

ORDINANCE NO. 7071-52
ORDINANCE AS TO WARDS AND AMENDED
WARD BOUNDARIES

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana, Illinois, by recent 1970 Federal Census was reported to have a population of 32,624, and

WHEREAS, by Statute such total population requires division of the City of Urbana into seven (7) Wards, with two (2) aldermen elected from each Ward, and

WHEREAS, consideration of the 1960 Federal Census and consideration of the number of residences constructed since the 1960 Census and the location thereof, and consideration of the amended boundaries of the City of Urbana through annexations, and consideration of the voter registration lists for the years 1960 through 1970, which considerations lead this Council to the conclusion that the present existing Ward lines result in an equal distribution of the population among the various Wards, and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Urbana is desirous of providing its citizens with as nearly an equal vote with all other voters, and thus, to secure to each citizen the equal protection of the laws, and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Urbana believes that an immediate remedy to the disproportion should be devised prior to the next election for City officers and

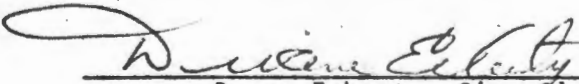
WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Urbana finds that from consideration of all available statistics, data, and information that a better distribution of population can be achieved by the amending of present Ward boundary lines.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF URBANA
THAT:

Ward boundaries for each of the seven (7) Wards of the City of Urbana are herewith and hereby changed to the following boundaries for all purposes provided, however, that the present duly elected aldermen shall continue to be regarded as the duly elected aldermen from the Wards from which they were elected until May 1st, 1971.

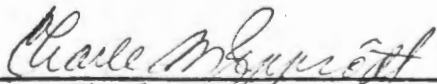
The Ward boundary of each of the seven (7) Wards shall be as designated on the attached map, which is incorporated herein and made a part of this Ordinance.

ADOPTED the 2nd day of November, 1970, by the City Council of the
City of Urbana.

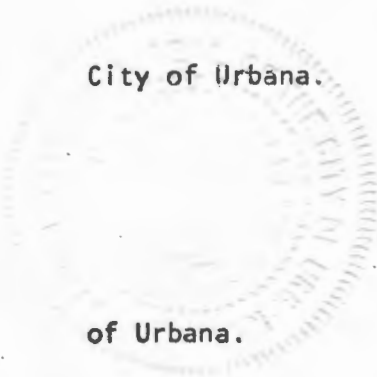


Duane Eckerty, City Clerk

APPROVED this 2nd day of November, 1970, by the Mayor of the City
of Urbana.



Charles M. Zipprott, Mayor

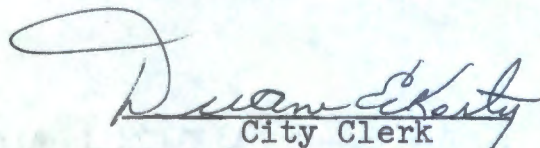


STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS.
COUNTY OF CHAMPAIGN

I, DUANE ECKERTY, City Clerk of the City of Urbana, Illinois, and keeper of the records files and seal of said City, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of an ordinance entitled, "Ordinance As To Wards and Amended Ward Boundaries", adopted by the City Council of the City of Urbana, Illinois, on the 2nd day of November, 1970; there being present and voting in favor of said ordinance were: Aldermen Russell Beaumont, Sam Dart, Jack Hensler, Verne Hoag, Robert V. Johnson, Joseph W. Phebus, Mark Reinhardt and Robert A. Shurts. Those voting "No" were Aldermen Bernadine Stake and Jeanne-Marie Wyld. Those abstaining were: Aldermen Lloyd Carter, Jr., James A. Gentry, Hiram Paley and Frederic L. Walden.

That said ordinance was approved by the Mayor on the 2nd day of November, 1970.

Given under my hand and seal of said City of Urbana, Illinois, this 31st day of January, 1973.


City Clerk

CITY SEAL

