Passed: March 17, 2014 Signed: March 19, 2014

## ORDINANCE NO. \_\_2014-03-025

FILED

MAR 2 6 2014

AN ORDINANCE DIRECTING THE CHAMPAIGN COUNTY CLERK TO

ABATE THE TAX LEVY FOR THE GENERAL CORPORATE PURPOSE FOR

THE YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2013 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2014

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana("City") is a home rule unit of local government pursuant to the provisions of Article VII, Section 6, of the Illinois Constitution, 1970, and may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs, including the power to tax; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities of the City did approve Ordinance No. 2013-11-104 on November 18, 2013, determining that the total tax levy for the City for the year beginning July 1, 2013 and ending June 30, 2014 is in the amount of \$7,346,938; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities have now determined that an appropriate total tax levy rate for the City for the year beginning July 1, 2013 and ending June 30, 2014, is \$1.3550.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Corporate Authorities of the City of Urbana, Champaign County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1. The Champaign County Clerk is hereby requested and directed to abate the General Corporate purpose levy established pursuant to Ordinance No. 2013-11-104 in an amount necessary to produce a total tax levy rate of \$1.3550 for the City of Urbana for the year beginning July 1, 2013 and ending June 30, 2014.

Section 2. The City Comptroller, or his designee, be and hereby is authorized to perform all acts necessary on behalf of the City of Urbana to implement this Ordinance.

Section 3. The City Clerk is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this Ordinance with the County Clerk of Champaign County.

AYES: Ammons, Brown, Jakobsson, Madigan, Marlin, Roberts, Smyth, Prussing

NAYS:

ABSENT:

ABSTAINED:

PASSED by the Corporate Authorities this \_17<sup>th</sup> day of \_March\_, 2014.

APPROVED by the Mayor this 19th day of March , 2014.

aurel Lurt Prussing, Mayor