

Warren County Board of Supervisors

RESOLUTION NO. 227 OF 2021

RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY SUPERVISORS CONOVER, HOGAN, DICKINSON, THOMAS, BRUNO, GERAGHTY AND MERLINO

INTRODUCING PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. 6 OF 2021, ENTITLED "A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW NO. 11 OF 2011, ENTITLED "A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW NO. 7 OF 1978 AND LOCAL LAW NO. 2 OF 1984 TO AUTHORIZE SNOWMOBILE USAGE ON THE WARREN COUNTY BIKEWAY IN A CERTAIN SECTION DESIGNATED WITHIN LOCAL LAW NO. 11 OF 2011", TO AUTHORIZE CLASS 1 AND CLASS 2 BIKE USAGE ON THE WARREN COUNTY BIKEWAY," AND AUTHORIZING PUBLIC HEARING THEREON

NOT APPROVED - REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

RESOLVED, that proposed Local Law No. 6 of 2021 entitled "A Local Law Amending Local Law No. 11 of 2011, Entitled "A Local Law Amending Local Law No. 7 of 1978 and Local Law No. 2 of 1984 to Authorize Snowmobile Usage on the Warren County Bikeway in a Certain Section Designated within Local Law No. 11 of 2011", to Authorize Class 1 and Class 2 Electric Bike Usage on the Warren County Bikeway," attached hereto and made a part hereof, be, and the same hereby is, introduced before the Warren County Board of Supervisors, and in order to give interested members of the public the opportunity to be heard thereon, the Board of Supervisors shall hold a public hearing at the Supervisors' Room in the Warren County Municipal Center on the 16th day of July, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. on the matter of the adoption of said proposed Local Law No. 6 of 2021, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to give notice of such public hearing in the manner provided by law.

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SCHEDULE "A"

**COUNTY OF WARREN
LOCAL LAW NO. 6 OF 2021**

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW NO. 11 OF 2011, ENTITLED "A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW NO. 7 OF 1978 AND LOCAL LAW NO. 2 OF 1984 TO AUTHORIZE SNOWMOBILE USAGE ON THE WARREN COUNTY BIKEWAY IN A CERTAIN SECTION DESIGNATED WITHIN LOCAL LAW NO. 11 OF 2011", TO AUTHORIZE CLASS 1 AND CLASS 2 ELECTRIC BIKE USAGE ON THE WARREN COUNTY BIKEWAY

BE IT ENACTED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Warren, New York, as follows:

SECTION 1. Title. This Local Law shall be known as "A Local Law Amending Local Law No. 11 of 2011, Entitled "A Local Law Amending Local Law No. 7 of 1978 and Local Law No. 2 of 1984 to Authorize Snowmobile Usage on the Warren County Bikeway in a Certain Section Designated Within Local Law No. 11 of 2011" to Authorize Class 1 and Class 2 Electric Bike Usage on the Warren County Bikeway."

SECTION 2. Legislative Intent and Purpose. The Warren County Board of Supervisors desires to amend Local Law No. 11 of 2011, to authorize use of Class 1 and Class 2 electric bike usage on the Warren County Bikeway.

SECTION 3. Enactment Authority. This Local Law is enacted under the authority of Section 10 of the Municipal Home Rule of New York State.

SECTION 4. Subsection 3 of Section 6 of Local Law No. 11 of 2011 is amended to read as follows:

"Section 6. Except as provided for in subsection (a) herein, or as otherwise provided by resolution of the Warren County Board of Supervisors, motor vehicles are prohibited from operating in or on the areas of the facilities except as may be permitted on roads and parking areas designated and marked for motor vehicle use by the Superintendent.

(a) Snowmobiles may be operated on the Warren County Bikeway from a point beginning at approximately 920' south of the centerline of County Route 59 (Bloody Pond Road), and extending the boundary of the Lands of the State of New York north of the bridge over State Route 9L (exclusive of segments within Town Highway ROW), from the day following the close of the local Big Game muzzleloader season (as annually determined by NYSDEC), through the following March 31st, and only between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., unless otherwise restricted by applicable law or regulation. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Superintendent or his designee may restrict snowmobile access and usage on the above described section of the Warren County Bikeway if weather conditions are not conducive to snowmobile use or, for other reasons as determined by the

Superintendent or his designee.

(b) Class 1 and Class 2 Electric Bikes may be operated on the Warren County Bikeway one (1) hour before sunrise and closing one (1) hour after sunset, unless otherwise restricted by applicable law or regulation. Notwithstanding, the foregoing, the Superintendent or his designee may restrict Class 1 and Class 2 electric bikes usage of the Warren County Bikeway if weather conditions are not conducive to use or, for other reasons as determined by the Superintendent or his designee.”

SECTION 5. Effective Date. This Law shall be effective immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State as provided by law.

SECTION 6. Prior Local Laws Amended. This Local Law amends Warren County Local Law No. 7 of 1978 “A Local Law Providing for the Rules and Regulations for the Use of the Warren County Bikeway” and Local Law 11 of 2011 “A Local Law Amending Local Law 7 of 1978 and Local Law No. 2 of 1984 to Authorize Snowmobile Usage on the Warren County Bikeway in a Certain Section Designated within Local Law No. 11 of 2011.”

Except as amended herein, all of the terms and conditions of Local Law No. 7 of 1978 and Local Law No. 11 of 2011, shall remain in full force and effect.