
**THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

**ORDINANCE
NUMBER 2019-030**

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A LOCAL MOTOR FUEL TAX

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WHEREAS, the City of Blue Island, located in Cook County, Illinois, a county with a population in excess of 3,000,000, is authorized pursuant to 65 ILCS 5/8-11-2.3 to impose a tax on motor fuel at a rate not to exceed \$0.03 per gallon:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Blue Island, Illinois, as follows:

1. DEFINITIONS. Whenever used herein, unless context otherwise requires, the words, terms or phrases used herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Illinois Motor Fuel Tax Law, 35 ILCS 505/1 *et seq.*

2. IMPOSITION OF TAX.

(a) There is levied and imposed upon the privilege of using or consuming motor fuel that is purchased at retail or bulk within the corporate limits of the City, a motor fuel tax, irrespective of the unit of measure in which it is actually sold, at the rate of three cents {\$0.03} per gallon for motor fuel.

(b) The tax herein levied shall be paid in addition to any and all other taxes and charges. The tax herein imposed is not based on the selling or purchase price or gross receipts from the sale or purchase of motor fuel.

(c) The imposition of these taxes is in accordance with Section 8-11-2.3 of the Illinois Municipal Code, and as set forth therein, as far as practicable, Sections 2b, 2d, 6, 6a, 12, 12a, 13, 13a.2, 13a.8, 15.1 and 21 of the Motor Fuel Tax Law.

3. ADMINISTRATION BY THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE. The taxes hereby imposed, and the civil penalties that may be assessed as an incident thereto, shall be collected and enforced by the Illinois Department of Revenue. The Illinois Department of Revenue shall have the full power to administer and enforce the provisions of this Ordinance. Further, the failure to timely collect or remit all taxes due hereunder is a violation of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Blue Island, and may be subject to penalties thereunder.

4. CLERK TO CERTIFY ORDINANCE TO THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE. The City Clerk is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this Ordinance with the Illinois Department of Revenue on or before the last day of the calendar month in which the ordinance is enacted.

5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect on August 13, 2019.

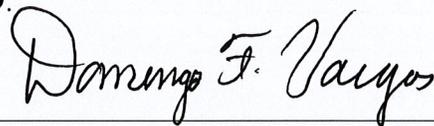
6. **REPEAL OF CONFLICTING PROVISIONS.** All ordinances and resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of the conflict, expressly repealed on the effective date of this Ordinance.

7. **SEVERABILITY.** If any provision of this Ordinance or application thereof to any person or circumstances is ruled unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such invalidity shall *not* affect other provisions or applications of this Ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid application or provision, and each invalid provision or invalid application of this Ordinance is severable.

ADOPTED this 13th day of August, 2019, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

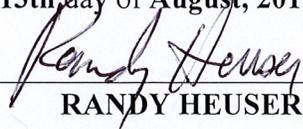
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Alderman Johnson			X		
Alderman Alexander			X		
Alderman Bilotto	X				
Alderman Cazares	X				
Alderman Rita	X				
Alderman Donahue			X		
Alderman Hawley	X				
Alderman Fahrenwald			X		
Alderman Mech	X				
Alderman Hill	X				
Alderman Cantelo-Zylman	X				
Alderman Carr	X				
Alderman Slattery			X		
Alderman Klinker	X				
Mayor Vargas					
TOTAL	9		5		

APPROVED by the Mayor on August 13, 2019.



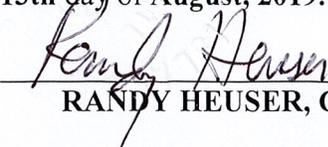
DOMINGO F. VARGAS
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND,
COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

ATTESTED and Filed in my office this
13th day of August, 2019.



RANDY HEUSER, CITY CLERK

PUBLISHED in pamphlet form this
13th day of August, 2019.



RANDY HEUSER, CITY CLERK

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF COOK) ss.

CERTIFICATE

I, Randy Heuser, certify that I am the duly elected and acting Municipal Clerk of the City of Blue Island of Cook County, Illinois.

I further certify that on **August 13, 2019** the Corporate Authorities of such municipality passed and approved Ordinance No. **2019 – 030** entitled: **AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A LOCAL MOTOR FUEL TAX.** Which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of Ordinance No. **2019 – 030** including the Ordinance and a cover sheet thereof, was as prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance posted in the municipal building commencing **August 13, 2019** and continuing for at least ten days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the office of the municipal clerk.

DATED at Blue Island, Illinois, this **13th** day of **August, 2019.**

(SEAL)



Municipal Clerk