

# Board of Commissioners of Cook County

## Legislation Details (With Text)

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Туре:	Resolution (Class Purchase for Valu		Status:	Approved			
File created:	3/2/2023		In control:	Business and Economic Development Committee			
On agenda:	3/16/2023		Final action:	4/27/2023			
Title:	PROPOSED RESOLUTION						
	Calumet City Investors LLC 8 PROPERTY TAX INCENTIVE REQUEST						
	WHEREAS, the Cook County Bureau of Economic Development received and reviewed a Real Property Assessment Classification 8 application containing the following information:						
	Applicant: Calumet City Investors LLC						
	Address: 626 River Oaks Drive, Calumet City, Illinois						
	Municipality or Unincorporated Township: Village of Calumet City						
	Cook County District: 4th District						
	Permanent Index Number: 30-19-204-005, -006, -007, -008, -019,- 020 and -021						
	Municipal Resolution Number: Village of Calumet City, Resolution Number 21-38						
	Number of month property vacant/abandoned: Seven (7) years vacant						
	Special circumstances justification requested: Yes						
	Proposed use of property: Commercial Use - Retail						
	Living Wage Ordinance Compliance Affidavit Provided: N/A						
	WHEREAS, the Cook County Board of Commissioners has adopted a Real Property Assessment Classification 8 that provides an applicant a reduction in the assessment level for an abandoned industrial facility; and						
	WHEREAS, the Cook County Classification System for Assessment defines abandoned property as buildings and other structures that, after having been vacant and unused for at least 12 continuous months, and there has been no purchased for value by a purchaser; and						
	WHEREAS, in the instance where the property does not meet the definition of abandoned property, the municipality or the Board of Commissioners, may determine that special circumstances may exist that justify finding that the property is abandoned for purpose of Class 8; and						
	WHEREAS, in the case of abandonment of at least 12 months and no purchase for value by a disinterested buyer, the County may determine that special circumstances justify finding the property as being deemed abandoned; and						
	WHEREAS, Class 8 requires a resolution by the County Board validating the property as abandoned						

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WHEREAS, the municipality states the Class 8 is necessary for development to occur on this specific real estate. The municipal resolution cites the qualifications of this property to meet the definition of abandoned with special circumstances; and

WHEREAS; industrial real estate is normally assessed at 25% of its market value, qualifying industrial real estate eligible for the Class 8 can receive a significant reduction in the level of assessment from the date that new construction or rehabilitation has been completed, or in the case of abandoned property from the date of substantial re-occupancy. Properties receiving Class 8 will be assessed at 10% of the market value for 10 years, 15% for the 11th year and 20% in the 12th year; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the President and Board of Commissioners of the County of Cook, that the President and Board of Commissioners validate the above-captioned property is deemed abandoned with special circumstances under the Class 8; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to forward a certified copy of this resolution to the Office of the Cook County Assessor

Sponsors: TONI PRECKWINKLE (President), STANLEY MOORE

#### Indexes:

#### Code sections:

#### Attachments:

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
4/27/2023	1	Board of Commissioners	approve	Pass
4/26/2023	1	Business and Economic Development Committee	recommend for approval	Pass
3/16/2023	1	Board of Commissioners	refer	Pass

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