

Local Law Filing

Instructions

New York State Department of State
Division of Corporations, State Records and Uniform Commercial Code
One Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Avenue
Albany, NY 12231-0001
www.dos.ny.gov

PLEASE OBSERVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING LOCAL LAWS WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE

1. Each local law shall be filed with the Secretary of State within 20 days after its final adoption or approval as required by section 27 of the Municipal Home Rule Law. The cited statute provides that a local law shall not become effective before it is filed in the office of the Secretary of State.
 2. Each local law to be filed with the Secretary of State shall be an original certified copy.
 3. Each local law shall be filed on a form provided by the Department of State. If additional pages are required, they must be the same size as the form. Typewritten copies of the text may be attached to the form. Only legible copies will be accepted.
 4. File only the number, title and text of the local law.
 5. In the case of a local law amending a previously enacted local law, the text must be that of the law as amended. Do not include any matter in brackets, with a line through it, italicized or underscored to indicate the changes made. The printed number of the bill and explanatory matter must be omitted.
 6. For the purpose of filing a local law with the Department of State, number each local law consecutively, beginning with the number one for the first local law filed in each calendar year. The next number in sequence should be applied to each local law when it is submitted for filing, regardless of its date of introduction or adoption. The date of filing of a local law is the date on which the local law is placed on file by the Department.
- It is suggested that municipalities use introductory identifying bill numbers for proposed local laws. After the local law is enacted (and approved by the voters, if required), the local law should then be numbered with the next consecutive local law number, as described above, and then submitted to the Department for filing.
7. Each copy of a local law filed with the Secretary of State shall have affixed to it a certification by the Clerk of the County legislative body or the City, Town or Village Clerk or other officer designated by the local legislative body. Certification forms are provided herewith.
 8. A copy of each local law may be mailed or delivered to:
NYS Department of State
Division of Corporations, State Records and Uniform Commercial Code
One Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Avenue
Albany, NY 12231.

(DO NOT FILE THIS INSTRUCTION SHEET WITH THE LOCAL LAW.)

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(Use this form to file a local law with the Secretary of State.)

Text of law should be given as amended. Do not include matter being eliminated and do not use italics or underlining to indicate new matter.

☐ County ☐ City ☒ Town ☐ Village
(Select one:)

of Coeymans

Local Law No. _____ of the year 20²¹

A local law to Enact a Temporary Moratorium on Changes to the Town Zoning Map
(Insert Title)

Be it enacted by the Town Board _____ of the
(Name of Legislative Body)

☐ County ☐ City ☒ Town ☐ Village
(Select one:)

of Coeymans _____ as follows:

See attached.

(If additional space is needed, attach pages the same size as this sheet, and number each.)

Section 1-Purpose and Justification

WHEREAS, the Town of Coeymans Town Board has determined it is in the public interest to update the Town' Comprehensive Plan, and

WHEREAS, The Town Board has retained MJ Engineering to assist in updating the Comprehensive Plan through data collection and analysis, obtaining public input, and preparing a Draft Comprehensive Plan for consideration, and

WHEREAS, MJ Engineering has submitted a Draft Comprehensive Plan for review and consideration by the Town Board as well as the public at large, and

WHEREAS, the Draft Comprehensive Plan has been created based upon the current existing zoning conditions in effect within the Town of Coeymans, and

WHEREAS, a Public Hearing has been scheduled to obtain public input on the Draft Comprehensive Plan, and,

WHEREAS, changes to the Town's Zoning Map or changes to zoning classifications for properties within the Town while the Draft Comprehensive Plan is being reviewed could impact the validity and effectiveness of recommendations contained within the Draft Comprehensive Plan, and

WHEREAS, it is in the Town's best interest to maintain the current Town Zoning Map while the Draft Comprehensive Plan is being reviewed,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED

Section 2- Enactment of Temporary Moratorium

For a period of six (6) months from the effective date of this Local Law, there shall be a Moratorium upon any Town action that would that would result in any change or alteration to the official Town of Coeymans Zoning Map in effect as of the date of this Local Law.

This Moratorium shall apply to any pending or future application submitted to the Building Department, the Planning Board/Zoning Board of Appeals, or the Town Board. No final action upon any application that would result in a change or alteration to the official Zoning Map shall be taken by the Building Inspector, Planning Board/Zoning Board of Appeals, or the Town Board during the pendency of this Moratorium.

This Moratorium shall not apply to any change or alteration to the official Zoning Map ordered by any court of competent jurisdiction.

Section 3- SEQRA Review

This Moratorium is a Type II SEQRA action pursuant to 6 NYCRR 617.5(c)(36) and no further SEQRA review is required.

Section 4- Effective Date

This Local Law shall be effective upon filing with the NYS Secretary of State.

**(Complete the certification in the paragraph that applies to the filing of this local law and
strike out that which is not applicable.)**

1. (Final adoption by local legislative body only.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of
the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the

(Name of Legislative Body)
on _____ 20____, in accordance with the applicable
provisions of law.

**2. (Passage by local legislative body with approval, no disapproval or repassage after disapproval by the Elective
Chief Executive Officer*.)**

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of
the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the

(Name of Legislative Body)
on _____ 20____, and was (approved)(not approved)
(repassed after disapproval) by the _____ and was deemed duly adopted
(Elective Chief Executive Officer*)
on _____ 20____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

3. (Final adoption by referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of
the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the

(Name of Legislative Body)
on _____ 20____, and was (approved)(not approved)
(repassed after disapproval) by the _____ on _____ 20____.
(Elective Chief Executive Officer*)

Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a (mandatory)(permissive) referendum, and received the affirmative
vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon at the (general)(special)(annual) election held on _____
20____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

4. (Subject to permissive referendum and final adoption because no valid petition was filed requesting referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of
the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the

(Name of Legislative Body)
on _____ 20____, and was (approved)(not approved)
(repassed after disapproval) by the _____ on _____ 20____. Such local
(Elective Chief Executive Officer*)
law was subject to permissive referendum and no valid petition requesting such referendum was filed as of _____
20____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

* Elective Chief Executive Officer means or includes the chief executive officer of a county elected on a county-wide basis or, if there
be none, the chairperson of the county legislative body, the mayor of a city or village, or the supervisor of a town where such officer is
vested with the power to approve or veto local laws or ordinances.

5. (City local law concerning Charter revision proposed by petition.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the City of _____ having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of section (36)(37) of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such city voting thereon at the (special)(general) election held on _____ 20____, became operative.

6. (County local law concerning adoption of Charter.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the County of _____ State of New York, having been submitted to the electors at the General Election of November _____ 20____, pursuant to subdivisions 5 and 7 of section 33 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the cities of said county as a unit and a majority of the qualified electors of the towns of said county considered as a unit voting at said general election, became operative.

(If any other authorized form of final adoption has been followed, please provide an appropriate certification.)

I further certify that I have compared the preceding local law with the original on file in this office and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original local law, and was finally adopted in the manner indicated in paragraph _____ above.

Clerk of the county legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk or
officer designated by local legislative body

Date: _____

(Seal)