

**Lee County Board
Dixon, Illinois**

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEMS
MORATORIUM EXTENSION**

WHEREAS, the existing Lee County Zoning Ordinance does not address some new renewable energy technologies such as battery energy storage system and/or battery storage power stations; and

WHEREAS, the Lee County Board (Board) desires to create an ordinance for emerging technologies such as battery energy storage system and/or battery storage power stations; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 9-21-25, effective September 16, 2021, Lee County established the Renewable Energy Committee to review and revise, if necessary, the ordinances, resolutions, and policies related to renewable energy technologies; and

WHEREAS, the Board previously resolved and approved a moratorium on battery energy storage systems and/or battery storage power stations pursuant to Resolution No. 12-21-013 dated December 21, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the creation of the ordinances and policies related to battery energy storage system and/or battery storage power stations is not yet completed, therefore the Renewable Energy Committee is seeking an extension of the moratorium.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, effective upon passage by the Lee County Board, a moratorium on accepting zoning petitions for battery energy storage system and/or battery storage power stations is hereby extended until September 1, 2022.

PASSED BY THE LEE COUNTY BOARD

THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2022

BY: _____
Lee County Board Chairman

ATTEST:

BY: _____
Lee County Clerk