## **VILLAGE OF ANTIOCH**

#### 15-10-14

# AN ORDINANCE AMENDING §4-10-2 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF ANTIOCH ELIMINATING RAFFLE LICENSE FEES

## ADOPTED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES

OF THE

VILLAGE OF ANTIOCH, ILLINOIS

ON

**OCTOBER 19, 2015** 

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## **ORDINANCE 15-10-14**

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**WHEREAS**, the Village has long licensed raffles consistent with the provisions of 230 ILCS 15/1 et. seq., and

WHEREAS, there is no provision in that statute requiring that a fee be charged by any unit of local government as a condition of approving a raffle license, and

WHEREAS, the terms and conditions of Chapter 4-10 of the Antioch Municipal Code closely mirror those in that statute, and

WHEREAS, raffle licenses are only available to the following persons or organizations for charitable or other non-profit purposes:

Licenses may be issued only to bona fide religious, charitable, labor, business, fraternal, educational, civic or veterans' organizations that operate without profit to their members and which have been in existence continuously for a period of at least five (5) years before making application for a license and which have had during that entire five (5) year period a bona fide membership engaged in carrying out their objects, or to a nonprofit fundraising organization that the village determines is organized for the sole purpose of providing financial assistance to an identified individual or group of individuals suffering extreme financial hardship as the result of an illness, disability, accident or disaster. (Antioch Code, 4-10-2B), and

WHEREAS, the Village Board finds that at no time in recent memory has a raffle licensee actually paid a fee, it being routine and standard practice of the Village Board to approve resolutions waiving the same, because of the charitable or community-benefit nature of all such raffle requests coming before it, and

WHEREAS, the Village Board finds that whatever purpose there was in imposing a fee on such organizations for holding a raffle, there is no such reason currently in existence, or likely to come into existence in the foreseeable future, and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Village of Antioch, Lake County, Illinois, as follows:

**SECTION ONE:** Section 4-10-2A of the Antioch Municipal Code is hereby amended and shall hereafter read as follows (additions <u>underlined</u>, deletions <u>stricken</u>):

A. Licenses Required; Fee: Except as provided in section 4-10-3 of this chapter, no person, organization or corporation shall conduct a raffle or sell chances for a raffle within the village without having first obtained a license for that purpose. The fee for a license to conduct a raffle or lottery shall be twenty five dollars (\$25.00). There is no fee for a raffle license.

**SECTION TWO:** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as required by law.

PASSED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF ANTIOCH, ILLINOIS, ON THIS 19 DAY OF OCTOBER, 2015.

ATTEST:

LAWRENCE M. HANSON, MAYOR

LORI K. FOLBRICK, VILLAGE CLERK

COUNT

STATE OF ILLINOIS )

SS
COUNTY OF LAKE )

#### **CERTIFICATE**

I, Lori K. Folbrick, certify that I am the duly appointed Municipal Clerk of the Village of Antioch, Lake County, Illinois.

I certify that on October 19, 2015, the Corporate Authorities of such municipality passed and approved **Ordinance No. 15-10-14**, entitled "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING §4-10-2 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF ANTIOCHELIMINATING RAFFLE LICENSE FEES" which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of **Ordinance No. 15-10-14**, including the Ordinance and cover sheet thereof, was prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance was posted in the municipal building, commencing on October 26, 2015 and continuing for at least ten days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the office of the Municipal Clerk.

DATED at Antioch, Illinois, this 26 day of October, 2015

Lori K. Folbrick, RMC/CMC

Village Clerk

