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LOCAL LAW NO. ONE OF THE YEAR 2002

PROHIBITING CLUTTER, LITTER AND DEBRIS

Section 3. Clutter Litter and Debris Prohibited

A) In order to preserve and promote reasonable quality of environment and aesthetics and to prohibit actions and conduct which offends the sensibilities and tends to debase the community and reduce real estate values, the deposit, accumulation or maintenance of clutter, litter or debris, regardless of quantity, is hereby prohibited anywhere within sight of persons lawfully traveling the public highways or from neighboring properties. The provisions of this section shall be applicable to existing conditions.

B) Where clutter, litter and debris anywhere on the premises could cause a public health hazard through attracting or harboring vermin, the clutter, litter and debris shall be removed from the premises.

Section 2. Definitions

The words used in this law shall be defined as follows;

Clutter, Litter and Debris: Ordinary household waste or stored trash such as paper, barrels, cartons, boxes, crates, furniture, rugs, clothing, rags, mattresses, blankets, tires, lumber, brick, stone and other building materials no longer intended or in condition for ordinary use; and any all tangible personal property no longer intended or in condition for ordinary or customary use, including junk vehicles, appliances and mobile homes.

Junk Appliance: Any stove, washing machine, dryer, freezer, refrigerator or other household device or equipment abandoned, junked, discarded or wholly or partially dismantled.

Junk Mobile Home: Any enclosed dwelling built upon a chassis, motor vehicle or trailer used or designed to be used for either permanent or temporary living and/or sleeping purposes including but not limited to motor homes, truck campers, camping trailers, campers, travel trailers, pop-up trailers, tent trailers and over night trailers, which are no longer suitable for human habitation.

Junk Vehicle: Any motor vehicle, whether automobile, bus trailer, truck, tractor, motor home, motorcycle, mini-bicycle, all terrain vehicle (ATV), snowmobile or any other device originally intended for travel on the public highways, which meets all of the following conditions: 1) it is unregistered; 2) it is either abandoned, wrecked, stored, discarded, dismantled or partially dismantled; 3) it is not in any condition for legal use upon the public highway. With respect to any motor vehicle not required to be licensed or motor vehicle not usually used on public highways, the fact that such motor vehicle has remained unused for more than six months and is not in condition to be removed under its own power shall be presumptive evidence that such motor vehicle is a junk vehicle.

A copy of the complete Local Law No. One of 2002 may be obtained from the Town Clerks' Office during regular Business Hours.