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**VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

ORDINANCE NO. 936

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 335, AN ORDINANCE
AMENDING CHAPTER 158, SIGNS AND BILLBOARDS, OF THE
MUNICIPAL CODE OF MELROSE PARK, ILLINOIS OF 1970, FOR
THE VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK, COUNTY OF COOK, STATE
OF ILLINOIS.**

**ADOPTED BY THE
PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF THE
VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK**

THIS 12TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2005

**RONALD M. SERPICO, Village President
MARY ANN PAOLANTONIO SALEMI, Village Clerk**

Board Of Trustees

**JOHN S. CONTEDEUCA
CATHLEEN COSSIDENT ITALIA
THOMAS KLEIN
RUBEN LOMELI
ARTURO J. MOTA
ANTHONY J. PRIGNANO**

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**Published by authority of the
President and Board of Trustees
Of the Village of Melrose Park,
Cook County, Illinois on
This 13TH day of SEPTEMBER 2005**

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PARK, COUNTY OF COOK, STATE OF ILLINOIS.**

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WHEREAS, the Village of Melrose Park, Cook County, State of Illinois (“the Village”) is a duly organized and existing Village created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois, and is now operating under the provisions of the Illinois Municipal Code, and all laws amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto with full powers to enact ordinances for the benefit of the residents of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Village President, the Honorable Ronald M. Serpico, the Village Clerk, the Honorable Mary Ann Paolantonio Salemi, having taken office on May 2, 2005 and the Village Board of Trustees, the Honorable John S. Conteduca, Cathleen Cossident Italia, Tom "T.K." Klein, Ruben Lomeli, Trustee Arturo J. Mota and Anthony J. Prignano, having taken office on May 2, 2005, constitute the duly elected, qualified and acting officials of the Village; and

WHEREAS, on February 23, 1998, the Village of Melrose Park passed an Ordinance, number 335, amending Chapter 158, Signs and Billboards, of the Village Code of 1970; and

WHEREAS, the President and the Board of Trustees of the Village have determined that it is necessary, advisable and in the best interest of the Village and its inhabitants to make a certain amendment to Ordinance 335, an Ordinance Amending

Chapter 158, Signs and Billboards, of the Municipal Code of Melrose Park of 1970 (the "Village Code");

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Village President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Melrose Park, Cook County Illinois, as follows:

**ARTICLE I.
IN GENERAL**

Section 01. Incorporation Clause.

The President and Board of Trustees of the Village (the "Village Board") hereby find that all of the recitals hereinbefore stated as contained in the preambles to this Ordinance are full, true and correct and does hereby, by reference, incorporate and make them part of this Ordinance.

Section 02. Purpose.

The purpose of this ordinance is to make a certain amendment to Ordinance Number 335.

Section 03. Invocation of Authority.

This ordinance is enacted pursuant to the authority granted to this Village by the Constitution of the State of Illinois and the Illinois Compiled Statutes.

Section 04. State Law Adopted.

All applicable provisions of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, including the Illinois Municipal Code, as may be amended from time to time, relating to the purposes of this ordinance are hereby incorporated herein by reference.

Sections 05-09. Reserved.

**ARTICLE II.
AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE 335.**

Section 10.00 Amendment to Section 11, "Signs Exempt From Regulation" of Ordinance Number 335.

Section 11, "Signs Exempt from Regulation," of Ordinance Number 335, and Chapter 158, (Signs and Billboards), of the Village Code, is hereby amended by adding the following provision to said Section, and inserting the following language:

- (3) Any real estate zoned for residential use, shall be permitted to display any sign, or similar structure, erected or used to display or notify of the sale or lease of residential real estate, provided that said residential real estate sign is no larger than six (6) feet in height, and six (6) feet in length.

**ARTICLE III.
SAVINGS CLAUSES,
PUBLICATION, EFFECTIVE DATE**

Section 11.00 Headings.

The headings for the articles, sections, paragraphs and sub-paragraphs of this Ordinance are inserted solely for the convenience of reference and form no substantive part of this Ordinance nor should they be used in any interpretation or construction of any substantive provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 12.00 Severability.

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and should any provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section, or part of this Ordinance be determined to be in conflict with any law, statute or regulation by a court of competent jurisdiction, said provision shall be excluded and deemed inoperative, unenforceable, and as though not provided for herein, and all other provisions shall remain unaffected, unimpaired, valid and in full force and effect. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent of the Board of Trustees that this Ordinance would have been adopted had not such unconstitutional or invalid provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section, or part thereof had not been included.

Section 14.00 Superseder.

All code provisions, ordinances, resolutions and orders, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith, are to the extent of such conflict hereby superseded.

Section 15.00 Publication.

A full, true and complete copy of this Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form or in a newspaper published and of general circulation within the Village as provided by the Illinois Municipal Code, as amended.

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Section 16.00 Effective date

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon passage and approval, as provided by the Illinois Municipal Code, as amended.

On The Individual Poll And Voice Vote Of The Board Of Trustees:

AYE VOTES: Trustee Conteduca, Trustee Lomeli, Trustee Mota,
Trustee Prignano

NAY VOTES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT: Trustee Italia, Trustee Klein

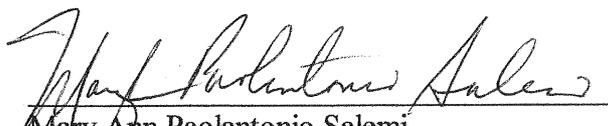
SO PASSED, ADOPTED, APPROVED AND ENACTED IN AND AT THE
VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK, COUNTY OF COOK, STATE OF ILLINOIS, THIS
TWELFTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2005 A.D.

APPROVED:



RONALD M. SERPICO,
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:



Mary Ann Paolantonio Salemi
Village Clerk

(SEAL)

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