

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CERTAIN SECTIONS OF TITLE 2,  
ENTITLED “ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNEL,” OF THE  
WESTCHESTER MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING THE GENERAL  
POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE VILLAGE PRESIDENT**

WHEREAS, the Village of Westchester is a municipal corporation, governed pursuant to Article 5 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/5-1-1 *et seq.*); and

WHEREAS, Section 5-3-5 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/5-3-5) provides that the village president of a village which does not elect trustees by district may vote on all questions coming before the board; and

WHEREAS, Section 5-3-1 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/5-3-1) provides that the president of a village that does not elect trustees by district shall not have veto power.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Westchester, Cook County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1. Section 2.08.060, entitled “General Powers and Duties,” of Chapter 2.08, entitled “Village President,” of Title 2, entitled “Administration and Personnel,” of the Westchester Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

**2.08.060 - General powers and duties.**

The president shall preside at all meetings of the board of trustees, and he may vote on all questions coming before the village board, and he shall also perform the duties and exercise the powers conferred by the laws of the state, upon the president of a village, and such other acts and duties as may be prescribed by ordinance. An acting president or president pro tem may vote in the capacity of trustee, but he or she shall not be entitled to another vote in the capacity as acting president or president pro tem.

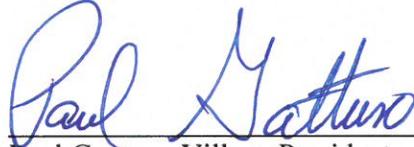
Section 2. Section 2.12.080, entitled “Rule 7 – Presiding officer – Veto powers,” of Chapter 2.12, entitled “Board of Trustees,” of Title 2, entitled “Administration and Personnel,” of the Westchester Municipal Code is hereby deleted in its entirety.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval, as provided by law.

**ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of January, 2020, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

Angelo A. Calcagno	<u>  A  </u>	Frank Perry	<u>  A  </u>
Cathy Kuratko	<u>  A  </u>	Nick Steker	<u>  A  </u>
Tracy Hart Markey	<u>  A  </u>		
President Gattuso		<u>  A  </u>	

**APPROVED** this 28 day of January, 2020.

  
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Paul Gattuso, Village President

ATTEST:

  
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Stanley V. Kolodziej, Village Clerk

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PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE  
PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
THIS 26 DAY OF JANUARY, 2020

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