

ORDINANCE NO. 2026

AN ORDINANCE MAKING SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE CITY OF ROCKFORD, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, TO FINANCE THOSE FUNCTIONS PERTAINING TO ITS GOVERNMENT AND AFFAIRS INCLUDING THE GENERAL FUND, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2025.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION:

Section 1. This Supplemental Appropriation Ordinance is adopted pursuant to the City of Rockford's power and authority pursuant to Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois and 65 Illinois Compiled Statutes 5/8-2-9.

Section 2. The appropriation herein made for salaries and wages for positions shall be regarded as maximum appropriations as to the sum appropriated, the number of positions specified and the length of time for which the incumbent of each position is to be employed. No employee shall have the right to demand continuous employment and compensation by reason of the appropriation if it becomes necessary to lay him off on account of lack of work or lack of funds. In case of any vacancy in any office or position herein appropriated for, the head of the department in which any such vacancy occurs shall not be required to fill such office or position if in his judgment and discretion there is no necessity therefore; and if any vacancy occurs in any office or position under the jurisdiction of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners which shall have been reclassified after passage of the appropriation bill in such a way that an employee of lower rank or grade shall be eligible to such vacant office or position, the head of the department or board whose duty it may be to fill such office or position shall assign thereto, according to law, only such officer or employee of lower rank or grade as may be eligible thereto.

The following sums of money or so much hereof as may be authorized by law, be and the same are hereby appropriated to pay for those functions pertaining to the City of Rockford, Illinois, A Municipal Corporation's government and affairs including the General Fund, for the fiscal year 2025 hereinafter specified, and such appropriations are hereby made for the following objects and purposes:

Section 3. This Supplemental Appropriation Ordinance is adopted pursuant to procedure set forth in the Illinois Municipal Code. The amount of the supplemental appropriation herein contained does not exceed the aggregate of additional revenue available to the City after adoption of the original appropriation ordinance for 2025 and fund balances available to the City at the time of adoption of the 2025 appropriation ordinance, but not appropriated at that time.

Section 4. All orders, resolutions, or ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed insofar as such conflict exists, and this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

Section 5. A full, true, and complete copy of this ordinance shall be published within the (10) days after passage in pamphlet form by and under authority of the Corporate Authorities.

APPROVED:

Thomas P. McNamara, Mayor

ATTESTED:

Angela Hammer, Legal Director

PASSED:

APPROVED:

PUBLISHED:

ATTESTED and FILED in my office this _____ day of _____, 2026, by order of the City Council of the City of Rockford, Illinois

Legal Director and ex officio

Keeper of the Records and Seal

Published in pamphlet form this _____ day of _____, 2026, by order of the City Council of the City of Rockford, Illinois.