

**MINUTES OF THE  
TRUTH-IN-TAXATION HEARING  
OF THE LEMONT PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT  
COOK AND DUPAGE COUNTIES, ILLINOIS  
HELD AT THE LIBRARY DISTRICT LEARNING CENTER  
50 EAST WEND STREET, LEMONT, ILLINOIS**

**November 13, 2018**

**I. Call to Order**

President Vytenis Kirvelaitis called the meeting to order at 6:45 p.m.

**II. Roll Call**

The following trustees answered present: Thomas Burton, Jr., Patricia Camalliere, Tom Culcasi, Vytenis Kirvelaitis, Catherine Sanders and Michaeline Skibinski. Trustee Christine Hogan was absent. Library Director Sandra Pointon also attended.

**III. Reasons for Proposed Increase**

The proposed amount of Corporate and Special Purpose Property Taxes to be levied for the 2018-2019 fiscal year was \$1,849,000, a 33.1 percent increase over the previous year. The estimated property taxes to be levied for debt service and public building commission leases were \$263,400, or a 3.3% decrease over 2017.

Overall, the estimated total property taxes to be levied for 2018 are \$2,112,400. This represents a 27.8% increase over the previous year. The Board would vote on the ordinance at its regular meeting, directly after the hearing.

Adoption of the annual tax levy ordinance allows the Library to capture all available property tax monies, including first year growth. The Property Tax Extension Limitation Law (PTELL) limits taxing districts to an increase in property tax extensions on existing property of the lesser of 5.0% or the increase in the national Consumer Price Index. The actual taxes extended and collected have traditionally fallen considerably below the estimate, so 2018 taxes are actually projected to increase very little.

**IV. Public Testimony**

There were no comments or questions from the floor.

**V. Adjournment**

Trustee Sanders made a motion, seconded by Trustee Culcasi, to adjourn the meeting at 6:53 p.m. A voice vote was taken: all ayes, no nays. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Ramona Stephens-Zemaitis