

ORDINANCE NO. 26-1

AN ORDINANCE OF THE SHOREWOOD-TROY PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT, WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL .02% TAX FOR EQUIPPING THE LIBRARY AND FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF THE LIBRARY BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT OF THE LIBRARY DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Board of Library Trustees of the Shorewood-Troy Public Library District, Will County, Illinois, is desirous, during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2027, and ending June 30, 2028, to expend funds for constructing and equipping the library building of the Library District, and for maintenance and repair of the library building and equipment of the Library District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE SHOREWOOD-TROY PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT, WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby determined that during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2027, and ending June 30, 2028, sums shall be expended for constructing and equipping the library building of the Library District and for maintenance and repair of the library building and equipment of the Library District.

Section 2. Pursuant to the provisions of the Illinois Public Library District Act of 1991 (75 ILCS 16/35-5), it is further determined that the Library District shall levy an additional tax for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2027 and ending June 30, 2028, in the amount of .02% of the value of all taxable property within the Library District, as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue, for equipping the library building of the Library district and for the maintenance and repair of the library building and equipment of the Library District.

Section 3. Within 15 days after the adoption of this ordinance, a certified copy of this ordinance shall be published once in the Shorewood Sentinel, a newspaper circulated in the Library District.

Section 4. The minimum number of Library District voters required to sign a petition requesting that the question of adopting the ordinance be submitted to the electors of the Library District is 10 percent or more of the registered voters of the district at the last election, which is **1,628**. The petition shall be filed with the District within 30 days after this notice's publication, and the prospective referendum date is **April 6, 2027**.

Passed by the Board of Library Trustees of the Shorewood-Troy Public Library District,
Will County, Illinois this 18th day of June ____, 2026.

Thomas Novinski
President, Board of Trustees
Shorewood-Troy Public Library District

Attest:

Karen Voitik
Secretary, Board of Trustees
Shorewood-Troy Public Library District

