PUBLIC HEARING March 11, 2020

At 9:01 p.m. Supervisor Schiliro stated that a Public Hearing, which was opened and adjourned on February 27, 2019, and reconvened and adjourned on February 26, 2020, would be reconvened in accordance with the Public Notice that follows:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the North Castle Town Board will reconvene the Public Hearing on February 26, 2020, at 7:30 PM, or as soon thereafter as practical, at Town Hall, 15 Bedford Road, Armonk, NY 10504, to consider a Local Law to amend the Code of the Town of North Castle, Chapter 325 entitled "Vehicles and Traffic", Section 325-58 Schedule XVI "No Parking or Standing Certain Hours"; Section 325-49 Schedule VII "Stop Intersections"; and Section 325-55 Schedule XIII "No Parking Any Time".

The proposed local law is available in the Town Clerk's office during regular business hours and on the Town website. ALL PERSONS HAVING AN INTEREST IN THE MATTER ARE INVITED TO ATTEND AND BE HEARD.

By Order of the Town Board Alison Simon, Town Clerk

Dated: February 10, 2020 Armonk, NY

The Town Clerk noted that the following correspondence was received since the Public Hearing was reconvened on February 26, 2020 and was marked Exhibit "F" for the record:

Emails from Anthony Patti, dated February 27, 2020 and March 6, 2020.

The Town Clerk noted that there was a revised proposed Local Law for consideration.

Supervisor Schiliro noted that at the February 26, 2020 Town Board meeting, Police Chief Peter Simonsen presented proposed amendments to the Vehicles and Traffic Chapter of the Town Code. The Supervisor noted that Chief Simonsen has spent a great deal of time on this matter, looking at safety considerations and quality of life considerations for residents with regard to restricting parking in some locations in North White Plains. The Supervisor said that the Town Board has tasked the Chief in looking at this again and revisiting some of the locations.

On March 9, 2020, Chief Simonsen and the North White Plains Fire Chief, several Town Board members, Town Engineers John Kellard and Joe Cermele of Kellard Sessions, and several Police Officers convened in North White Plains. The Chief said that he performed a test in the areas where parking is permitted or parking was proposed, to be sure emergency vehicles could navigate the roads when necessary. They parked the vehicles and the North White Plains fire truck was driven through these locations.

Chief Simonsen displayed a map of the area of Grove Road, Palmer Avenue, and Rockledge Road, and photographs taken at the locations; and he commented on each location.

With regard to the question asked at the last Town Board meeting if the proposed parking restriction on the curve in front of 26 Rockledge Road could be removed from consideration, the testing demonstrated that the parking could not be permitted at this location.

With regard to the Chief's revision to the proposed amendments which would permit parking on the North side of Grove Road, from its intersection with Palmer Avenue east for a distance of 176' to distance of 196', the testing demonstrated that an additional twenty feet of parking could be permitted on this section of Grove Road.

Several North White Plains residents provided comments:

Anthony Patti read aloud his email dated March 6, 2020.

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Donald Ahrenberg Kenneth Kaufmann, and Adolfo Vargas commented regarding the proposed parking restrictions on Grove Road, and suggested road improvements to provide for parking on some sections of Grove Road.

Supervisor Schiliro commented that he believes the Board needs to take action with regard to the hearing due to safety concerns which have to be addressed. The Supervisor said the Board will consider looking at the parking situation and continue to evaluate possible options in terms of engineering that could be done.

After all persons were heard who desired to be heard, Councilman DiGiacinto moved, seconded by Councilman Berra, that the Public Hearing be at 10:21 p.m.

The roll call vote was as follows:

Ayes: Councilmen DiGiacinto, Reiter, Berra, Hussain, Supervisor Schiliro

Noes: None

Councilman DiGiacinto moved, seconded by Councilman Berra, the adoption of Local Law 2 of 2020 to amend the Code of the Town of North Castle, Chapter 325 entitled "Vehicles and Traffic", Section 325-58 Schedule XVI: "No Parking or Standing Certain Hours"; Section 325-49 Schedule VII: "Stop Intersections"; Chapter 325-59 Schedule XVII: Time-Limit Parking; and Section 325-55 Schedule XIII: "No Parking Any Time". The Local Law follows at the end of these minutes.

The roll call vote was as follows:

Ayes: Councilmen DiGiacinto, Reiter, Berra, Hussain, Supervisor Schiliro

Noes: None

Alison Simon, Town Clerk

Dated: April 13, 2020

TOWN OF NORTH CASTLE

Local Law No. 2 for the Year 2020 Adopted March 11, 2020

A Local Law to amend Chapter 325 of the Code of the Town of North Castle entitled Vehicles and Traffic.

Be It Enacted by the Town Board of the Town of North Castle as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. <u>Chapter 325-58 Schedule XVI: No Parking or Standing Certain Hours</u> is hereby amended to repeal the following:

Note: This affirms adoption of Local Law No. 2 of 1988

Name of Street Side Location

Palmer Avenue East From its intersection with Reservoir Road

to its intersection with North Broadway

No Parking Certain Hours (6:00 p.m. – 6:00 a.m.)

<u>Section 2</u>. <u>Chapter 325-49 Schedule VII: Stop Intersections</u> is hereby amended to add the following:

Stop Sign on	<u>Direction of Travel</u>	At Intersection of
Overlook Road North	North	Morningside Place
Stony Brook Way	West	Stony Brook Place
Palmer Avenue	North	Castle Heights Place

<u>Section 3. Chapter 325-59 Schedule XVII: Time-Limit Parking</u> is hereby amended to add the following:

Name of Street	<u>Side</u>	<u>Time-Limit; Hours/Days</u>	Location
Seneca Avenue	West	1 hr.; 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.	From its intersection with North Broadway south to
		All/All	the White Plains City Line

<u>Section 4.</u> <u>Chapter 325-55 Schedule XIII: No Parking Any Time</u> is hereby amended to add the following:

Name of Street	Side	Location
Grove Road	North	From its intersection with Palmer Avenue east for a distance of 176' and from a distance of 196' to 268'
Grove Road	South	From its intersection with Palmer Avenue east for a distance of 268'
Grove Road	East	From its intersection with Rockledge Road north for a distance of 355'
Grove Road	West	From its intersection with Rockledge Road north for a distance of 68'
Rockledge Road	West	From its intersection with Grove Road to its intersection with Castle Heights Place

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Rockledge Road	East	From its intersection with Grove Road south for a distance of 102'
Rockledge Road	East	From its intersection with Castle Heights Place north for a distance of 167'
Rockledge Road	East	From its intersection with Reservoir Road north to a point 50' south of its intersection with Castle Heights Place
Palmer Avenue	East	From its intersection with Reservoir Road to its intersection with Castle Heights Place
Palmer Avenue	East	From its intersection with Grove Road to its intersection with Roberta Place
North Broadway	East	420' north of its intersection with Hillandale Avenue for a distance of 60' (<i>In Front of Pumphouse</i>)
Custis Avenue	West	From its intersection with Hillandale Avenue south for a distance of 200'
Seneca Avenue	East	From its intersection with North Broadway south to the White Plains City Line

<u>Section 5</u>. <u>Effective Date:</u> this Local Law shall be effective immediately upon filing of same with the Secretary of State of the State of New York.