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VILLAGE OF CLAYTON

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RESOLUTION 2023-07

TO ADOPT LOCAL LAW NO. 2 OF 2023

Exemptions for Volunteer Firefighters and Ambulance Workers on a portion of Real Property Taxes

WHEREAS, the Village Board for the Village of Clayton, New York has devoted considerable time and attention to tax exemptions, especially those for Volunteer Firefighters and Ambulance Workers; and

WHEREAS, the New York Real Property Tax Law (NY RPTL) §466-a provides for a limited 10 % exemption from real property taxes for Volunteer Firefighters and Ambulance Workers in respect to residential Real Property where that taxpayer resides in the residential property within the Village of Clayton and meets all eligibility requirements pursuant to (NY RPTL) §466-a; and

WHEREAS, The Village of Clayton will opt-in on the lifetime exemption that is provided to volunteers with at least 20 years of service as long as they maintain their primary residence in the Village of Clayton for which they have served.

WHEREAS, Un-remarried surviving spouses of eligible volunteers are allowed to retain the lifetime exemption as long as they maintain the requirements pursuant to RPTL §466-a, and their primary residence is in the Village of Clayton.

WHEREAS, Volunteer Firefighters and Ambulance Workers within the Village must complete RP-466-a-vol form (a copy attached hereto) to ensure eligibility and provide to the Assessor prior to March 1 of the given year; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Village Board for the Village of Clayton, New York as follows:

1. The Village Board hereby enacts Local Law No. 2 of 2023 to opt-in on the entitled Exemptions for Volunteer Firefighters and Ambulance Workers on a portion of Real Property Taxes.
2. The Mayor for the Village of Clayton and the Village Clerk for the Village of Clayton, their respective agents, and employees, are authorized to sign all documents and take all steps necessary to enact the legislation.
3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Trustee Hyde, and seconded by Trustee Buker, and upon roll call vote of the Board was duly adopted as follows:

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| Norma Zimmer, Mayor | yes |
| Nancy Hyde, Deputy Mayor | yes |
| John Buker, Trustee | yes |
| Allen Heberling, Trustee | yes |

Dated: May 9, 2023

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Joanne Lenhard-Boye, Village Clerk