

TOWN OF KNOX

LOCAL LAW NO. 1 OF THE YEAR 2021

To Reduce the Number of Members on the Knox Zoning Board of Appeals

SECTION 1. The Town Board of the Town of Knox finds that that in order to properly provide services to the residents of the Town of Knox it must adequately staff the various legislative and governing bodies, such as the Zoning Board of Appeals, in a manner sufficient so that they may perform their function in an orderly and timely manner.

SECTION 2. Authority. In accordance with New York State Town law §267(7) to adopt and amend local laws not inconsistent with the provisions of the New York State Constitution or not inconsistent with any general law relating to its property, affairs, and government, which authorizes the Town to adopt and amend local laws relating to the establishment of the number of members for the Zoning Board of Appeals, the Town Board hereby authorizes the imposition of the following requirements as provided for in this article.

SECTION 3. Zoning Board of Appeals minimum number of members.

A. The Town of Knox through the duly elected member of the Knox Town Council hereby adopts and amends the number of members to serve on the Knox Zoning Board of Appeals from Seven (7) to five (5) in accordance with all relative laws including NYS Town Law §267(7).

SECTION 4. When effective; applicability.

A. This article shall become effective upon filing with the Secretary of State of the State of New York.

B. This article shall apply to all members of the Town of Knox Zoning Board of Appeals.

C. Current and prospective members of the Zoning Board of Appeals shall be notified of this article prior to their appointment to such Board.

D. General severability. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, section or item of this article shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not impair nor invalidate the remainder hereof, but such adjudication shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence paragraph, section or item directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered.

**BY ORDER OF THE KNOX TOWN BOARD
TRACI SCHANZ, TOWN CLERK**

I, TRACI SCHANZ, Town Clerk of the Town of Knox, Albany County, New York, **DO HEREBY CERTIFY** that the foregoing resolution was approved by the Town Board of the Town of Knox on _____, 2021 as witnessed by roll call results below and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of the original resolution and of the whole thereof and that said original resolution is on file in the Town Clerk's office.

Vasilios Lefkaditis Town Supervisor	Aye	Nay
Dennis Cyr Deputy Town Supervisor	Aye	Nay
Kenneth Saddlemire Town Councilman	Aye	Nay
June Springer Town Councilwoman	Aye	Nay
Karl Pritchard Town Councilman	Aye	Nay

I DO FURTHER CERTIFY that each of the members of the Town Board had due notice of the said Town Board meeting.

IN WTINESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the Town of Knox this _____, 2021.

Traci Schanz, Town Clerk

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