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PRESS RELEASE

FROM: Andrew Lopinot, St. Clair County Treasurer and ex officio County Collector

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SUBJECT: Real Estate Taxes – 30-Day Extension for 2021 Real Estate Taxes Second Installment

Due to the historic flooding in July throughout the Metro East, St. Clair County Treasurer Andrew Lopinot, in coordination with the St. Clair County Board, is announcing that the second installment due date for 2021 real estate taxes, payable in 2022, has been extended to Saturday, October 1, 2022. The second installment of real estate taxes were originally due on Thursday, September 1. This extension does not change first installment payments, which were due on July 1. In addition, the Treasurer's Office will be open for special hours from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, October 1, for residents wishing to pay in person.

To avoid paying a penalty, taxes must be paid by October 1, 2022 at 3 p.m. Postmark will not be accepted.

"As our community continues to recover from the record rainfalls in July, pushing back the second installment due date is common sense. This extension will provide extra time and relief to property owners in need of additional assistance. My office will be ready to help our community as best we can and will be ready to serve those that choose to pay on the October 1 deadline. I thank Chairman Mark Kern and the St. Clair County Board for acting swiftly to serve our citizens," said Andrew Lopinot, St. Clair County Treasurer.

Where to pay: Residents can mail payments to: St. Clair County Collector, P.O. Box 23980, Belleville IL 62223-0980. **Postmark not accepted.**

In-person payments can be made at the St. Clair County Building from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The Treasurer's Office will be open on Saturday, October 1, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. to accept payments.

Credit card payments (MasterCard, Visa, Discover and American Express) may be made online at www.scctreasurer.com or by calling 833-607-0100. The normal convenience fee for this service will still apply. Credit card payments are not accepted in person.

Electronic check payments may be made online at www.scctreasurer.com or by calling 833-607-0100. The fee of \$2.00 for use of this service will still apply.

For questions, call the Treasurer's Office at 618-825-2707 or visit www.scctreasurer.com.