

VILLAGE OF CHAPIN
ORDINANCE NO. 2025- 7

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2010-2 ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE
PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION OF ANIMALS, NUISANCES AND BURNING**

FOR THE
VILLAGE OF CHAPIN, MORGAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ADOPTED BY THE
PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF THE
VILLAGE OF CHAPIN, MORGAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS

THIS 13 DAY OF August, 2025

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President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Chapin, Morgan County, Illinois.**

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WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 1-2-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/1-2-1) the Corporate Authorities of the Village of Chapin, Morgan County, Illinois, have the authority to enact ordinances, rules and regulations to provide for the safety, health, comfort, and welfare of its residents;

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities of the Village of Chapin, Morgan County, Illinois, find that to promote and provide for the safety, health, comfort, and welfare of Village residents, it is necessary to amend and revise the provisions of Ordinance Number 2010-2 to clarify which animals are prohibited within the Village of Chapin;

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities of the Village of Chapin, Morgan County, Illinois, find that to promote and provide for the safety, health, comfort, and welfare of Village residents, it is necessary to take immediate action to provide for the humane and expeditious removal of prohibited animals (as defined herein) currently kept and maintained within the corporate limits of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities of the Village of Chapin, Morgan County, Illinois, find that to promote and provide for the safety, health, comfort, and welfare of Village residents, it is necessary for the amendments to Ordinance Number 2010-2 detailed herein be effective retroactively to the effective date of this ordinance.

BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Chapin, Morgan County, Illinois as follows:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated into this ordinance by this reference as if they had been restated verbatim.

Section 2. Section 1-3-3 of Ordinance 2010-2 is amended by deleting the current language of said section and inserting the following new language:

Section 1-3-3. Prohibition of Specific Animals. It shall be unlawful for any person, entity or organization to keep or maintain within the Village any horse, mule, donkey, goat, sheep, lamb, llama, swine, cattle, fowl, chicken (hen or rooster), goose, duck, wild animal, or a rare and exotic animal.

Section 3. Article III of Ordinance 2010-2 is amended by the addition of the following new Section 1-3-3-1:

Section 1-3-3-1. Compliance with Section 1-3-3. Any person, entity or organization who is keeping or maintaining within the Village any horse, mule, donkey, goat, sheep, lamb, llama, swine, cattle, fowl, chicken (hen or rooster), goose, duck, wild animal, or a rare and exotic animal as of August 13, 2025, shall have until October 13, 2025, to remove the animal or animals from the Village. Failure to remove such animal or animals from the Village by said date shall constitute a violation of this ordinance and shall be enforced in conformance with this Ordinance 2010-2.

Section 4. Ordinance 2010-2 is amended by the deletion of Section 1-5-3 in its entirety.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage, approval, and publication in pamphlet form. The Village Clerk is directed to publish this Ordinance in pamphlet form.

Passed by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Chapin, Morgan County, Illinois,
this 13 day of August, 2025.

AYES 5

NAYES 0

ABSENTENTIONS 1

APPROVED by me this 13 day of August 2025.

Village of Chapin, Illinois

Rex Brockhouse
Rex Brockhouse, Village President

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Bailey Walters
Bailey Walters, Village Clerk

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
)
COUNTY OF MORGAN) SS CERTIFICATION

I, Bailey Walters, the Clerk of the Village of Chapin, Morgan County, Illinois, do hereby certify that attached copy of Ordinance No. 2025- 7 is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance passed and approved by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Chapin, at a regular meeting of said Village Board held on the 13 day of August, 2025, all as the original of the same remains in the official records of my office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of said Village of Chapin, this 13 day of August, 2025.



Bailey Walters, Village Clerk

(SEAL)

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF MORGAN) SS

I, Bailey Walters, certify that I am Clerk of the Village of Chapin, Morgan County, Illinois.

I further certify that on the 13 day of August, 2025, the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Chapin, Illinois, passed and approved Ordinance No. 2025-7, entitled:

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which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of Ordinance No. 2025-7, including the Ordinance and a cover sheet thereof, was prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance was posted at the Village Hall, commencing on the 14 day of August, 2025, and continuing for at least ten (10) days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the Office of the Village Clerk.

Dated at Chapin, Illinois, this 27 day of August, 2025.

Bailey Walters
Village Clerk

(SEAL)