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Decatur Township  
Attn Supervisor  
1620 S Taylorville Rd  
DECATUR, IL 62521

## Tax District Levy Amount Signoff

This is a tax report showing your tax district's levy request and maximum rates for tax year 2023.

Please review this report to be sure all levy information is correct and meets your approval. We would like this report reviewed before proceeding any further in the tax extension process.

If everything is correct, please sign and date this page and return it to the address listed above.

If you find an error or have any questions, please contact our office IMMEDIATELY at the number listed above.  
Thank you for your assistance.

TT04 DECATUR TOWNSHIP

Description	Levied Amount	Maximum Rate
001 CORPORATE	697,645	0.25000
007 ROAD & BRIDGE	18,314	0.12500
011 PUBLIC ASSIST	445,294	0.10000
017 CEMETERY	230,616	0.05000
035 LIABILITY INSURANCE	31,175	
005 IMRF	81,000	
047 SOCIAL SECURITY	55,387	
Total:	\$1,559,431	

Please sign and return this to Jennifer Atwood [jatwood@maconcounty.illinois.gov](mailto:jatwood@maconcounty.illinois.gov)

Susan K. Tulak  
Signature

3/11/24  
Date

## Susie Tulak

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**From:** Jennifer Atwood <jatwood@maconcounty.illinois.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, March 8, 2024 4:09 PM  
**To:** Susie Tulak  
**Subject:** REVISED TAX LEVI SIGN OFF  
**Attachments:** SKM\_550i24030817040.pdf

Good afternoon, Susan.

Per the letter I received, I made the corrections you sent me.  
Here is a revised Levy Sign Off, Please sign and email it back to me if everything looks good.

Thank You & Have A Great Weekend!

**JENNIFER L. ATWOOD**  
**TAX EXTENSION OFFICER**  
**[jatwood@maconcounty.illinois.gov](mailto:jatwood@maconcounty.illinois.gov)**  
**ph. (217) 424-1308**

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## *Town of Decatur*

1620 South Taylorville Road  
Decatur, Illinois 62521

Telephone: (217) 429-5284  
FAX: (217) 429-4370



March 5, 2024

Macon County Clerk's Office  
141 South Main Street  
Decatur, IL 62523

RE: Tax District Levy Amount Signoff

The following correction is needed:

General Town Fund: \$697,645

IMRF kept at \$81,000

Social Security kept at \$55,387

The total dollar amount remains the same \$834,032.

Sincerley,

Susan Tulak

Decatur Township Supervisor

Supervisor: Susan K. Tulak

Town Clerk: Ada Owens

Board of Trustees: John Funk • Devon Joyner • Michael Smith • Derrick Thaxton

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JOSH TANNER  
COUNTY CLERK MACON COUNTYORDINANCE 23-06**AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE 2023 ANNUAL TAX LEVY AND CERTIFICATE OF TAXES LEVIED FOR DECATUR TOWNSHIP**

WHEREAS, Decatur Township ("Township") is a township operating and existing under the Illinois Township Code, in Macon County, Illinois; and

WHEREAS, there was passed by the Supervisor and Board of Township Trustees of Decatur Township a Budget and Appropriation Ordinance on May 4, 2023 (incorporated herein by reference), for the fiscal year commencing April 1, 2023 and ending March 31, 2024.

WHEREAS, based on the total appropriations made in and by said annual appropriations ordinance, the amount necessary to defray all necessary expenses and liabilities of Decatur Township, for the fiscal year commencing on April 1, 2023, and ending March 31, 2024, amounts to the sum of \$2,662,233.00, which is further broken down by fund; and

WHEREAS, the Township Board desires to adopt this Tax Levy Ordinance to approve the levying of taxes for the Township's General Town Fund, Town Cemeteries Fund, Liability Insurance Fund, and General Assistance Fund, all in order to defray the expenses and purposes associated with said funds as set forth by the Township Budget & Appropriation Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Township Board hereby sets forth the following levies: \$834,032 for Corporate; \$445,294 for Public Assistance; \$230,616 for Cemetery; and \$31,175 for Liability.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF DECATUR TOWNSHIP, MACON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** Recitals. The preliminary paragraphs set forth above are incorporated herein as part of this Ordinance.

**Section 2.** Fund Levies. The following amounts shall be levied for the identified funds of Decatur Township to defray the identified expenses and purposes of each fund.

**I. GENERAL TOWN FUND (Includes levies for: a) ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT FUND; and b) SOCIAL SECURITY CONTRIBUTION): \$834,032.00**

A. General Town Fund Expenses. That the compensation of Township officers, administrative personnel and expenses, insurance benefits, professional development, mileage, postage, printing, equipment, supplies, service charges, accounting, contingencies, assessor's office expenses and personnel, is budgeted and expected to approximate \$1,788,600.00 (exclusive of IMRF and Social Security expenses), as set forth in the Township Budget & Appropriation Ordinance.

B. General Town Fund Levy. There is hereby levied and assessed upon all property subject to taxation within Decatur Township, as the same is assessed and equalized for state and county purposes, for the fiscal year commencing April 1, 2023, and ending March 31, 2024, the amount of \$834,032 to defray the General Town Fund Expenses.

## **II. TOWN CEMETERIES FUND: \$230,616.00**

A. Cemetery Fund Expenses. That the compensation of cemetery employees, insurance, building maintenance, equipment maintenance, landscaping, utilities, office expenses and the disposal of landscaping for the general operation of the Township cemeteries is budgeted and expected to be \$487,883.00, as set forth in the Township Budget & Appropriation Ordinance.

B. Cemetery Fund Levy. There is hereby levied and assessed upon all property subject to taxation within Decatur Township, as the same is assessed and equalized for state and county purposes, for the fiscal year commencing April 1, 2023, and ending March 31, 2024, the amount of \$230,616. to defray the Cemetery Fund Expenses.

## **III. ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT FUND (Included in TOWN FUND LEVY): \$81,000.00**

A. Municipal Retirement Fund Expenses. The Township Board estimates the Illinois Municipal Retirement fund expenses and contributions will approximate or exceed \$52,000.00, as set forth in the Township Budget & Appropriation Ordinance.

B. Municipal Retirement Fund Levy. There is hereby levied and assessed upon all property subject to taxation within Decatur Township, as the same is assessed and equalized for state and county purposes, for the fiscal year commencing April 1, 2023, and ending March 31, 2024, the amount of \$81,000 to defray the Municipal Retirement Fund Expenses.

## **IV. SOCIAL SECURITY CONTRIBUTION (Included in TOWN FUND LEVY): \$55,387**

A. Social Security Fund Expenses. The Township Board estimates the Social Security fund expenses and contributions will approximate or exceed \$68,900.00, as set forth in the Township Budget & Appropriation Ordinance.

B. Social Security Fund Levy. There is hereby levied and assessed upon all property subject to taxation within Decatur Township, as the same is assessed and equalized for state and county purposes, for the fiscal year commencing April 1, 2023, and ending March 31, 2024, the amount of \$55,387 to defray the Social Security Fund Expenses.

**V. LIABILITY INSURANCE FUND: \$31,175**

A. Liability Insurance Fund Expenses. The Township Board estimates that payments for Liability Insurance, Worker's Compensation and Occupational Disease and Unemployment Insurance will approximate or exceed \$32,000.00.

B. Liability Insurance Fund Levy. There is hereby levied and assessed upon all property subject to taxation within Decatur Township, as the same is assessed and equalized for state and county purposes, for the fiscal year commencing April 1, 2023, and ending March 31, 2024, the amount of \$31,175.00 to defray the Liability Insurance Fund Expenses.

**VI. GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND (A/K/A PUBLIC ASSISTANCE FUND): \$445,294.00**

A. General Assistance Fund Expenses. That the compensation of general assistance employees and expenses, insurance benefits, professional development, mileage, postage, printing, equipment, supplies, accounting, contingencies, and general assistance programs and services, is budgeted and expected to approximate \$232,850.00 as set forth in the Township Budget & Appropriation Ordinance.

B. General Assistance Fund Levy. There is hereby levied and assessed upon all property subject to taxation within Decatur Township, as the same is assessed and equalized for state and county purposes, for the fiscal year commencing April 1, 2023, and ending March 31, 2024, the amount of \$445,294 to defray the General Assistance Fund Expenses.

**RECAPITULATION**

Corporate Tax - General Town Fund	\$ 834,032.00
Cemetery Tax - Cemetery Fund	\$ 230,616.00
Liability Insurance Tax	\$ 31,175.00
General Assistance Tax	<u>\$ 445,294.00</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 1,541,117.00</b>

Making the aggregate sum of one million five hundred and forty-one thousand one-hundred and seventeen dollars (\$1,541,117.00) to be raised by taxation and levied on all taxable property in said Township, in order to meet and defray all the necessary expenses and liabilities of the Township, as required by Statute or voted by the people in accordance with law.

**Section 3.** The Township Board does hereby certify that the amounts levied herein are necessary to be raised by taxation for the purposes specified in each fund for Township purposes.

**Section 4.** The Township Clerk shall file with the County Clerk of the County of Macon, State of Illinois, a certified copy of this Ordinance, and said County Clerk shall extend the rate per

centum as provided by law.

**Section 5.** This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval, and publication as may be required by law.

**Section 6.** If any part of this Ordinance shall be deemed to be invalid, the remaining parts shall remain in full force and effect.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 7 day of December 2023, at Decatur Township, Macon County, Illinois, by a roll call vote as follows:

	YES	NO	ABSENT	PRESENT
TULAK	✓			
FUNK	✓			
JOYNER	✓			
SMITH	✓			
THAXTON	✓			
TOTAL	5	0	0	5

**DECATUR TOWNSHIP**

Susie Tulak  
Susie Tulak, Township Supervisor

ATTEST:

Ada Owens  
Ada Owens, Township Clerk

Michael Smith  
Michael Smith, Trustee

John Funk  
John Funk, Trustee

Devon Joyner  
Devon Joyner, Trustee

Derrick Thaxton  
Derrick Thaxton, Trustee

CERTIFICATE OF ANNUAL TOWNSHIP TAX LEVY 2023  
THE TOWNSHIP OF DECATUR

STATE OF ILLINOIS                    )  
COUNTY OF MACON                 ) SS  
THE TOWNSHIP OF DECATUR        )

TO THE COUNTY CLERK OF MACON COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

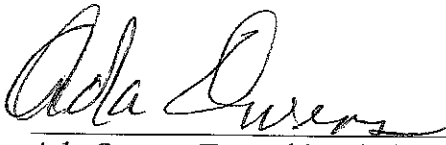
The undersigned, duly elected, Clerk of Decatur Township, Macon County, Illinois, does hereby certify that the attached hereto is a true and correct copy of the Decatur Township Tax Levy Ordinance, of said Township for the tax year 2023, collectible in 2024, as adopted this 7 day of December 2023.

The taxes levied by fund are as follows:

- (1) GENERAL TOWN FUND: \$834,032
- (2) ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT FUND: \$81,000
- (3) TOWN CEMETERIES FUND: \$230,616
- (4) LIABILITY INSURANCE FUND: \$31,175
- (5) SOCIAL SECURITY FUND: \$55,387
- (6) GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND: \$445,294

This certification is made and filed pursuant to the requirements of (60 ILCS 1/75-20) and on behalf of Decatur Township, Macon County, Illinois. This certification must be filed by the last Tuesday in December.

Dated this 7 day of December 2023.

  
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Ada Owens, Township Clerk



**TRUTH IN TAXATION**  
**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

This applies to the tax levy for the year 2023 payable 2024

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am the presiding officer of Decatur Township, and as such presiding officer, I certify that the levy ordinance, a copy of which is attached, was adopted pursuant to, and in all respects in compliance with the provisions of Section 18-60 through 18-85 of the "Truth "Taxation" law.



The taxing district's aggregate levy did not exceed a 5% increase over the prior year's extension.

Therefore, a notice and a hearing were not necessary.

Dated December 17, 2023.

Presiding Officer Susan K. Tulak  
Susie Tulak, Township Supervisor

