ARTICLE II. VILLAGE COUNCIL; MAYOR*

Section 2.01. Village Council.

There shall be a Village Council (the "Council") with all legislative powers of the Village vested therein, consisting of six (6) members ("Council Members") and the Mayor. References in this Charter to Council Members shall include the Mayor unless the context otherwise requires.
(Ord. No. 92-18, § 1, 8-11-92/11-3-92; Res. No. 97-15, 4-1-97/6-10-97)

Section 2.02. Mayor and Vice Mayor.

(a) *Mayor.* The Mayor shall preside at meetings of the Council, be a voting member of the Council, name committees of the Council and appoint members of the Village boards and agencies with the approval of the Council. The Mayor shall be recognized as head of Village government for all ceremonial purposes and for purposes of military law, for service of process, execution of duly authorized contracts, deeds and other documents, and as the Village official designated to represent the Village in all dealings with other governmental entities. The Mayor shall annually present a state of the Village message and an annual budget message.

(b) *Vice Mayor.* During the absence or incapacity of the Mayor, the Vice Mayor shall have all the powers, authority, duties and responsibilities of the Mayor. At the first Council meeting after each regular Village election, or in any calendar year in which there is no regular Village election, at the first Council meeting in the month of November of such year, the Council shall elect one (1) of its members as Vice Mayor.
(Ord. No. 92-18, § 1, 8-11-92/11-3-92; Res. No. 97-15, 4-1-97/6-10-97)