

RESOLUTION 2008-11

RESOLUTION FOR A REFERENDUM AUTHORIZING A TAX TO FUND
SUPPORTIVE AND NUTRITIONAL SERVICES FOR SENIOR ADULTS

WHEREAS, a sufficient amount of funds are not available from the general corporate fund of Union County to fund supportive and nutritional services for senior adults; and

WHEREAS, Illinois Revised Statutes, 55 ILCS 5/5-1034 authorizes an annual tax levy not to exceed 0.025 percent of value as equalized or assessed by the Department of Revenue of all taxable property in the county for purposes of providing social services for senior citizens.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following questions be submitted to the voters of Union County at the next election in accordance with the general election law in this state:

"Shall the Union County Board of Commissioners be authorized to levy a tax at a rate not to exceed 0.025 percent of the equalized assessed value of all taxable property within Union County for the purpose of funding social services for senior citizens in Union County which includes the services of congregate meals, home delivered meals, transportation, outreach, information and assistance, and respite care? And, that this funding be distributed only to agencies which provide these services throughout the entire county."

The Union County Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to do all acts necessary for the submission of the above question to the voters of Union County.

Approved this day August 25, 2008, at a regular meeting of the Union County Board by a vote of 3 to 0 yes.


Chairman, Union County Board

ATTEST:


Union County Clerk & Recorder