

# Local Law Filing

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County  City  Town  Village

(Select one.)

of Victor

Local Law No. 1 of the year 2024

A local law to Override the New York Tax Levy Limit for 2025 – Town of Victor

(Insert Title)

Be it enacted by the Town Board of the

(Name of Legislative Body)

County  City  Town  Village

(Select one.)

of Victor

as follows:

## LOCAL LAW TO OVERRIDE THE NY TAX LEVY LIMIT FOR 2025 – TOWN OF VICTOR

BE IT ENACTED, by the Town Board of the Town of Victor, Ontario County, State of New York, as follows:

### Section I. Authorization

This Local Law is in accordance with New York General Municipal Law at Section 3-c.

### Section II. Title and Purpose

This law shall be known as and may be cited as Local Law No. 1 – 2024 Override the NY Tax Levy Limit for 2025 of the Town of Victor. The purpose of this local law is to override the NY Tax Levy Limit, pursuant to NY General Municipal Law Section 3-c.

### Section III. Legislative Findings

The Victor Town Board finds and hereby determines that the Town has continued to experience rapid growth. In connection with such growth, along with development in technology, increases in health care costs, etc., the Town is facing increased costs including, but not limited to, costs related to sewer and water infrastructure, highway costs, employee payroll and benefits costs, technology costs, etc. In part because of the Town's historically low tax rate, the Town's ability to

increase revenues via taxation to cover increased costs is severely limited due to the NYS Tax Levy Limit (which limits increase in taxation to a percentage of historic taxes). Therefore, in order to maintain the high level of services and the high standard of living the Town of Victor, it may be necessary to increase taxation beyond the level otherwise permitted by the NYS Tax Cap at NY General Municipal Law Section 3-c.

Section IV. Amendment

The Town Board of the Town of Victor, County of Ontario, is hereby authorized to adopt a budget for the fiscal year of 2025 which requires a real property tax levy increase in excess of the limit set by NY General Municipal Law Section 3-c.

Section V. Validity and Severability

Should any word, section, clause, paragraph, sentence, part or provision of this local law be declared invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such determination shall not affect the validity of any other part hereof.

Section VI. Repeal, Amendment and Supersession of Other Laws

All other ordinances or local laws of the Town of Victor which are in conflict with the provisions of this local law are hereby superseded or repealed to the extent necessary to give this local law force and effect during its effective period.

Section VII. Effective Date

This local law, after its adoption by the Town Board of the Town of Victor, shall take effect immediately upon its filing with the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York.

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**(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. 1 of 2024 of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of Victor was duly passed by the Town Board on January 22, 2024, 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) (repassed after disapproval) by the \_\_\_\_\_ and was deemed duly adopted on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.  
*(Name of Legislative Body)*  
*(Elective Chief Executive Officer\*)*

**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) (repassed after disapproval) by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_.  
*(Name of Legislative Body)*  
*(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) (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.  
*(Name of Legislative Body)*  
*(Elective Chief Executive Officer\*)*

\* 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 , 1 above.

*Karen C. Bodine*  
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Clerk of the county legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk or officer designated by local legislative body

Date: 1/24/24

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