

RESOLUTION NO. 715-26
A Resolution in Support of Municipal Housing Authority
for the Village of Island Lake, Lake and McHenry Counties, Illinois

WHEREAS, the Village of Island Lake has the responsibility to promote public health, safety and general welfare by regulating land use, density and development standards within the Village of Island Lake; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Island Lake recognizes that municipal authority of land use and zoning is a means to address separating incompatible land uses, protecting property values, managing traffic flow, ensuring adequate infrastructure and guiding orderly community growth; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Island Lake reiterates that community-led policies for land use and zoning are not causing a crisis of housing affordability or availability; and

WHEREAS, land use and zoning decisions are appropriately made at the local level by municipal officials familiar with the unique characteristics of the Village of Island Lake; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Island Lake find that the existing municipal authority for land use and zoning is essential for the continuing community vitality of the Village;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Island Lake as follows:

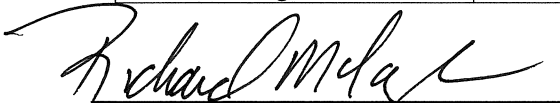
Section 1. The foregoing recitals shall be and are hereby incorporated as findings of fact as if said recitals were fully set forth herein.


Section 2. The Village of Island Lake urges the Illinois General Assembly and Governor to preserve municipal authority for land use and zoning in its current form without additional restrictions on municipal governments and the communities they serve.

Section 3. The Village Clerk shall forward a copy of this Resolution to the Illinois Municipal League.

PASSED on the 9th day of April, 2026.

| | AYES | NAYS | ABSTAIN | ABSENT |
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| Brittany Alers | | | | X |
| Charles Cermak | X | | | |
| Steve Deasey | X | | | |
| Thadd Lewis | X | | | |
| Wendy Mills | | | | X |
| Will Ziegler | X | | | |


 Richard McLaughlin, Mayor

ATTEST: 
 Georgine Cooper, Village Clerk

