

Local Law Number \_\_ of 2017

Public Notice

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Tarrytown will hold a public hearing on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2017, at 8 PM, in the Municipal Building, One Depot Plaza, Tarrytown, New York 10591, to hear, discuss and to act upon a proposed amendment to Chapter 205-3.1 Seasonal ban on gas-powered leaf and garden blowers of the Code of the Village of Tarrytown. A summary of the legislation is available at Village Hall. The complete text of this legislation follows:

A local law to amend Tarrytown Village Code Chapter 205-3.1 Seasonal ban on gas-powered leaf and garden blowers to increase accountability of company owner's and encourage effective oversight of the current Village Code.

Be it enacted by the **Board of Trustees** of the **Village of Tarrytown** as follows  
Language in **Bold** to be added, language in [parenthesis to be deleted]:

§ 205-3.1. Seasonal ban on gas-powered leaf and garden blowers. [Added 5-5-2008 by L.L. No. 8-2008]

- A. The operation of a gasoline-powered leaf and garden blower is prohibited from June 15 through September 15 of each year and on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays during the period September 16 through June 14 each year. Person(s) who own or rent a one to three-family home, who are using the gasoline-powered leaf and garden blowers at the home where they reside, are exempt from the provisions of this section. During times of emergency caused by a storm, the Village Engineer may declare a temporary moratorium on the operations of this provision. [Amended 9-20-2010 by L.L. No. 16-2010]
- B. The Village Engineer may, in his discretion and upon application, grant temporary special permits for the temporary operation of gasoline-powered leaf and garden blowers otherwise subject to this section to accommodate special circumstances, including but not limited to the cleanup of temporary work sites, and shall charge and collect a fee of \$35 for each permit so granted.
- C. No owner of a Green Industry Company shall cause or permit the operation of a gasoline-powered leaf or garden blower from June 15 through September 15 of each year or on Saturdays, Sundays or holidays during the period September 16 through June 14 each year.**

## **Section 2: Severability**

If the provisions of any article, section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision or clause of this local law shall be judged invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such order of judgment shall not affect or invalidate the remainder of any article, section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision or clause of this local law.

## **Section 3: Effective Date**

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing in the office of the New York State Secretary of State in accordance with Section 27 of the Municipal Home Rule Law.

All interested parties are invited to attend and be heard. Access to the meeting room is available to the elderly and the handicapped. Signing is available for the hearing-impaired; a request must be made to the Village Clerk at least five days in advance of the meeting.

## **BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF TARRYTOWN**

DATED: October 16, 2017

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