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☐ **County** ☐ **City** ☒ **Town** ☐ **Village**
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of Montague

Local Law No. 2 **of the year 20**16

A local law to restrict certain types of development along roads which are classified for seasonal use.
(Insert Title)

Be it enacted by the Town Board **of the**
(Name of Legislative Body)

☐ **County** ☐ **City** ☒ **Town** ☐ **Village**
(Select one:)

of Montague **as follows:**

1. Statement of Authority. The Town Board of the Town of Montague pursuant to the authority granted under Article 16 of the Town Law and Sections 10 and 20 of the Municipal Home Rule Law of the State of New York hereby adopts as follows:

2. Statement of Purpose and Findings. The Town Board of the Town of Montague hereby finds that the development along minimum maintenance road of year-round homes can present overwhelming budget complications for the Town. Accordingly, there is a need to restrict certain types of development along roads which are classified for seasonal use. It is the purpose of this local law to do so.

3. Enactment. The Town Board of the Town of Montague hereby designates the following roads or portions thereof to be minimum maintenance roads as defined in local law #1 of 2002 of the Town of Montague:

Use, Seasonal: A use which will not have access to a snow-plowed or winter maintained public road or be provided with vehicular public services such as, but not limited to, emergency services, school busing or postal delivery during the winter snow season.

Minimum Maintenance Road: A road designated as minimum maintenance by Local Law No. 1 of 2002.

(If additional space is needed, attach pages the same size as this sheet, and number each.)

Add a new Section 430 as follows:

Section 430. Seasonal Use Classification

1. Purpose: The purpose of this regulation is to provide for the reasonable use of recreational, agricultural and forestry properties which are accessed solely by minimum maintenance roads. This regulation allows for the reasonable use of such lands for seasonal uses without the prohibitively expensive public cost of providing for wheeled vehicular access through the snow-plowing and the winter maintenance of minimum maintenance roads.
2. Seasonal use classification is a use classification in addition to the use classifications of Section 410 of this law. Application for seasonal use classification may be made for any use which intends to have its principal access to a minimum maintenance road.
3. For a use to be established with its principal access to a minimum maintenance road, it must, in addition to the allowed use requirement of Section 410 of this law, also be classified as a seasonal use.
4. Where a use has access to both a minimum maintenance road and to a non-minimum maintenance road, such use shall have its principal access to the non-minimum maintenance road unless classified as a seasonal use.

Article 4. - Severability. If any part of this Chapter shall be found to be void, voidable, or unenforceable for any reason whatsoever, it shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any remaining section or provision of this Chapter.

Article 5. - Effective Date. This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State.

(Complete the certification in the paragraph that applies to the filing of this local law and strike out that which is not applicable.)

1. (Final adoption by local legislative body only.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. 2 of 2016 of the ~~(County)(City)~~(Town)~~(Village)~~ of Montague was duly passed by the Town Board on March 8, 2016, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

(Name of Legislative Body)

2. (Passage by local legislative body with approval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer*.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. of 20____ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 20____, and was (approved)(not approved)

(Name of Legislative Body)

(repassed after disapproval) by the _____ and was deemed duly adopted

(Elective Chief Executive Officer)*

on _____ 20[ ][ ], in accordance w ith the applicable provisions of law.

3. (Final adoption by referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 20____, and was (approved)(not approved)

(Name of Legislative Body)

(repassed after disapproval) by the _____ on _____ 20____.

(Elective Chief Executive Officer)*

Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a (mandatory)(permissive) referendum, and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon at the (general)(special)(annual) election held on _____ 20____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

4. (Subject to permissive referendum and final adoption because no valid petition was filed requesting referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 20____, and was (approved)(not approved)

(Name of Legislative Body)

(repassed after disapproval) by the _____ on _____ 20____. Such local

(Elective Chief Executive Officer)*

law was subject to permissive referendum and no valid petition requesting such referendum was filed as of _____ 20____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

* Elective Chief Executive Officer means or includes the chief executive officer of a county elected on a county-wide basis or, if there be none, the chairperson of the county legislative body, the mayor of a city or village, or the supervisor of a town where such officer is vested with the power to approve or veto local laws or ordinances.

5. (City local law concerning Charter revision proposed by petition.)
I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the City of _____ having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of section (36)(37) of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such city voting thereon at the (special)(general) election held on _____ 20____, became operative.

6. (County local law concerning adoption of Charter.)
I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the County of _____ State of New York, having been submitted to the electors at the General Election of November _____ 20____, pursuant to subdivisions 5 and 7 of section 33 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the cities of said county as a unit and a majority of the qualified [illegible] voting as a unit voting at said general election, became operative.

(If any other authorized form of final adoption has been followed, please provide an appropriate certification.)
I further certify that I have compared the preceding local law with the original on file in this office and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original local law, and was finally adopted in the manner indicated in paragraph 1 above.

Barbara A. Loomis
Clerk of the county legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk or officer designated by local legislative body

(Seal)

Date: 4/5/16