

**TOWN OF HARRISON
VILLAGE OF HARRISON
ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

MEMORANDUM

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TO: Supervisor Richard Dionisio
Members of the Town Board

FROM: Jonathan D. Kraut, Village Attorney



DATE: July 5, 2023

RE: **Public Notice for Proposed Local Law No. __ of 2023**
Amending Chapter 54, entitled "Residency Requirements"

Attached herewith is a draft Public Notice, proposing amendments to the above-referenced Chapter of Town Code.

If acceptable, please schedule a Public Hearing on the matter for the Town Board Meeting of August 10, 2023, in accordance with New York State Municipal Home Rule Law.

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Attachment

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed Local Law No. ____ of 2023 Amending Chapter 54, entitled “Residency Requirements” of the Town Code of the Town of Harrison

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of Harrison, at its meeting to be held at 7:00 P.M., on August 10, 2023, will hold a Public Hearing pursuant to Article 2, Section 10 and Article 3, Section 20 of Municipal Home Rule Law, to amend Chapter 54, entitled “Residency Requirements” of the Town Code of the Town of Harrison as follows: **(new material is underlined and deletions are in brackets [])**.

Chapter 54. Residency Requirements.

Article I. Residency Requirements for the Town/Village of Harrison. [Police Department Aide/Court Attendant]

§ 54-1 Statement of Purpose.

It is the purpose of this local law, when deemed appropriate by the Town Board, to allow for the appointment of certain non-resident individuals to positions or offices within the Town government.

[Persons now holding, or in the future appointed to, the position of Police Department Aide/Court Attendant in and for the Justice Court of the Town/Village of Harrison, need not be residents of the Town/Village of Harrison, provided such persons are residents of Westchester County.]

§ 54-2 [General Provisions.] Residency Exceptions.

- A. Notwithstanding the provisions of New York State Town Law, Article 3, § 23 [and], Public Officers Law, Article 2, § 3 and any other applicable provisions of state law, [the] persons now holding, or in the future appointed to perform[ing] the functions of the Police Department Aide/Court Attendant need not be an elector of the Town/Village of Harrison, provided that such person is a resident of the County of Westchester.

[Article II Residency Requirements for Building Inspector, Assessor, Engineer, and Deputy Town Attorney]

[§ 54-3 Statement of purpose.]

[Persons now holding, or in the future appointed to, the position of Building Inspector, Assessor, and/or Deputy Town Attorney need not be residents of the Town/Village of Harrison provided such persons are residents of Westchester County, and in the position of Engineer, need not be a resident of the Town/Village of Harrison provided such person is a resident of Westchester County or a county adjoining Westchester County within the State of New York.]

[§ 54-4General provisions.]

B. Notwithstanding the provisions of New York State Town Law, Article 3, § 23 [and], Public Officers Law, Article 2, § 3 and any other applicable provisions of state law, [the] persons now holding, or in the future appointed to the position(s) of Building Inspector, Assessor, Town Attorney and Deputy Town Attorney need not be an elector of the Town/Village of Harrison provided such persons are residents of Westchester County, and in the position of Engineer, need not be a resident of the Town/Village of Harrison provided such person is a resident of Westchester County, or a county adjoining Westchester County within the State of New York.

This Law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of the State of New York.

ALL PERSONS HAVING AN INTEREST IN THE MATTER ARE INVITED TO
ATTEND AND BE HEARD.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF HARRISON.

Jacqueline Greer
Town Clerk

Dated: Harrison, New York
May 11, 2023