

LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC HEARING
City of Oneida

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a **PUBLIC HEARING** will be held at 6:30 pm on Tuesday, September 7, 2021 on a proposed Local Law to amend Chapter 147 of the Code of the City of Oneida to further regulate solid waste.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the complete text of the Proposed Local Law may be viewed on the City's website www.oneidacity.com under Legal Notices or 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.

CITY OF ONEIDA

PROPOSED LOCAL LAW

**A LOCAL LAW TO AMEND CHAPTER 147 OF THE CODE OF
THE CITY OF ONEIDA TO FURTHER REGULATE SOLID WASTE**

Be it enacted by the Common Council of the City of Oneida, that this local law amends Chapters 147 of the Code of the City of Oneida, as follows:

SECTION 1. AUTHORITY.

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

SECTION 2.

So that Section 147-3(A) of the City of Oneida Code is hereby amended to read, in its entirety, as follows:

- "A. Collection containers, as approved by the Department of Code Enforcement, shall be made of adequate material, shall be of substantial construction, shall have handles and shall have attached tight-fitting covers tethered to the can. They shall be watertight and shall be fly- and rodent-tight. No can, bag or other receptacle filled with or holding garbage, rubbish or other material shall at any time, within the established inside district, be placed or kept on ground level of any premises at any point nearer the street line fronting such premises than the rear line of the main building, except on the designated curbside collection day provided for herein."

SECTION 3.

So that Section 147-4(A) of the City of Oneida Code is hereby amended to read, in its entirety, as follows:

- "A. Generally. All residential garbage shall be placed curbside, except for those residents covered in §147-4C(1) below, not before 4:00 p.m. of the day prior to scheduled collection. By 9:00 p.m. of collection day, all garbage cans or containers and any waste materials not collected must be removed from the curbside."

SECTION 4.

So that a new term "junk" shall be added to Section 147-1 of the City of Oneida Code, titled "Definitions," which definition shall read as follows:

"**JUNK** - Any article in any form composed of or consisting of any of the following enumerated secondhand, discarded, abandoned or cast off metals or materials, namely: iron, brass, bronze, copper, tin, zinc, lead or any other metals or compounds thereof; broken glass, rags, clothing, rubber, plastics and synthetic substances and fabrics; bottles, papers, feathers or any other waste material or any compound or by-product of the foregoing enumerated materials; refrigerators, washing machines, televisions, computer monitors, mattresses, sofas, furniture, doors, and any building material. The term "junk" shall also include wrecked, abandoned or dismantled motor vehicles or parts thereof."

SECTION 5.

So that a new Section 147-10, titled "Junk Storage," shall be added to Chapter 147 of the City of Oneida Code, which shall read, in its entirety, as follows:

"§147-10 Junk Storage.

- A. The deposit, accumulation, or storage of junk, regardless of quantity, is hereby prohibited within sight of persons traveling the public highways or within sight of neighboring property.
- B. It shall be unlawful for any person to use a bus, uninhabited mobile home, truck, truck trailer, horse trailer, semitrailer, tank truck, or similar vehicles or units for the storage or junk on any premises. Exceptions shall be made for the temporary use of such vehicles or units for construction purposes for periods of less than 90 days, or when actively used in connection with active farming or agricultural operations."

SECTION 6. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

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