

**ORDINANCE NO. 2009 –01**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING  
RETAILERS' OCCUPATION TAX  
AND SERVICE TAX**

WHEREAS, there currently exists the Local Government Debt Reform Act as contained in Public Act 095-675; and

WHEREAS, said act allows for a county to impose a retailer's occupation tax and service occupation tax, commonly referred to as a sales tax;

WHEREAS, said public act provides for procedures to exact the aforesaid tax;

WHEREAS, that based upon economic conditions such tax would be beneficial to defer the rising costs of education;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED PURSUANT TO 55 ILCS 5/5-1006.7 et seq that the County Board of Macoupin County, Illinois does hereby certify the following question to the appropriate election authority, in accordance with the Election Code of the State of Illinois:

Shall Macoupin County, Illinois be authorized to impose a retailers' occupation tax and a service occupation tax (commonly referred to as a "sales tax") at a rate of 1% to be used exclusively for school facility purposes?

**VOTING AYE:** Judy Bacon, Darrell Bellm, Raymond Coatney, Mark Dragovich  
Morris Fraser, Frances Goodman, William Harding, Lyndal Herschelman  
Bernard, Kiel, Frank Long, Glenn Nichelson, Joe Novak, Ruth Ann Pomatto  
Vera Pratt, Robert Quarteron, Paul Quick, Veryl Reiher, Oliver Schwallenstecker  
Robert Vojas, Francis Wieseman, Tony Wiggins, MA Zippay, Jim Zirkelbach

VOTING NAY: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Passed and approved this 29<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2009.

Andrew Manar  
Andrew Manar *ejt*  
Chairman  
Macoupin County Board

Attest:

Michèle A. Zippay  
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Macoupin County Clerk