Local Law No. 3 of 2024

Town of Jackson, County of Washington, State of New York

A Local Law to override the tax levy limit established by General Municipal Law Section 3-c

Be it enacted by the Town Board of the Town of Jackson as follows:

Section 1. Legislative Intent

It is the purpose of the local law to permit the Town Board for the Town of Jackson to override the limit on the amount of real property taxes that may be levied pursuant to General Municipal Law Section 3-c and to allow the Town Board to adopt a town budget for Town purposes for the fiscal year 2025 which requires a real property tax levy in excess of the "tax levy limit" as defined by General Municipal Law Section 3-c. Such override is necessary and in the best interests of the Town.

Section 1.2 Authority

This local law is adopted pursuant to subdivision 5 of the General Municipal Law Section 3-c, which expressly authorizes the Town Board to override the real property tax levy limit for the coming fiscal year by the adoption of a local law approved by a vote of 60% of the Town Board.

Section 1.3 Tax Levy Limit Override

The Town Board of the Town of Jackson, Washington County is hereby authorized to adopt a budget for the fiscal year 2025 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the limit specified in General Municipal Law Section 3-c.

Section 2. Severability

If any part or provision of this Local Law or the application thereof to any person or circumstance be adjudged invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall be confined in its operation to the part or provision or application directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered, and shall not affect or impair the validity of the remainder of this Local Law or the application thereof to other persons or circumstances. The Town Board of the Town of Jackson hereby declares that it would have passed this Local Law or the remainder thereof had such invalid application or invalid provision been apparent.

Section 3. Repealed

All ordinances, local laws and parts thereof inconsistent with this Local Law are hereby repealed.

Section 5. Effective date

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing in the office of the New York State Secretary of State.