

AGREEMENT FOR LEGAL SERVICES

This agreement for legal services ("**Agreement**") is made and entered into between _____ ("**Taxpayer**") and the **Law Office of Scott J. Linn** ("**Attorney**"), whose business address is 711 Pintail Street, Deerfield, IL 60015, the terms and conditions of the agreement being as follows:

1. Taxpayer authorizes Attorney to represent Taxpayer with regards to the **2016 assessed valuation** placed on Taxpayer's property located at _____ ("**Property**") by the Cook County Assessor's Office ("**Assessor**") and, if necessary, to file a written appeal(s) with the Assessor and the Cook County Board of Review ("**Board**") regarding Attorney's efforts to reduce the **2016 assessed valuation**.

2. Taxpayer will pay Attorney an upfront, non-refundable legal fee of **\$65.00** regarding Attorney's preliminary review of the **2016 assessed valuation**. This **\$65.00** legal fee is totally unrelated to any legal fees owed to Attorney by Taxpayer as set forth in Paragraph 3 below.

3. If the **2016 assessed valuation** is reduced in response to Attorney's efforts on behalf of Taxpayer, then Taxpayer shall pay to Attorney a legal fee in the amount of **Thirty-five percent (35%)** of any tax savings obtained for **tax year 2016**. However, if Attorney's efforts in appealing the **2016 assessed valuation** result in no tax savings being obtained, then the legal fee due to Attorney will be **-0-**.

4. The legal fee owed to Attorney as stated in Paragraph 3 above, is the difference between the 2016 assessed valuation as originally proposed by the Assessor and the final 2016 assessed valuation which has been reduced and then made subject to the existing State of Illinois Equalization Factor and the Property's township tax rate.

5. Any legal fees owed to Attorney by Taxpayer as set forth in Paragraph 4 above shall be paid in full by Taxpayer within 30 days of Attorney issuing an invoice for legal services listing the legal fees owed to Attorney.

TELEPHONE: _____

TOWNSHIP: _____

PIN: _____

Email: _____

BY: _____

Dated: _____