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RESOLUTION NO. 110-94

AUTHORIZING CHAIRMAN TO SIGN CONTRACT FOR PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT'S IMMUNIZATION ACTION PLAN

By Mr. Romigh, Chairman, Health & Social Services Committee

WHEREAS, the St. Lawrence County Public Health Department is one of seven county health departments comprising Consortium III for the development of local Immunization Action Plans, and

WHEREAS, Oneida County as the lead agency in Consortium III has received notification that grant funds have been awarded to Consortium III by the New York State Department of Health, and

WHEREAS, St. Lawrence County Public Health Department has been allocated funds as reimbursement for expenses associated with the department's 1994 Immunization Action Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the St. Lawrence County Board of Legislators hereby authorizes its Chairman, upon approval of the County Attorney, to sign said contract.

Mr. Romigh moved that Resolution No. 110-94 be adopted, seconded by Mrs. Bradley, and carried unanimously by a voice vote.

RESOLUTION NO. 111-94

ADOPTING PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. 5 FOR THE YEAR 1994

By Mr. Purvis, Chairman, Buildings & Grounds Committee

WHEREAS, proposed Local Law No. 5, A Local Law Establishing Traffic and Parking Regulations on St. Lawrence County Government Property within the Village of Canton, has been approved by the Buildings & Grounds Committee, and

WHEREAS, a public hearing has been held,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that proposed Local Law No. 5 is adopted by the St. Lawrence County Board of Legislators.

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Mr. Purvis moved that Resolution No. 111-94 be adopted, seconded by Mr. Nichols, and carried unanimously by a voice vote.

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LOCAL LAW NO. 5 FOR THE YEAR 1994

A LOCAL LAW ESTABLISHING TRAFFIC AND PARKING REGULATIONS ON ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY GOVERNMENT PROPERTY WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF CANTON

WHEREAS, increasing demand for county services in most all departments has placed greater emphasis on the need for proper utilization of available parking, and

WHEREAS, all parking lots have been properly identified and signed for traffic flow, fire lane use, etc., and

WHEREAS, occasionally there occurs an improper use or abuse of county parking facilities and the Village Of Canton has agreed to enforce parking regulations on County property as it does other places throughout the Village,

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Legislators of the County of St. Lawrence as follows:

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY PROPERTY TRAFFIC AND PARKING REGULATIONS
WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF CANTON N.Y.
(Statutory Authority: County Law Section 215, Subdivision 11)

SECTION 1 - INTRODUCTION

- (a) The Court House complex (County property with frontage on Court, Judson and Pearl Streets) in Canton, New York, Traffic and Parking Regulations are promulgated to govern the movement and parking of all vehicles at this complex.
- (b) Operation of motor vehicles on the County complex property must conform with all state regulations. Vehicle and Traffic laws of the State of New York are applicable and enforceable on the County complex property. Canton Village Police Officers are empowered to enforce all of these statutes.
- (c) No person shall drive a vehicle on complex property at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the conditions and having regard to the actual and potential hazards then existing, but in no event shall a person drive a vehicle in excess of the speeds authorized and indicated by the St. Lawrence County Legislature.
- (d) All reportable accidents on the complex property, as defined by the Vehicle and Traffic Law, should be reported to the Office of the Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds.
- (e) The term vehicle as used in these regulations shall be consistent with the Vehicle and Traffic Law of the State of New York.

(f) All regulations pertaining to the use of vehicles on complex property are enforceable 24 hours a day through out the calendar year except as otherwise prescribed.

SECTION 2 - PARKING REGULATIONS

- (a) No person shall park a vehicle in any area except as specifically designated for the type of parking permit issued and displayed.
- (b) Parking or standing in posted, restricted or reserved areas on complex parking lots is prohibited. Parking or standing on lawns and in driveways is likewise prohibited as is the blocking of walkways or crosswalks.
- (c) No person shall park a vehicle on the premises of the complex in such a manner as to interfere with the use of a fire hydrant, fire lane or other emergency zone, create any hazard or unreasonably interfere with the free and proper use of a roadway or pedestrian way.
- (d) Permission to park or stand in unauthorized areas to load or unload materials necessary to the county function must be obtained from the Buildings & Grounds Superintendent.
- (e) No person shall park a vehicle in such a way that it is not completely in a lot, or to block an entrance or exit, driveway or any other vehicles in a lot or so as to prevent access to a parking space.
- (f) Overnight parking is restricted to parking lots C & D. (See Addendum A) Vehicles parked in lots other than the above between 1:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. are in violation of these regulations.
- (g) Storage of motor vehicles which are inoperative or without valid state registration in complex lots is prohibited.
- (h) Operators of disabled motor vehicles shall notify the Buildings & Grounds Department when it is necessary to leave the vehicle in an unauthorized area.
- (i) Special parking designation may be granted for extraordinary circumstances upon written request to the County Administrator and after consultation with the Buildings & Grounds Superintendent and the Buildings & Grounds Committee.
- (j) Visitors to the complex may park in the following lots: A, E, F AND G. Parking lot H is off limits to everyone except Public Safety personnel.
- (k) Handicapped parking spaces will be used by handicapped persons only. St. Lawrence County will also honor a handicapped person's status officially designated by any other appropriate governmental agency and indicated as such by authorized handicapped symbol on the vehicle.

- (1) Any motor vehicle which is parked in violation of these regulations may be ticketed and/or towed from the complex at the owner's expense.
- (m) Parking regulations may be suspended for special events at the discretion of the County Administrator (or designee).

SECTION 3 - ENFORCEMENT

- (a) A complaint regarding any violation of the County Complex regulations shall be in writing indicating the time and place of the violation and the title, number or substance of the applicable rule.
 - (1) The complaint must be signed by the officer witnessing the violation and shall be served upon the violator or attached to the vehicle involved.
 - (2) The complaint shall indicate the amount of the fine assessable, and advise that if the person charged does not contest the violation, the fine must be paid at the Canton Police Department within ten (10) business days of the date the violation was issued.
 - (3) The complaint shall state that a hearing may be requested within a period of 72 hours after service of the charges. This may be by personal appearance or by written request at the Canton Village Police Department.
 - (4) The complaint shall state that should the alleged violator fail to appear at the time fixed for the hearing or should no hearing be requested within the period of 72 hours, as cited above, the complaint is proved and shall warrant such action as may then be appropriate.
- (b) The penalty for violation of these regulations is as follows:
 - (I) Minimum Fine for Handicapped Parking Violation is Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) if paid within the next Ten Days; Second offense within two (2) years is a \$70.00 Fine.
 - (2) Minimum Fine for Parking within a Fire Lane is Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) if paid within the next Ten Days.
 - (3) Minimum Fine for All Other Violations is Ten Dollars (\$10.00) if paid within the next Ten Days.
- (c) The Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds and/or his representative shall have the authority of ordering the towing of vehicles in violation of these parking regulations at the expense of the owner.
- (d) Violations of the Vehicle and Traffic Law are answerable to the Village Justice, Village of Canton.
- (e) Ignorance of these regulations will not constitute an excuse for violation.

