

ORDINANCE

**RE: AMENDMENT TO THE COMBINED ANNUAL BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION
ORDINANCE FOR THE SUPERVISOR OF ASSESSMENTS**

WHEREAS, The Supervisor of Assessments desires to obtain an enhanced over flight study of property for assessment purposes that would help assessors protect themselves from Covid by being able to work from their office or home; and

WHEREAS, such change would assist in reducing travel and interaction between persons as suggested by the Department of Public Health and the County would seek reimbursement from a grant to assist local governments in working with the Covid 19 pandemic called the CURES grant; and

WHEREAS, although reimbursement is not guaranteed, it is believed that a strong case can be made for such reimbursement and in any event sufficient funds are available to accomplish this goal and it will enhance the proper assessment of property values across the County which has always been a struggle, and this requires a budget amendment; and,

WHEREAS, the budget therefore needs to be amended to budget these funds accordingly and this need was not known when the budget was prepared, and thus was not included.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the County Board of Vermilion County Illinois that the County Auditor and County Board Chairman and Office be authorized and instructed to transfer funds for the Supervisor of Assessments budget for fiscal year 2020-2021 as set out below:

001.550.00.04361 Contractual/Professional \$371,993.00

And the totals be adjusted accordingly.

PRESENTED, APPROVED AND ORDAINED by the County Board of Vermilion County, Illinois at the December 7, 2019 A.D. Session.

This amendment takes two thirds majority for passage.

DATED this 7th day of December 2020 A.D.

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Chairman, Vermilion County Board

ATTEST: Cathy Jenkins

Ordinance #
20-1209

**Request for Amendment
Fiscal Budget
2020 - 2021**

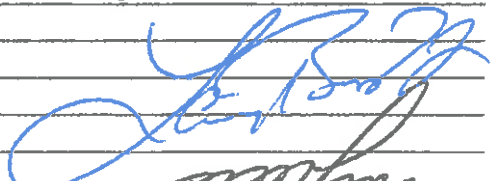
Dept: Supervisor of Assessments

Date: 12/3/2020

Account Number	Account Description	Original Appr.	Additional	To Read
<u>001.550.00.4361</u>	<u>Contractual & Professional</u>	\$ <u>5,000</u>	\$ <u>371,993</u>	\$ <u>376,993</u>
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Narrative:

The request for this amendment, to the current budget, is to provide funds for a fly-over as well as ChangeFinder by Pictometry. This software will allow both Township and County Assessment Officials to "work-from-home" and comply with State and Federal guidelines due to current COVID-19 restrictions. The new flight will feature three inch per pixel resolution and the ChangFinder program will identify those parcels with improvements that have changed in size since the last flight. The clarity of the new imagery will allow the Assessors to measure and calculate assessments remotely. It is our intent that 100% of this cost will be reimbursed by the CURES ACT GRANT.


 Department Head: Matthew Long

Approved By:

_____ Committee

 Chairman

Finance Committee

 Chairman

Dated: _____

Dated: _____

Budget Amendment – Supervisor of Assessments

APPROVED BY Finance Personnel: December 3, 2020

Steve Fourez Y N A
Committee Chairperson

Wesley Bieritz Y N A

Robert Boyd Y N A

Breannah Haton Y N A

Becky Stark Y N A

Bruce Stark Y N A

Adam Hart Y N A