

LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC HEARING
City of Oneida

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a **PUBLIC HEARING** will be held at 6:30 pm on Wednesday, July 5, 2023, in Common Council Chambers, 109 N. Main Street, Oneida, NY on a proposed Local Law to amend the Code of the City of Oneida regarding appearance tickets and issuing and service of the same.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the complete text of the Proposed Local Law may be viewed on the City's website www.oneidacityny.gov under Legal Notices and in the City Clerk's lobby.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that any or all persons opposing said proposed Local Law may file a written notice thereto, with the City Clerk before such hearing or attend said hearing at the time and place specified.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that any persons with special needs should contact the City Clerk one week prior to the hearing.

**A LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ONEIDA REGARDING APPEARANCE TICKETS AND
ISSUING AND SERVICE OF THE SAME**

Be it enacted by the Common Council of the City of Oneida, as follows:

Section 1. AUTHORITY.

This local law is enacted pursuant to New York State Constitution and New York Municipal Home Rule Law § 10.

Section 2. PURPOSE.

The purpose of this local law is to promote the public safety and welfare of the City and its residents by ensuring that public servants are appropriately authorized with the power to issue and serve appearance tickets.

Section 3. AMENDMENT OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ONEIDA SECTION 21-1, TITLED "APPEARANCE TICKETS TO ENFORCE ORDINANCES."

So that Section 21-1, titled "Appearance tickets to enforce ordinances," is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

"The officer charged by ordinance or other provision of law with enforcement of the provisions of the City of Oneida health and sanitation, solid waste and recycling, subdivision regulations and zoning regulations ordinances is hereby authorized to issue and serve an appearance ticket, as defined in the New York State Criminal Procedure Law,

for violation of any of the provisions of such ordinances or any lawful orders or directions issued pursuant thereto, after providing any required notice and period of time for correction or compliance.”

Section 4. AMENDMENT OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ONEIDA SECTION 17-15, TITLED “PENALTIES FOR OFFENSES; VIOLATIONS; APPEARANCE TICKETS”

So that Subsection C of Section 17-15, titled “Penalties for offenses; violations; appearance tickets” is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 29. VALIDITY & SEVERABILITY

If a court determines that any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, or part of this local law or application thereof to any person, firm or corporation, or circumstance is invalid or unconstitutional, the court’s order or judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder of this local law, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, or part of this local law or in its application to the person, individual, firm or corporation or circumstance, directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment or order shall be rendered.

Section 30. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Local Law shall be effective upon filing with the office of the Secretary of State.

SANDRA LAPERA
CITY CLERK
June 21, 2023