SANGAMON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE

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WHEREAS, the Village of Chatham, Sangamon County, State of Illinois, is a duly organized and existing Village created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois, and is now operating under the provisions of the Illinois Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Chatham (hereinafter, the "Village"), is an Illinois municipal corporation; and

WHEREAS, the Village owns and operates a green space known as Veterans Memorial Square; and

WHEREAS, the Village allows Veterans Memorial Square to be reserved for certain events; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities of the Village believe it is in the best interest of the Village to require for-profit entities to receive board approval prior to reserving Veterans Memorial Square.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Chatham, County of Sangamon, as follows:

Section 1. <u>Recitals</u>. The foregoing recitals shall be and are hereby incorporated into and made a part of this Ordinance as if fully set forth in this Section 1.

Section 2. <u>Board Approval Required</u>. Any person or entity operating for-profit who wishes to reserve Veterans Memorial Square for an event that benefits the for-profit entity shall first obtain approval by vote of the majority of Trustees serving on the Village Board of Trustees.

Section 3. Rules and Standards. The Village Manager shall promulgate a set of

standards and rules to be applied to applicants to act as guidelines for the application process.

Section 4. <u>Severability</u>. In the event a court of competent jurisdiction finds this ordinance or any provision hereof to be invalid or unenforceable as applied, such finding shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this ordinance and the application thereof to the greatest extent permitted by law.

Section 5. <u>Repeal and Savings Clause</u>. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall affect any rights, actions, or causes of action which shall have accrued to the Village of Chatham prior to the effective date of this ordinance.

Section 6. <u>Effectiveness</u>. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law and the penalty provisions therein shall be effective and commence 10 days after this Ordinance is printed in book or pamphlet form and published by the authority of the corporate authorities.

PASSED this 27 day of	OCT	, 2015.
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	YES	NO	ABSENT	PRESENT
KEN BOYLE, JR.				
MARK CLAYTON			1	
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THOMAS S. GRAY			~ ~	
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APPROVED by the President of the Village of Chatham, Illinois this 2/2 day of 0 < 7, 2015.

Thomas S. Gray, Village President

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Attest:

Pat Schad, Village Clerk