

TOWN OF HARPERSFIELD

LOCAL LAW 001 OF THE YEAR 2024

A LOCAL LAW CHANGING TO A SINGLE APPOINTED ASSESSOR FOR THE TOWN OF HARPERSFIELD,
DELAWARE COUNTY, NEW YORK.

SECTION 1. AUTHORITY.

The purpose of this Local Law is to permit the Town of Harpersfield, New York to change to a single appointed Assessor. It is adopted pursuant to New York Real Property Tax Law Section 328 and Municipal Home Rule Law Section 10.

SECTION 2. TERMINATION OF TERMS OF CURRENT ASSESSORS.

The terms of office for the present Assessors for the Town shall terminate on March 31, 2024 and from and after that date there shall be one appointed Assessor for the Town.

SECTION 3. APPOINTMENT AND TERM OF OFFICE OF APPOINTED ASSESSOR.

As set forth in Section 310 of the Real Property Tax Law, the single appointed Assessor shall be appointed by the Town Board. The term of office for the initial appointed Assessor shall be remaining current six (6) year term through September 30, 2025.

SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY.

The invalidity of any clause, sentence, paragraph or provision of this Local Law shall not invalidate any other clause, sentence, paragraph or part thereof.

SECTION 5. REPEALER; SUPERSESSION.

All Local Laws or Ordinances or parts of Local Laws or Ordinances in conflict with any part of this Local Law, including but not limited to Local Law No. 003 of the Year 2023, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. REFERENDUM CLAUSE.

This Local Law shall not be subject to a mandatory permissive referendum.

SECTION 7. INCONSISTENCY.

All other Local Laws and Ordinances of the Town of Harpersfield that are inconsistent with the provisions of this Local Law are hereby repealed; provided however, that such repeal shall only be to the extent of such inconsistency and in all other respects this Local Law shall be in addition to such other Local Laws or Ordinances regulating and governing the subject matter covered by this Local Law.

SECTION 8. SAVINGS CLAUSE.

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, work, section or part of this Local Law shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, such judgement shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder, thereof, but shall be confined in its operation of the clause, sentence, paragraph, worked section or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgement shall have been rendered.

SECTION 9. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Local law shall take effect immediately upon filing in the Office of the New York State Secretary of State as provided by law.

Filed with the Secretary of State as of January 29, 2024.