



Village of Groton

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March 28, 2023

New York Department of State
Divisions of Corporations
State Records and Uniform Commercial Code
One Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave
Albany, NY 12231

RE: Local Law No. 4 of 2023

Dear Sir or Madam,

Enclosed for filing with the Department of State is a copy of Local Law No. 4 of 2023, adopted by the Board of Trustees on Monday, March 20, 2023

Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Nancy Niswender
Clerk-Treasurer/Administrator
Village of Groton

Local Law Filing

(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 Groton

Local Law No. 4 of the year 20²³

A local law Village of Groton Exemption for Disabled Persons with Limited Incomes
(Insert Title)

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

County City Town Village
(Select one.)

of Groton as follows:

See Attached.

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

(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. 4 of 2023 of the ~~(County)(City)(Town)~~(Village) of Groton was duly passed by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Groton on March 20 2023, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.
(Name of Legislative Body)

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 _____ on _____ 20____, and was (approved)(not approved) (Name of Legislative Body) (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 _____ on _____ 20____, and was (approved)(not approved) (Name of Legislative Body) (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 _____ on _____ 20____, and was (approved)(not approved) (Name of Legislative Body) (repassed after disapproval) by the _____ on _____ 20____. Such local 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 one above.

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

Date: 3-28-2023

(Seal)

Chapter 181. Taxation

Article IV

Exemption for Disabled Persons with Limited Incomes

§ 181-25 Title

This article shall be known as the "Village of Groton Exemption for Disabled Persons with Limited Incomes".

§ 181-26 Purpose and Intent

A. Pursuant to the provisions of § 459-c of the Real Property Tax Law of the State of New York, real property located in the Village of Groton owned by one or more persons with disabilities, or real property owned by husband and wife or by siblings, one of whom has a disability, or real property owned by one or more persons, some of whom qualify under § 459-c of the Real Property Tax Law of the State of New York and others of whom qualify under § 467 of the Real Property Tax Law of the State of New York, and whose income, as defined in § 459-c of the Real Property Tax Law of the State of New York, is limited by reason of such disability, shall be partially exempt from taxation by said Village for the applicable taxes specified in said § 459-c based upon the income of the owner or combined incomes of the owners. For the purpose of this article, "sibling" shall mean a brother or sister, whether related through half blood, whole blood or adoption. Such partial exemption shall be to the extent set forth in the following schedule:

Schedule of Exemption	
Annual Income	Percentage of Assessed Valuation of Property Subject to Exemption
Up to \$35,000.00	50%
\$35,000.01 to \$36,000.00	45%
\$36,000.01 to \$37,000.00	40%
\$37,000.01 to \$38,000.00	35%
\$38,000.01 to \$38,900.00	30%
\$38,900.01 to \$39,800.00	25%
\$39,800.01 to \$40,700.00	20%
\$40,700.01 to \$41,600.00	15%
\$41,600.01 to \$42,500.00	10%
\$42,500.01 to \$43,400.00	5%

B. The partial exemption provided by this article shall, however, be limited to such property and persons as meet the conditions, exclusions and limitations as set forth in § 459-c of the Real Property Tax Law of the State of New York. This article shall be administered in accordance with said section of the Real Property Tax Law, as now adopted and as it may be amended from time to time, and the provisions of said section shall be applicable to the effectuation of the exemption provided for in this article.

§ 181-27 Application for exemption.

Applications for such exemption must be made by the owner or all of the owners of the property on forms to be furnished by the Tompkins County Division of Assessment and shall furnish the information and be executed in the manner required or prescribed in such forms and shall be filed in such office on or before the appropriate taxable status date.

§ 181-28 Penalties for offenses.

Any conviction of having made any willful false statement in the application for such exemption shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$100 and shall disqualify the application or applicants from further exemption for a period of five years.

§ 181-29 Effective date.

This local law shall be effective immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State and shall be applicable for the 2024 assessment rolls.

STATE OF NEW YORK

SS:

COUNTY OF TOMPKINS

Jim Bilinski of Hhaco,
NY, being duly sworn says that he is the publisher
of the Tompkins Independent weekly newspaper published in
Hhaco, NY, and that the printed notice hereunto attached has been regular-
ly published in said newspaper once a week for one (1) weeks,
successively, commencing on the 29th day of March, 2023
and ending on the 29th day of March, 2023 the date of
the last publication thereof.

[Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

28th day of April, 2023
Christine M. Albert

Notary Public



PUBLIC NOTICE
VILLAGE OF GROTON
NOTICE OF ADOPTION
NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that the Board
of Trustees of the
Village of Groton, NY,
duly adopted Local
Law No. 4 of 2023 at
their meeting held on
Monday, March 20,
2023 after a Public
Hearing was duly held.
Local Law No. 4, adopt-
ing Chapter 181-25
to 181-29 "Village of
Groton Exemption for
Disabled Persons with
Limited Incomes". The

local law is available
for review in its entirety
at the Village Clerk's
Office during usual
business hours. Nancy
Niswender Village Clerk
3/29

STATE OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
ONE COMMERCE PLAZA
99 WASHINGTON AVENUE
ALBANY, NY 12231-0001
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KATHY HOCHUL
GOVERNOR
ROBERT J. RODRIGUEZ
SECRETARY OF STATE

April 19, 2023

Nancy Niswender
Groton Village Clerk
143 E Cortkabd Street, PO Box 100
Groton NY 13075

RE: Village of Groton, Local Law 4 & 5 2023, filed on April 3 2023

Dear Sir/Madam:

The above referenced material was filed by this office as indicated. Additional local law filing forms can be obtained from our website, www.dos.ny.gov.

Sincerely,
State Records and Law Bureau
(518) 473-2492