

TOWN OF HARPERSFIELD  
RESOLUTION NO. 008 OF THE YEAR 2023

A meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Harpersfield, Delaware County, New York was convened in public session at the Town Hall located in Harpersfield, New York on May 10, 2023 at 7:00 PM, local time.

TITLE: A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF HARPERSFIELD IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF A LOCAL LAW TO OPT-OUT OF THE REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION PROVIDED BY SECTION 487 OF THE NEW YORK STATE REAL PROPERTY LAW.

WHEREAS, New York State Real Property Tax Law Section 487 provides an exemption from real property taxation for solar and wind energy systems or for farm waste energy systems; and

WHEREAS, New York State Real Property Tax Law Section 487(8) allows a municipality to opt-out of the exemption from taxation; and

WHEREAS, the Town has prepared a proposed Local Law to opt-out of the exemption from taxation applicable with respect to any solar or wind energy system or farm waste energy system; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has reviewed and considered the proposed Local Law; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board adopted a resolution on April 12, 2023 scheduling a public hearing on the proposed Law for May 10, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the public hearing on proposed Local Law 02 of the Year 2023 was held on May 10, 2023 at the Town Hall; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board reviewed and considered all public comments received on the proposed Law; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Law was on file for inspection in the Town Clerk's office prior to the hearing and during the public hearing process; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Local Law No. 02 of the Year 2023, entitled "A Local Law Opting-Out Of The Solar And Wind Energy System And Farm Waste Energy System Exemptions Provided By Real Property Tax Law § 487", is hereby adopted and the Town Clerk and Town Attorney are hereby directed to file said Local Law with the Office of the Secretary of State in accordance with State Law.

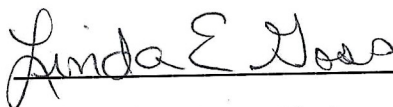
IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Clerk and the Attorney for the Town are hereby directed to take such actions as are necessary to implement this resolution.

Town Board Member Patrick F. Funk so moved; Town Board Member Erik R. Reeve seconded, and the Town Board voted as follows:

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| Town Supervisor Lisa M. Driscoll    | Aye.    |
| Town Board Member Matthew J. Taylor | Absent. |
| Town Board Member Patrick F. Funk   | Aye.    |
| Town Board Member Erik R. Reeve     | Aye.    |
| Town Board Member Dwayne C. Hill    | Aye.    |

THE RESOLUTION WAS THEREUPON DECLARED DULY ADOPTED.

Signed this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023



Linda E. Goss, Town Clerk

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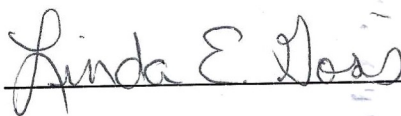
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I have compared the preceding copy with the original Resolution on file in this office adopted by the Town Board of Harpersfield at a regular meeting held on May 10, 2023, and I DO HEREBY CERTIFY the same to be a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of the original. I further certify the vote thereon was as follows:

| MEMBERS PRESENT: | MEMBERS ABSENT:   | VOTE: |
|------------------|-------------------|-------|
| Lisa M Driscoll  |                   | Aye.  |
|                  | Matthew J. Taylor |       |
| Patrick F. Funk  |                   | Aye.  |
| Erik R. Reeve    |                   | Aye.  |
| Dwayne C. Hill   |                   | Aye.  |

Witness my hand and the seal of the Town of Harpersfield, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 2023.



LINDA E. GOSS, TOWN CLERK, TOWN OF HARPERSFIELD