

**CITY OF IONIA
IONIA COUNTY, MICHIGAN
ORDINANCE NO. 575**

At a regular meeting of the Ionia City Council held on April 12, 2023 at the Ionia City Hall, Councilmember Milewski, supported by Councilmember Millard, moved the adoption of the following ordinance:

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 3 OF ORDINANCE NO. 360
OF THE ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF IONIA ENTITLED “AN ORDINANCE
ADOPTING BY REFERENCE THE UNIFORM CITY INCOME TAX
ORDINANCE AS SET FORTH IN CHAPTER 2 OF ACT 284 OF THE PUBLIC
ACTS OF 1964, AS AMENDED.”**

The City of Ionia Hereby Ordains:

Section One: Amendment

That Section 3 of Ordinance No. 360 of the Ordinances of the City of Ionia is amended to read in its entirety as follows:

Section 3. After enactment of the income tax ordinance, property taxes in the City of Ionia levied pursuant to the City’s power and authority to levy taxes contained in the City of Ionia Charter shall be limited to 3.0 mills for general operating purposes. The term “general operating purposes” as used in this ordinance does not include taxes levied by the City of Ionia for initiatives specifically approved by the Ionia City Council that are not part of general municipal operations, such as, but not limited to, public safety apparatuses, theatre improvements, park system improvements, or environmental response costs, which are subject to the tax rate limitation established by the City of Ionia Charter of 15.0 mills.

Section Two: Repealer

That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section Three: Publication and Effective Date

The City Clerk shall cause a notice of adoption of this ordinance to be published. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon publication of a summary thereof as permitted by law, along with the date of its adoption, in the *Daily News*, a newspaper of general circulation in the City.

AYES: Councilmembers: Waterman, Gustafson, Millard, Starr, Milewski, Lee, Videtich, Winters, and Balice.

NAYS: Councilmembers: None.

ABSTAIN: Councilmembers: None.

ABSENT: Councilmembers: None.

ORDINANCE DECLARED ADOPTED.

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Dated: April 12, 2023

Mary Patrick
By: Mary Patrick, City Clerk

Introduction and First Reading:	March 1, 2023
Notice of Public Hearing:	March 11, 2023
Public Hearing, Second Reading:	April 12, 2023
Adoption:	April 12, 2023
Effective: upon <i>Daily News</i> publication	April 18, 2023