



## Legislation Text

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### **PROPOSED INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT**

**Department:** Department of Resource Management

**Other Part(ies):** Village of Hoffman Estates, Hoffman Estates, Illinois

**Request:** Authorization to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement

**Goods or Services:** Maintenance of a surplus parcel at the northwestern edge of the Paul Douglas Preserves in the Village of Hoffman Estates, Illinois

**Agreement Number(s):** N/A

**Agreement Period:** Date of execution through 7/31/2026, with one (1) three-year extension option to be exercised at the discretion of the General Superintendent

**Fiscal Impact:** N/A. All license fees, license application fees, and YELAR fees will be waived.

**Tree Mitigation Fee:** N/A (No trees will be impacted by the proposed agreement)

**Accounts:** N/A

**District(s):** 15

**Summary:** The proposed Intergovernmental Agreement would grant the Village of Hoffman Estates (“Hoffman Estates”) limited access to Forest Preserves of Cook County (“Forest Preserves”) property for the purpose of maintaining a 0.44-acre parcel on Algonquin Road, just west of Versailles Road. Said property has been identified as a surplus parcel, as it is not contiguous with or connected to any other Forest Preserves property (see Forest Preserves Code Section 2-5-3). Hoffman Estates will be responsible for all mowing and vegetation management on the parcel, subject to the Forest Preserves’ approval of a vegetation maintenance plan. The site will be maintained at no cost to the Forest Preserves, and such efforts will mitigate growth of invasive species on the property and provide a cost savings benefit to the Forest Preserves. Final agreement is subject to legal review and approval.