

**RESOLUTION No. 43 of 2021**

**INTRODUCTION**

**Local Law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 2021**

The following proposed local law, to be known as Local Law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 2021 of the Town of Clinton, entitled “Local Law Prohibiting On-Site Cannabis Consumption Sites”, a copy of which is attached hereto and made part hereof, is hereby introduced.

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Clinton (the “Town Board”) has determined that a local law prohibiting the establishment of on-site cannabis (marijuana) consumption sites commonly known as smoking parlors in the Town of Clinton (the “Town”) is necessary and in the best interest of the Town in order to protect the health, safety and welfare of its’ citizens; and

WHEREAS, the action to adopt this proposed Local Law is a Type II Action under the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act regulations for which no environmental review is required;

WHEREAS, this proposed Local Law is adopted pursuant to NY Cannabis Law § 131 which authorizes and empowers the Town Board to adopt a local law requesting the New York State Cannabis Control Board prohibit the establishment of on-site cannabis consumption licenses within the jurisdiction of the Town;

WHEREAS, this proposed Local Law is subject to a permissive referendum pursuant to § 24 of the Municipal Home Rule Law; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a public hearing be held in relation to the proposed Local Law as set forth in the form of notice, hereinafter provided, at which hearing parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard, to be held at the Town Hall on October 12, 2021, at 6:15 o’clock p.m., Prevailing Time, and that notice of said meeting shall be published in the official newspaper of general circulation in the Town by the Town Clerk, at least five (5) days before such hearing and that such notice shall be in the following form:

Town of Clinton

Town Board

**Notice of Public Hearing**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Town of Clinton will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, October 12, 2021 at the Town of Clinton Town Hall, 1215 Centre Rd, Rhinebeck (Town of Clinton), New York at 6:15 p.m. Prevailing Time, or as soon thereafter as the matter is reached on the agenda, concerning proposed Local Law No. \_\_ of 2021, entitled, "Local Law Prohibiting On-Site Cannabis Consumption Sites" pursuant to Article 16 of the N. Y. Town Law.

This Local Law, absent the filing of the requisite number of protesting petitions, will take effect forty-five (45) days after the date of its adoption by the Town Board upon its filing with the Secretary of State. Complete copies of the proposed Local Law are available at the Town of Clinton Clerk's Office for inspection during regular business hours.

All interested persons and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard on said proposals at the date, time and place aforesaid.

Dated: September 14, 2021

By order of the Town of Clinton



Carol-Jean Mackin, Town Clerk

Motion: Supervisor Oberly

Second: Councilman Michael

Roll Call Vote:

Ray Oberly, Supervisor AYE

Dean Michael, Councilperson AYE

Nancy Cunningham, Councilperson AYE

Michael Whitton, Councilperson AYE

Chris Juliano, Councilperson AYE