do hereby certify that I am the publisher of THE VEDETTE, a secular newspaper, that has been published weekly for more than 50 weeks prior to the first publication of the attached notice.

The VEDETTE, published in the Village of PEOTONE, County of Will, State of Illinois, is of general circulation throughout the county and surrounding area, and is a newspaper as defined by 715 ILCS 5/5.

A notice, a true copy of which is attached, has been published in said paper every consecutive Thursday, the following issues:

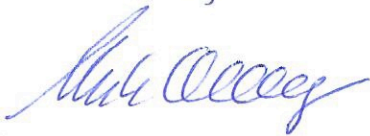
Commencing May 7 A.D. 2026

and Ending May 7 A.D. 2026

which are the dates of the first and last papers containing the same. Also, the notice was placed on a statewide public notice website as required by 715 ILCS 5/2.1.

Given under my hand this

7 day of May A.D. 2026



In witness, THE VEDETTE has signed this certificate by Mark Hornung, Publisher

Below is a Copy of the Notice Herein Referred To:

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice of Public Hearing
Green Garden Township Proposed Budget

Notice is hereby given that a Tentative Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for the Township of Green Garden in the County of Will, State of Illinois for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2026 and ending March 31st, 2027 is posted at Green Garden Town Hall and available for inspection on the Township website at www.greengardentownship.com. You may also request a copy of the Budget and Appropriation Ordinance by contacting the Green Garden Township Clerk at clerk@greengardentownship.com.

Notice is further given hereby that a public hearing on said Budget and Appropriation Ordinance will be held at 7:00 p.m. the 8th day of June, 2026 at the Green Garden Town Hall, 25506 S. Center Road, Monee, IL. Final action on the ordinance may be taken by the Board of Trustees at the regular monthly meeting following the Public Hearing.

Dated: May 6, 2026
Crissy Kraft
Township Clerk
Green Garden Township
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