

**VILLAGE OF DOWNERS GROVE
REPORT FOR THE VILLAGE COUNCIL WORKSHOP
AUGUST 25, 2009 AGENDA**

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	SUBMITTED BY:
Authorize Acceptance of Credit Card Payments	Resolution Ordinance Motion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discussion Only	Judy Buttny Finance Director

SYNOPSIS

A public hearing has been noticed to authorize the Village to collect credit card payments for fines, fees and other charges in accordance with the Local Government Acceptance of Credit Cards Act.

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT

The Five Year plan and Goals for 2008-2013 identified *Exceptional Municipal Organization*. A supporting objective of this goal is *Financially Sustainable Village Government*.

FISCAL IMPACT

N/A.

RECOMMENDATION

N/A.

BACKGROUND

A public hearing has been called by the Village Council to consider authorizing the Village to collect credit card payments for fines, fees and other charges in accordance with the Local Government Acceptance of Credit Cards Act. All interested persons are invited to attend the public hearing and will be given the opportunity to comment and make statements on the proposed item.

A summary of the procedures for the public hearing is as follows:

1. The Mayor will ask the Village Manager to summarize the purpose of the public hearing.
2. The Village Council will then have the opportunity to ask questions or make comments.
3. Members of the public will then be offered the opportunity to ask a question or make a comment.
4. The hearing will then adjourn.

ATTACHMENTS

N/A