



**SECTION 2** [Sections 2 through 8 must be completed for each redevelopment project area listed in Section 1.]

FY 2025

**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

Lumber Lane

<b>Primary Use of Redevelopment Project Area*:</b> Retail
<b>*Types include:</b> Central Business District, Retail, Other Commercial, Industrial, Residential, and Combination/Mixed.
<b>If "Combination/Mixed" List Component Types:</b>
<b>Under which section of the Illinois Municipal Code was the Redevelopment Project Area designated? (check one):</b>
Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></span> Industrial Jobs Recovery Law <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/></span>

**Please utilize the information below to properly label the Attachments.**

	No	Yes
For redevelopment projects beginning prior to FY 2022, were there any amendments, to the redevelopment plan, the redevelopment project area, or the State Sales Tax Boundary? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (1) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (1)] <b>If yes, please enclose the amendment (labeled Attachment A).</b>	X	
For redevelopment projects beginning in or after FY 2022, were there any amendments, enactments or extensions to the redevelopment plan, the redevelopment project area, or the State Sales Tax Boundary? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (1) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (1)] If yes, please enclose the amendment, enactment or extension, and a copy of the redevelopment plan (labeled Attachment A).		
Certification of the Chief Executive Officer of the municipality that the municipality has complied with all of the requirements of the Act during the preceding fiscal year. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (3) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (3)] <b>Please enclose the CEO Certification (labeled Attachment B).</b>		X
Opinion of legal counsel that municipality is in compliance with the Act. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (4) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (4)] <b>Please enclose the Legal Counsel Opinion (labeled Attachment C).</b>		X
Statement setting forth all activities undertaken in furtherance of the objectives of the redevelopment plan, including any project implemented and a description of the redevelopment activities. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (A and B) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (A and B)] <b>If yes, please enclose the Activities Statement (labeled Attachment D).</b>		X
Were any agreements entered into by the municipality with regard to the disposition or redevelopment of any property within the redevelopment project area or the area within the State Sales Tax Boundary? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (C) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (C)] <b>If yes, please enclose the Agreement(s) (labeled Attachment E).</b>	X	
Is there additional information on the use of all funds received under this Division and steps taken by the municipality to achieve the objectives of the redevelopment plan? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (D) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (D)] If yes, please enclose the Additional Information (labeled Attachment F).	X	
Did the municipality's TIF advisors or consultants enter into contracts with entities or persons that have received or are receiving payments financed by tax increment revenues produced by the same TIF? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (E) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (E)] <b>If yes, please enclose the contract(s) or description of the contract(s) (labeled Attachment G).</b>	X	
Were there any reports <u>submitted to</u> the municipality <u>by</u> the joint review board? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (7) (F) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (7) (F)] <b>If yes, please enclose the Joint Review Board Report (labeled Attachment H).</b>	X	
Were any obligations issued by the municipality? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (8) (A) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (8) (A)] <b>If yes, please enclose any Official Statement (labeled Attachment I). If Attachment I is answered yes, then the Analysis must be attached (labeled Attachment J).</b>	X	
An analysis prepared by a financial advisor or underwriter, chosen by the municipality, setting forth the nature and term of obligation; projected debt service including required reserves and debt coverage; and actual debt service. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (8) (B) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (8) (B)] <b>If attachment I is yes, the Analysis and an accompanying letter from the municipality outlining the contractual relationship between the municipality and the financial advisor/underwriter <u>MUST</u> be attached (labeled Attachment J).</b>	X	
Has a cumulative of \$100,000 of TIF revenue been deposited into the special tax allocation fund? 65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (2) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (2) <b>If yes, please enclose audited financial statements of the special tax allocation fund (labeled Attachment K).</b>	X	
Cumulatively, have deposits of incremental taxes revenue equal to or greater than \$100,000 been made into the special tax allocation fund? [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (9) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (9)] <b>If yes, the audit report shall contain a letter from the independent certified public accountant indicating compliance or noncompliance with the requirements of subsection (q) of Section 11-74.4-3 (labeled Attachment L).</b>	X	
A <u>list</u> of all intergovernmental agreements in effect to which the municipality is a part, and an accounting of any money transferred or received by the municipality during that fiscal year pursuant to those intergovernmental agreements. [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (10)] <b>If yes, please enclose the <u>list only</u>, not actual agreements (labeled Attachment M).</b>	X	
For redevelopment projects beginning in or after FY 2022, did the developer identify to the municipality a stated rate of return for each redevelopment project area? Stated rates of return required to be reported shall be independently verified by a third party chosen by the municipality. If yes, please enclose evidence of third party verification, may be in the form of a letter from the third party (labeled Attachment N).	X	

**SECTION 3.1 [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d)(5)(a)(b)(d)) and (65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (5)(a)(b)(d)]**

FY 2025

**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

**Lumber Lane**

**Provide an analysis of the special tax allocation fund.**

Special Tax Allocation Fund Balance at Beginning of Reporting Period \$ 27,374

SOURCE of Revenue/Cash Receipts:	Revenue/Cash Receipts for Current Reporting Year	Cumulative Totals of Revenue/Cash Receipts for life of TIF	% of Total
Property Tax Increment	\$ 12,002	\$ 38,802	97%
State Sales Tax Increment			0%
Local Sales Tax Increment			0%
State Utility Tax Increment			0%
Local Utility Tax Increment			0%
Interest	\$ 505	\$ 1,078	3%
Land/Building Sale Proceeds			0%
Bond Proceeds			0%
Transfers from Municipal Sources			0%
Private Sources			0%
Other (identify source _____; if multiple other sources, attach schedule)			0%

**All Amount Deposited in Special Tax Allocation Fund** \$ 12,507

**Cumulative Total Revenues/Cash Receipts** \$ 39,880 100%

**Total Expenditures/Cash Disbursements (Carried forward from Section 3.2)** \$ 39,835

**Transfers to Municipal Sources**

**Distribution of Surplus**

**Total Expenditures/Disbursements** \$ 39,835

**Net/Income/Cash Receipts Over/(Under) Cash Disbursements** \$ (27,328)

**Previous Year Adjustment (Explain Below)**

**FUND BALANCE, END OF REPORTING PERIOD\*** \$ 46

\* If there is a positive fund balance at the end of the reporting period, you must complete Section 3.3

**Previous Year Explanation:**

**SECTION 3.2 A [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (5) (c) and 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (5)(c)]**

FY 2025

**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

**Lumber Lane**

**ITEMIZED LIST OF ALL EXPENDITURES FROM THE SPECIAL TAX ALLOCATION FUND  
PAGE 1**

Category of Permissible Redevelopment Cost [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-3 (q) and 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-10 (o)]	Amounts	Reporting Fiscal Year
1. Cost of studies, surveys, development of plans, and specifications. Implementation and administration of the redevelopment plan, staff and professional service cost.		
2. Annual administrative cost.		\$ -
3. Cost of marketing sites.		\$ -
4. Property assembly cost and site preparation costs.		\$ -
5. Costs of renovation, rehabilitation, reconstruction, relocation, repair or remodeling of existing public or private building, leasehold improvements, and fixtures within a redevelopment project area.		
Redevelopment Project	39,835	
6. Costs of the construction of public works or improvements.		\$ 39,835
		\$ -



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13. Relocation costs.		
		\$ -
14. Payments in lieu of taxes.		
		\$ -
15. Costs of job training, retraining, advanced vocational or career education.		
		\$ -
16. Interest cost incurred by redeveloper or other nongovernmental persons in connection with a redevelopment project.		
		\$ -
17. Cost of day care services.		
		\$ -
18. Other.		
		\$ -
<b>TOTAL ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES</b>		<b>\$ 39,835</b>



**SECTION 3.3 [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (5d) 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (5d)]**

FY 2025

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

Lumber Lane

**Breakdown of the Balance in the Special Tax Allocation Fund At the End of the Reporting Period by source**

FUND BALANCE BY SOURCE \$ 46

1. Description of Debt Obligations	Amount of Original Issuance	Amount Designated
n/a		
<b>Total Amount Designated for Obligations</b>	\$ -	\$ -

2. Description of Project Costs to be Paid	Amount of Original Issuance	Amount Designated
<b>Total Amount Designated for Project Costs</b>		\$ -

TOTAL AMOUNT DESIGNATED \$ -

SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) \$ 46

**SECTION 4 [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (6) and 65 ILCS 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (6)]**

FY 2025

Name of Redevelopment Project Area:

Lumber Lane

Provide a description of all property purchased by the municipality during the reporting fiscal year within the redevelopment project area.

X
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Indicate an 'X' if no property was acquired by the municipality within the redevelopment project area.

Property (1):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (2):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (3):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (4):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (5):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (6):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

Property (7):	
Street address:	
Approximate size or description of property:	
Purchase price:	
Seller of property:	

**SECTION 5 [20 ILCS 620/4.7 (7)(F)]**

FY 2025

**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

**Lumber Lane**

**PAGE 1**

Page 1 **MUST** be included with TIF report. Pages 2 and 3 are to be included **ONLY** if projects are listed.

**Select ONE of the following by indicating an 'X':**

1. <b><u>NO</u></b> projects were undertaken by the Municipality Within the Redevelopment Project Area.	
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2. The municipality <b><u>DID</u></b> undertake projects within the Redevelopment Project Area. (If selecting this option, complete 2a and 2b.)	X
2a. The total number of <b><u>ALL</u></b> activities undertaken in furtherance of the objectives of the redevelopment plan:	1
2b. How <b>many projects</b> did the municipality undertake if any <b><u>NEW</u></b> projects in fiscal year 2022 or any fiscal year thereafter within the Redevelopment Project Area?	0

<b>LIST ALL projects undertaken by the Municipality Within the Redevelopment Project Area:</b>			
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>11/1/99 to Date</b>	<b>Estimated Investment for Subsequent Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Total Estimated to Complete Project</b>
Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 1,482,000	\$ 40,000	\$ 1,482,000
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 1 Name: Lumber Lane Development**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Public Investment Undertaken	\$ 1,482,000	\$ 40,000	\$ 1,482,000
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 2 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 3 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 4 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 5 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
Public Investment Undertaken			
Ratio of Private/Public Investment	0		0

**Project 6 Name:**

Private Investment Undertaken (See Instructions)			
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**SECTION 7** [Information in the following section is not required by law, but may be helpful in evaluating the performance of TIF in Illinois.]

FY 2025

**Name of Redevelopment Project Area:**

**Lumber Lane**

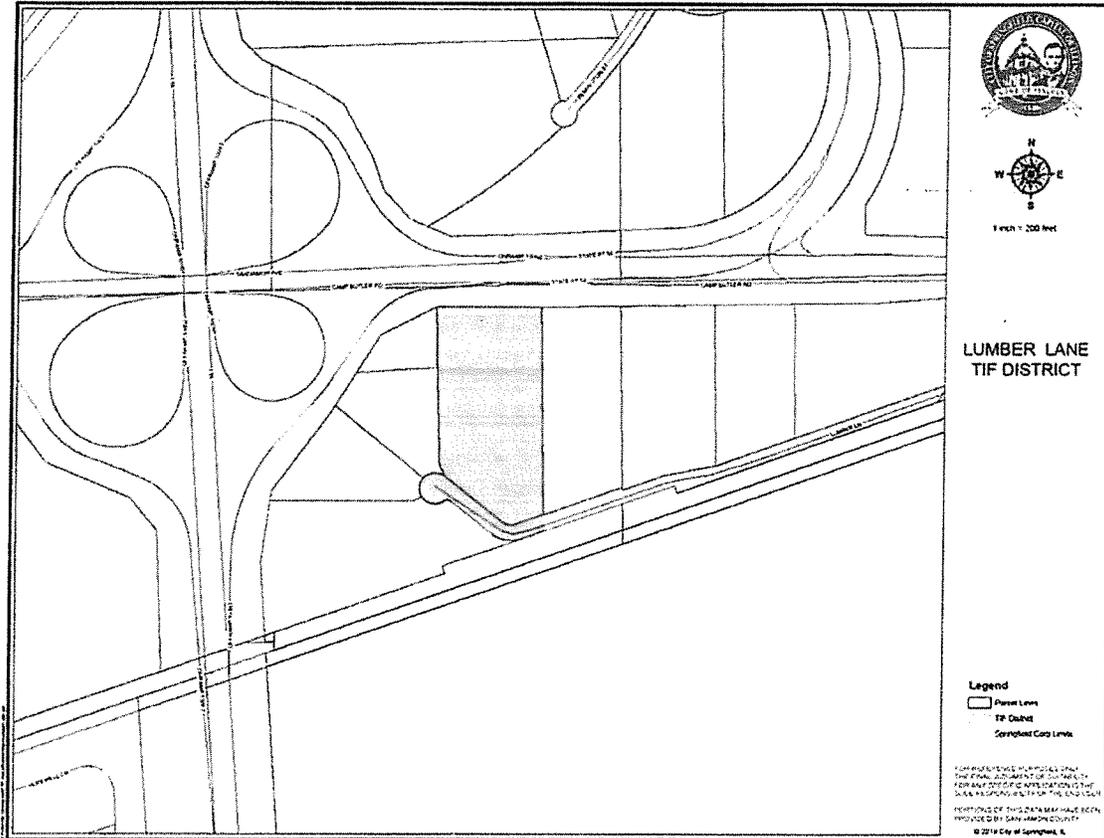
**Provide a general description of the redevelopment project area using only major boundaries.**

See attached map and legal description

<b>Optional Documents</b>	<b>Enclosed</b>
Legal description of redevelopment project area	Yes
Map of District	Yes

Economic and Community Development Commission

City of Springfield, IL



**EXHIBIT A****Legal Description****Revised Lumber Lane Redevelopment Project Area**

Part of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 16 North, Range 4 West of the Third Principal Meridian, Sangamon County, Illinois described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the East line of Quarter Section and the South Right-of-Way line of Illinois SA Route 3 thence West on aforesaid Right-of-Way line, 212.39 feet; thence deflecting to the right 00 degrees 39 minutes 20 seconds on said Right-of-Way line, 87.61 feet to the point of beginning; thence deflecting to the Left 90 degrees 52 minutes 00 seconds, 794.26 feet; thence deflecting to the right 71 degrees 49 minutes 50 seconds, 109.56 feet to the point of curve of a 60.00 foot radius curve to the right; thence northwesterly on said curve for a chord distance of 58.53 feet; thence deflecting to the right from the chord of said curve 29 degrees 11 minutes 31 seconds, 288.68 feet to the point of curve of a 20.00 foot radius curve to the right; thence northwesterly on said curve a chord distance of 17.32 feet to the point of curve of a 60.00 foot radius curve to the left; thence northwesterly on aforesaid curve a chord distance of 37.70 feet; thence North parallel to the first described line 585.00 feet to the South Right-of-Way line of SA Route 3; thence East on said Right-of-Way line to the point of beginning.

ALSO, all that part of Lumber Lane described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly Right-of-Way line of Lumber lane and the East line of the above described parcel; thence 109.56 feet along said northerly Right-of-Way line to the point of curve of a 60.00 foot radius curve to the right; thence northwesterly to the point of curve of a 60.00 foot radius curve to the left, thence northwesterly on said curve for a chord distance of 58.33 feet; thence deflecting to the right from said chord 29 degrees 11 minutes 31 seconds, 278.50 feet to the point of curve of a 60.00 foot radius curve to the left; ; thence northwesterly on said curve for a chord distance of 83.46 feet; thence southerly and southeasterly on said curve for a chord distance of 119.30 feet to a point on a 20.00 foot radius reverse curve to the right; thence southeasterly on said curve for a chord distance of 26.45 feet; thence southeasterly on the southerly Right-of-Way line of Lumber lane, 198.55 feet to the point of curve of a 120.00 foot radius curve to the left; thence southeasterly on said curve for a chord distance of 116.98 feet to the intersection of said curve and the northerly Right-of-Way line of the Norfolk and Southern Railroad; thence northeasterly along said Railroad Right-of-Way line to the intersection with an extension of East line of the above described property; thence North along said extension of the East property line to the point of beginning.

The above described parcel contains a total of 7.777 acres, more or less.

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**Office of the Mayor  
City of Springfield, Illinois  
Misty Buscher  
Mayor**

October 21, 2025

Ms. Susana A. Mendoza  
Comptroller, State of Illinois  
Office of the Comptroller  
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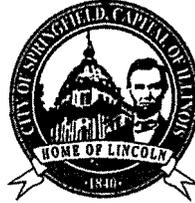
Dear Ms. Mendoza,

In my capacity as Mayor of the City of Springfield, an Illinois Municipal Corporation, I, Misty Buscher certify that in the preceding fiscal year, the city of Springfield, Illinois has complied with all requirements of the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act [65 ILCS 5/11-74.1et seq., as amended] as it applied to the following Tax Increment Financing Districts of Springfield, Illinois: Central Area (Downtown), Far East, Enos Park, SHA (Madison Park Place), Northeast, MacArthur Boulevard Corridor, Dirksen Parkway Commercial, Peoria Road, Lumber Lane, and Adirondack.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Misty Buscher", followed by a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Misty Buscher  
Mayor



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October 21, 2025

Ms. Susana A. Mendoza  
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**Re: Comments at the January 21, 2025, Springfield City Council Meeting**

Dear Ms. Mendoza,

In my capacity as legal counsel for the City of Springfield, I have reviewed the procedures of the City in relation to the requirement of the Public Act [65 ILCS 5/11-74.4-5 (d) (4) and 5/11-74.6-22 (d) (4)]. In my opinion, the City of Springfield is in compliance with the Tax Increment Allocation Redevelopment Act [65 ILCS 5/11-74.1 *et seq.*], for each redevelopment project area in the City, namely, the Central Area (Downtown), Far East, Enos Park, SHA (Madison Park Place), Northeast, MacArthur Boulevard Corridor, Dirksen Parkway Commercial, Peoria Road, and Lumber Lane Tax Increment Finance Districts.

Yours truly,

Gregory E. Moredock  
Corporation Counsel

**ATTACHMENT D- Statement Setting Forth Activities:**

**1-ADIRONDACK-** There was no activity in this tax increment district.

**2-CENTRAL AREA (DOWNTOWN)-** The City provided \$1,400,000 to the Sangamon County Treasurer for property tax rebates to taxing district, \$34,515.83 was paid to the City's Water Department for installation of water lines for fire prevention purposes, \$200,000 to HMN Properties LLC for reimbursement of redevelopment costs, \$5,000 to the Springfield Art Association for a water line replacement, \$187,300 to Acree Company LLC for a housing development project reimbursement, \$578,933.05 to ESP II LLC for reimbursement of an acquisition and redevelopment project, \$64,725.85 was expended for administrative costs including payroll.

**3-DIRKSEN PARKWAY COMMERCIAL-** There was no activity in this tax increment district.

**4-ENOS PARK NEIGHBORHOOD-** \$200,000 was paid to WRS Legacy LLC for redevelopment project reimbursement, \$5,847.50 was paid for a residential rehab project, \$10,000 was paid to Sangamon Donuts LLC for a rehab project and \$58,757.50 was expended for administrative costs including payroll.

**5-FAR EAST SIDE-** \$86,705.75 was paid for seven residential rehab projects, \$1,197,478.36 was paid to Sangamon Construction for work on a low-income housing project, \$392,657.50 was paid to Prairie Land Title Inc for acquisition of a Community Development Center and \$58,934.83 was expended for administrative costs including payroll.

**6-LUMBER LANE-** \$39,835.06 was paid to Lumberyard Suppliers Inc for partial project reimbursement.

**7-MACARTHUR BOULEVARD CORRIDOR-** The City of Springfield provided \$131,813.92 to Hy-Vee, Inc. for partial redevelopment reimbursement.

**8-NORTHEAST-** The City of Springfield provided \$245,511 to Sangamon County for TIF surplus payment.

**9-PEORIA ROAD-** There was no activity in this tax increment district.

**10-SHA (MADISON PARK PLACE)-** \$47,240 was paid to Moving Pillsbury Forward for demolition reimbursement and \$58,709.52 was expended for administrative costs including payroll.