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VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK  
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE NO. 1392

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
THE VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK AND MUNICIPAL  
RECOVERY SERVICES, INC., 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 14<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JUNE 2010

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

Board Of Trustees

CATHLEEN COSSIDENT ITALIA  
ANTHONY J. PRIGNANO  
ARTURO J. MOTA  
MARY RAMIREZ TACONI  
JAIME ANGUIANO  
ANTHONY N. ABRUZZO

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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 15<sup>TH</sup> day of JUNE 2010

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

**WHEREAS**, the Village President (the “President”), the Honorable Ronald M. Serpico, the Village Clerk, the Honorable Mary Ann Paolantonio Salemi, and the Board of Trustees of the Village (the “Village Board”), the Honorable Cathleen Cossident Italia, Anthony J. Prignano, Arturo J. Mota, Mary Ramirez Taconi, Jaime Anguiano and Anthony N. Abruzzo, having taken office on April 30, 2009, constitute the duly elected, qualified and acting officials of the Village; and

**WHEREAS**, the President and the Village Board (collectively, the “Corporate Authorities”) are committed to ensuring that outstanding debts owed to the Village (the “Debts”) are collected; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village is not equipped to undertake the task of collecting the Debts for the Village, which would include prosecuting individuals and settling claims in relation to the Debts (the “Services”); and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities recognize the need for a third party to

provide the Services to the Village; and

**WHEREAS**, Municipal Recovery Services, Inc. (the “Agency”) has provided the Village with an agreement (the “Agreement”), attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit “A,” which sets forth the terms and conditions under which the Agency will provide the Services to the Village; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village desires to enter into the Agreement with the Agency, whereby the Agency will provide the Services to the Village; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporate Authorities have determined that it is advisable, necessary and in the best interests of the Village to approve and authorize the execution of the Agreement; and

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

**ARTICLE I.  
IN GENERAL**

**Section 01. Incorporation Clause.**

All of the recitals hereinbefore stated as contained in the preambles to this Ordinance are full, true and correct, and the Corporate Authorities do hereby, by reference, incorporate and make them part of this Ordinance as legislative findings.

**Section 02. Purpose.**

The purpose of this Ordinance is to authorize the President or his designee to enter into the Agreement and to authorize and direct the President or his designee to execute all necessary documents and perform all necessary acts to effectuate the intent of this Ordinance, including the expenditure of all necessary funds.

**Section 03. Invocation of Authority.**

This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to the authority granted to the 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.  
APPROVAL & AUTHORIZATION**

**Section 10.00. Authorization of Agreement.**

The Corporate Authorities hereby approve the Agreement, with such revisions as the President or his designee deems necessary, authorize and direct the President to execute all necessary documents and perform all necessary acts to effectuate the intent of this Ordinance and authorize and direct the expenditure of all costs related thereto or resulting therefrom.

**Section 10.01. Approval and Execution of Documents.**

The Agreement is hereby approved as attached hereto with such revisions, insertions, omissions and changes as shall be approved by the President and the Village Attorney. The President or his designee is hereby authorized and directed to execute the Agreement and any other documents deemed necessary to effectuate the intent of this Ordinance, whether or not such other documents are attached hereto. The Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to attest to, countersign and affix the Seal of the Village to all such documents as are deemed necessary to effectuate the intent of this Ordinance.

The Village is authorized to allocate and spend all necessary funds to fulfill the requirements of the Agreement and of this Ordinance. To the extent that any requirement of bidding would be applicable to the Services sought hereunder, the same is hereby waived.

**Section 10.02. Other Actions Authorized.**

The officers, employees and/or agents of the Village shall take all actions necessary or reasonably required to carry out and give effect to the intent of this Ordinance and otherwise to consummate the transactions contemplated herein, and shall take all actions necessary in conformity therewith including, without limitation, the execution and delivery of all documents required to be delivered in connection with the transaction contemplated herein.

**Section 10.03. Acts of Village Officials.**

That all past, present and future acts and doings of the officials of the Village that are in conformity with the purpose and intent of this Ordinance are hereby, in all respects, ratified, approved, authorized and confirmed.

**Section 11.00 – Section 15.00 Reserved.**

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

**Section 16.00 Headings.**

The headings for the articles, sections, paragraphs and subparagraphs 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 provision of this Ordinance.

**Section 17.00 Severability.**

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and should any provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, subparagraph, 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, clause, sentence, paragraph, subparagraph, section or part 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 Corporate Authorities that this Ordinance would have been adopted had not such unconstitutional or invalid provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, subparagraph, section or part thereof been included.

**Section 18.00 Superseder.**

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

**Section 19.00 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 20.00 Effective Date.**

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage, approval and publication, as provided by law.

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

AYE VOTES: Trustee Italia, Trustee Mota, Trustee Anguiano,  
Trustee Abruzzo

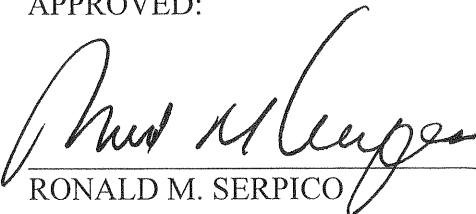
NAY VOTES:

ABSTAIN:

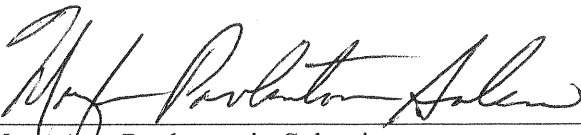
ABSENT: Trustee Prignano, Trustee Taconi

SO PASSED, ADOPTED, APPROVED AND ENACTED IN AND AT THE  
VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK, COUNTY OF COOK, STATE OF ILLINOIS, THIS  
FOURTEENTH DAY OF JUNE, 2010, A.D.

APPROVED:

  
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RONALD M. SERPICO  
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:

  
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Mary Ann Paolantonio Salemi  
Village Clerk

(SEAL)

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