



1           adopted November 5, 1940, and Act 16 of the acts of the General Assembly  
2           of the State of Arkansas for the year 1941, a tax of one (1) mill;

3           (e) For the purpose of maintaining the City Library, in accordance with the pro-  
4           visions of Amendment No. 30 to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas,  
5           a tax of three and three tenths (3.3) mills;

6           (f) For the purpose of paying bonds and interest as required for the City of  
7           Little Rock, Arkansas, for Library System Capital Improvement Bonds, au-  
8           thorized in Little Rock, Ark., Ordinance No. 21,034 (May 5, 2015), to re-  
9           fund the outstanding City of Little Rock, Arkansas, Library Construction  
10          and Capital Improvement Bonds and issuance of new Library Construction,  
11          Improvement and Refunding Bonds, approved at a special election held on  
12          July 14, 2015, a tax of one and eight tenths of one (1.8) mills.

13          **Section 2.** Since the City achieved equalization in 1989 under the provisions of Amendment  
14          59 to the Arkansas Constitution, the tax rates are the same for both real and personal property.

15          **Section 3.** Because Pulaski County completed a county-wide reappraisal of property in 2006,  
16          the millage rates set forth in Section 1 of this Ordinance may be subject to the rollback provisions  
17          of Amendment 59 to the Arkansas Constitution as determined by the Arkansas Assessment Coor-  
18          dination Department although such a rollback is not anticipated; however, to the extent that the  
19          millage rates in Section 1 are ordered roll backed in accordance with state law, the Board of Di-  
20          rectors adopts and ratifies such millage rates.

21          **Section 4.** The City Clerk is hereby directed immediately to transmit a certified copy of this  
22          Ordinance to the County Clerk of Pulaski County so that the taxes recited may be extended on the  
23          tax books of Pulaski County and collected with the other taxes for the year 2017.

24          **Section 5. Severability.** In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause,  
25          phrase, or word of this ordinance is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such  
26          declaration or adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of the ordinance which shall  
27          remain in full force and effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional  
28          was not originally a part of the ordinance.

29          **Section 6. Repealer.** All ordinances and resolutions, and parts thereof, which are in conflict  
30          with any provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

1        **Section 7. *Emergency.*** *It is essential to the public health, safety and welfare that the proper*  
2 *millage rates be stated each year, and that this information be promptly communicated with the*  
3 *Pulaski County government in order to assure that appropriate tax millages are put into effect for*  
4 *the following calendar year; an emergency is, therefore, declared to exist and this ordinance shall*  
5 *be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage.*

6 **PASSED: November 7, 2017**

7 **ATTEST:**

**APPROVED:**

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**Susan Langley, City Clerk**

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11 **APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:**

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**Thomas M. Carpenter, City Attorney**

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