

**VILLAGE OF VERNON HILLS
ORDINANCE 2023-098**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES TO WISCONSIN
CENTRAL RAILROAD FOR THE MILWAUKEE AVENUE PEDESTRIAN CROSSING IN THE
AMOUNT OF \$58,833.86**

WHEREAS, the Village of Vernon Hills (“Village”) desires to provide non-vehicular modes of transportation for its residents; and

WHEREAS, the Village has promoted the extension of its bicycle and pedestrian systems along Milwaukee Avenue; and

WHEREAS, said facilities exist on the north and south sides of the Wisconsin Central Ltd.’s E.J. & E. Railroad adjacent to the westerly ROW of Milwaukee Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the Village petitioned the Interstate Commerce Commission (“ICC”) to permit the extension of the facilities across this railroad and the ICC directed Wisconsin Central Ltd. to install said facilities under order T18-0040; and

WHEREAS, the Village Board approved Resolution 2021-038 approving a license agreement with Wisconsin Central Ltd. for installation of the crossing; and

WHEREAS, the License Agreement required the Village to pay for all costs associated with the installation of the crossing; and

WHEREAS, per Resolution 2020-033 the Village Board required Pulte Home Company, LLC to reimburse the Village for the cost of the improvements; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin Central Ltd. has issued the Village a progress invoice in the amount of \$58,833.86.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF VERNON HILLS, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: AUTHORIZATION & RELEASE OF PAYMENT: The Finance Director is authorized to execute payments to Wisconsin Central Ltd. for their invoices in the amount of \$58,833.86.

SECTION 2: EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effective from its passage and approval.

SECTION 3: ORDINANCE NUMBER: This Ordinance shall be known as Ordinance Number 2023-098.

Dated the 3rd of October, 2023.

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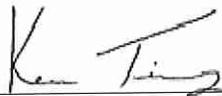
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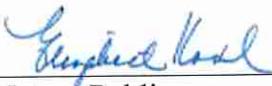
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF LAKE)

I, KEVIN TIMONY, BEING FIRST DULY APPOINTED, DEPOSES AND SAYS ON OATH THAT AS VILLAGE CLERK OF THE VILLAGE OF VERNON HILLS, HE DID CAUSE THE FOREGOING CERTIFICATE FOR ORDINANCE NO. 2023-098 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES TO WISCONSIN CENTRAL RAILROAD FOR THE MILWAUKEE AVENUE PEDESTRIAN CROSSING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$58,833.86 TO BE POSTED IN THE VILLAGE HALL AS REQUIRED BY LAW FROM OCTOBER 3, 2023 TO OCTOBER 13, 2023.



Kevin Timony, Village Clerk

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME
THIS 3rd DAY OF OCTOBER 2023



Notary Public

