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RE: Village of Groton

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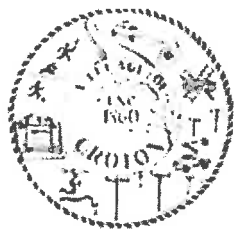
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June 18, 2025

New York Department of State
Divisions of Corporations
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One Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave
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RE: Local Law No. 6 of 2025

Dear Sir or Madam,

Enclosed for filing with the Department of State is a copy of Local Law No. 6 of 2025, adopted by the Board of Trustees on Monday, June 16, 2025

Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Nancy Niswender
Clerk-Treasurer/Administrator
Village of Groton

Local Law Filing

(Use this form to file a local law with the Secretary of State.)

Text of law should be given as amended. Do not include matter being eliminated and do not use italics or underlining to indicate new matter.

☐ County ☐ City ☐ Town ☒ Village
(Select one:)

of Groton

Local Law No. 6 of the year 2025

A local law A Local Law amending chapter 165 of the Code of the Village of Groton,

(Insert Title)

"Sewers" to Amend Section 165-3 (A), (B) thereof by replacing Section 165-3 (A), (B)

with a new Section 165-3 (A), (B).

Be it enacted by the Board of Trustees of the
(Name of Legislative Body)

☐ County ☐ City ☐ Town ☒ Village
(Select one:)

of Groton

as follows:

See Attached.

(If additional space is needed, attach pages the same size as this sheet, and number each.)

(Complete the certification in the paragraph that applies to the filing of this local law and strike out that which is not applicable.)

1. (Final adoption by local legislative body only.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. 6 of 2025 of the ~~(County)(City)(Town)~~(Village) of Groton Board of Trustees of the Village of Groton was duly passed by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Groton on June 16 2025, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

2. ~~(Passage by local legislative body with approval, no disapproval or repassage after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer*)~~

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the ~~(County)(City)(Town)~~(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 20____, and was ~~(approved)(not approved)~~ (repassed after disapproval) by the _____ and was deemed duly adopted on _____ 2025, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

3. (Final adoption by referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the ~~(County)(City)(Town)~~(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 20____, and was ~~(approved)(not approved)~~ (repassed after disapproval) by the _____ on _____ 20____. Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a ~~(mandatory)~~(permissive) referendum, and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon at the ~~(general)~~(special)(annual) election held on _____ 20____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

4. ~~(Subject to permissive referendum and final adoption because no valid petition was filed requesting referendum.)~~

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the ~~(County)(City)(Town)~~(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 20____, and was ~~(approved)(not approved)~~ (repassed after disapproval) by the _____ on _____ 20____. Such local law was subject to permissive referendum and no valid petition requesting such referendum was filed as of _____ 20____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

* Elective Chief Executive Officer means or includes the chief executive officer of a county elected on a county-wide basis or, if there be none, the chairperson of the county legislative body, the mayor of a city or village, or the supervisor of a town where such officer is vested with the power to approve or veto local laws or ordinances.

5. (City local law concerning Charter revision proposed by petition.)

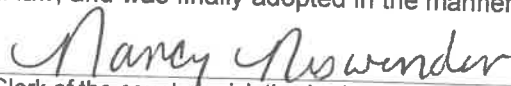
I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the City of _____ having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of section (36)(37) of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such city voting thereon at the (special)(general) election held on _____ 20____, became operative.

6. (County local law concerning adoption of Charter.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the County of _____ State of New York, having been submitted to the electors at the General Election of November _____ 20____, pursuant to subdivisions 5 and 7 of section 33 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the cities of said county as a unit and a majority of the qualified electors of the towns of said county considered as a unit voting at said general election, became operative.

(If any other authorized form of final adoption has been followed, please provide an appropriate certification.)

I further certify that I have compared the preceding local law with the original on file in this office and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original local law, and was finally adopted in the manner indicated in paragraph one above.



Clerk of the county legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk or officer designated by local legislative body

Date: 6/18/2025

(Seal)

VILLAGE OF GROTON

LOCAL LAW NO. 6 OF THE YEAR 2025

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING CHAPTER 165 OF THE CODE OF THE VILLAGE OF GROTON, "SEWERS" TO AMEND SECTION 165-3(A), (B), THEREOF BY REPLACING SECTION 165-3(A), (B), WITH A NEW SECTION 165-3(A), (B).

Section 1. Chapter 165 of the Code of the Village of Groton is hereby amended to amend Section 165-3 (A), (B) to read as follows:

§165-3. Sewer rents imposed, amount.

For the service rendered by the sewer system to the owners and other users of real property within the corporate limits of the village connected with and served by the sewer system and for the payment of the cost of construction, operation, maintenance and repair of said system as hereinbefore defined, there is hereby established a scale of sewer rents which, except as otherwise provided herein, will be based upon the consumption of water used as indicating the extent of the use of said system.

- A. The following scale of sewer rents is established and should be payable for each monthly period:
- (1) For the first 400 cubic feet of water used in any monthly period or any minor fraction of 400 cubic feet of water used, the rate shall be \$40.00, this being the minimum charge.
 - (2) For all water used in any one monthly period in excess of 400 cubic feet and not exceeding 34,999 cubic feet, the rate for each 100 cubic feet or any minor fraction thereof shall be \$9.25.
 - (3) For all water used in any one monthly period in excess of 35,000 cubic feet, the rate for each 100 cubic feet or minor fraction thereof shall be \$8.00.
- B. In any event, the minimum charge for each separate meter shall be \$40.00 for each monthly period; except that when the amount of water used by any owner or occupant shall have reached at least 10,000 cubic feet in any one monthly period, then the minimum charge thereafter for such owner or occupant for each monthly period shall be computed by applying the scale of rents hereinbefore established to an amount equivalent to 75% of the highest number of cubic feet of water consumed in any one monthly period for a period of 24 monthly periods immediately preceding the monthly period for which the minimum charge is made.

Section 2. This local law shall take effect immediately and the sewer rents imposed shall be effective on and after June 25, 2025.

**PUBLIC NOTICE
VILLAGE OF GROTON**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Groton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, April 21, 2025 - 7:30pm & 7:40 pm, at the Groton Village Office, 308 Main St. to consider the adoption of the following amended Local Laws:

Proposed Amended Laws:

7:30pm - A local law that will amend the Code of the Village of Groton, amending Chapter 165, "Sewers", specifically Sections 165-3 (A) and (B) in relation to sewer rents imposed.

A discussion will be had to determine a proposed amendment that will increase the rents charged for sewer services. The effective date of the rate schedule is scheduled to be May 28, 2025.

7:40pm - A local law that will amend Chapter 17 of the code of the Village of Groton, "Employee Policies; Article II. Reimbursement for Training Costs" amending Section 17-6 (A)

The public is invited to attend, and all oral or written comments may be presented for consideration.

Any person with special needs, who wish to attend the hearing, should contact the Village Office (607) 898-3966 immediately so your particular needs can be accommodated.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

Nancy Niswender
Village Clerk

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

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Edmar Corachia

Agent

VERIFICATION

State of Florida
County of Broward

Signed or attested before me on this: 07/01/2025

S. Smith

Notary Public

Notarized remotely online using communication technology via Proof.



SHERI SMITH
Notary Public - State of Florida
Commission # H188323
Expires on May 31, 2026

VILLAGE OF GROTON NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF LOCAL LAW

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Groton, NY, duly adopted Local Law Numbers 6 and 7 of 2025 at their meeting held on Monday, June 16, 2025, after a Public Hearing was duly held.

Local Law No. 6, amends Chapter 165 of the code of the Village of Groton, "Sewers", to amend sections § 165-3, (A) and (B).

Local Law No. 7, amends Chapter 17 of the code of the Village of Groton, "Employee Policies", to amend sections §17-6, (A) and (B).

The local laws in their entirety are available for review in its entirety at the Village Clerk's Office during usual business hours.

NANCY NISWENDER
Village Clerk