

ORDINANCE NO. 586

VILLAGE OF BELLEVUE, ILLINOIS

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 350
REGARDING WEEDS

WHEREAS, the Village of Bellevue ("Village") Board of Trustees passed Ordinance Number 302 on March 11, 1986, which, among other things, prohibits any person, firm or corporation to permit the growth of weeds on land located within the Village; and,

WHEREAS, the Village Board of Trustees passed Ordinance Number 350 on January 28, 1991, which defined the term "Weeds" as used in Ordinance Number 302; and,

WHEREAS, the Village Board of Trustees has determined that the health and welfare of the citizens of the Village will be served by amending Ordinance No. 350.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF BELLEVUE, PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Ordinance Number 350 is hereby amended by deleting Section 3 thereof.

SECTION 2: The following Section is hereby added to Ordinance Number 302, immediately after section 2.4 thereof:

Section 2.5: For purposes of this Article II, "Weeds" shall mean any rank vegetable growth or growth that tends to overgrow and choke out other plants. This shall include, but not be limited to, grass grown to a height exceeding six (6) inches.

SECTION 3: All other ordinances in conflict herewith, in whole or in part, are repealed to the extent of said conflict. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any ordinance of the Village of Bellevue imposing stricter or more specific standards than those set forth herein shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval and recordation as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 14th DAY OF AUGUST 2006.

6 AYES

0 NAYS

0 ABSENT

VILLAGE OF BELLEVUE, ILLINOIS

By: Ralph E. Wilson
Ralph E. Wilson, President

Attest: Carol A. Howard
Carol A. Howard, Village Clerk