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**AGENDA – TOWN BOARD MEETING
August 10, 2023
7:30pm**

PUBLIC HEARING: INTRODUCTORY LOCAL LAW NO. 4 OF 2023 – A LOCAL LAW ESTABLISHING A SIX-MONTH MORATORIUM PROHIBITING THE REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF CLEAN RENEWABLE ENERGY TECHNOLOGY BUSINESSES DEVOTED TO RESEARCH, EDUCATION, DISTRIBUTION OR APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION IN ALTERNATIVE ENERGY USES IN THE TOWN OF WARWICK.

REGULAR MEETING:

**CALL TO ORDER
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
ROLL CALL**

ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES

- 1. Regular Meeting- July 13, 2023**
- 2. Revocation Hearing – July 13, 2023 (105 DeKay Road)**

CORRESPONDENCE:

BARBARA DEVINE – Secretary/Administrative Assistant II, Orange County Department of Public Works. Email dated July 17, 2023 to the Town Clerk regarding Plastic Bag Recycling Contamination.

DREW MANZI – Board of Assessment Review, Town of Warwick. Email dated July 20, 2023 informing the town that he will be resigning from the Board of Assessment.

MIKE DONOVAN – News Media, Orange & Rockland Utilities, and Inc. Memo received July 13, 2023 regarding a warning to customers about potential Gift Card Fraud. The typical scam scheme goes this way: Thieves posing as O&R employees call unsuspecting customers and threaten them with the immediate shut off of their electric service if they don't pay phony O&R bills with Green Dot or other prepaid debit cards. Here are two big reasons not to believe any thief who makes a shutoff threat:

NO DEBIT CARDS - O&R does not accept bill payment for electric and gas utility bills by Green Dot or any other prepaid debit cards. Never has.

- NO IMMEDIATE SHUTOFF - Disconnecting O&R electric or gas service for non-payment of bills involves a multi-step process – including written communications from O&R to the customer over a period of several days, or even weeks – not hours. That**

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process is regulated by the NYS Public Service Commission and NJ Board of Public Utilities.

So, if someone calls you, says they are an O&R employee and threatens to shut off your electric or gas service that day if not immediately paid through a prepaid debit card, remember these tips:

- **Hang Up** – Disengage so you’re not further subjected to the thief’s high-pressure “sales pitch.”
- **Text Scam** – After you hang up on them, the more aggressive thieves will try to repeat their shutoff threat by texting you. Ignore the threat. They are thieves.
- **Don’t Hit “REDIAL”** – The caller ID screen on your phone for the thief’s call may read “Orange and Rockland Utilities,” but that’s a hi-tech bogus copy of the utility company’s number. That’s not O&R. Do not redial, and don’t call the number that the caller gives you to call them back. That will reconnect you to the thief.
- **Fast Track** - If you are unsure about whether you have an overdue balance on your O&R bill, the fastest way to find out is to log onto your account through oru.com/myaccount to review your latest account information. You also can call O&R’s automated phone system at 1-877-434-4100. Have your Orange and Rockland account number ready and follow the automated phone prompts to check your balance.
- **Check the I.D.** - If you are contacted by someone in-person or on the phone who says they represent O&R and you wish to verify their identity either ask for their photo ID card, if they are at the door, or get a call-back number if they are on the phone, and call O&R at: this new number 1-833-460-7059 during business hours Monday – Friday 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. or 1-877-434-4100 O&R’s Customer Service Department off hours to verify their identity and the nature of their business with you. O&R employees and vendors are trained to cooperate with this request and are instructed to comply with a customer identity verification request.

Remember, if you are feeling threatened or otherwise uncomfortable about your security during the exchange, immediately report the incident to your local police department at 911.

CONNIE SARDO – Planning Board Secretary, Town of Warwick. Letter dated July 14, 2023 to the Town Board regarding an Escrow refund for SBL# 27-2-40 (7 Blooms Corners Road).

JOHN RADER – Chief of Police, Town of Warwick. Letter dated July 15, 2023 to the Town Board requesting an appointment of a Part-time Police Dispatcher.

CONNIE SARDO – Planning Board Secretary, Town of Warwick. Letter dated July 14, 2023 to the Town Board regarding an Escrow refund for SBL# 7-2-47.2 (276 Round Hill Rd.).

DEBORAH A. EURICH – Assessor, Town of Warwick. Letter dated July 28, 2023 to the Town Board requesting permission to attend the New York State Assessor’s Association (NYSAA) Fall Training Session on Assessment Administration from October 3rd – October 6, 2023.

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KELLY CHIRICO – Dispatcher, Town of Warwick Police. Letter dated July 26, 2023 to the Police Chief regarding her intent to retire on August 25, 2023.

DYLAN J. SEMPRIVIVO – Part-time Police Dispatcher, Town of Warwick. Letter dated August 3, 2023 to the Dispatch Supervisor Schweizer regarding his resignation.

RYAN J. KING – Part-time Police Dispatcher, Town of Warwick. Letter dated August 3, 2023 to the Police Chief regarding his resignation.

JOHN RADER – Chief of Police, Town of Warwick. Memo dated August 7, 2023 to the Town Board recommending Ryan J. King be appointed as a Part-time Police Officer.

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JOHN RADER – Chief of Police, Town of Warwick. Memo dated August 7, 2023 requesting to surplus vehicles and parts that are no longer usable by Police Department. Once approved by the Board, the vehicles and parts will be sold to offset expenses incurred in budget lines: B02.00.3120.200 & B02.00.3120.404.

STEPHEN C. PASCAL – Police Officer, Town of Warwick. Letter dated August 8, 2023 to the Town Board regarding his Retirement Incentive Notification.

JOHN BOLLENBACH – Planning Board Attorney, Town of Warwick. Performance Bond Estimate for Subdivision Road Associated Improvements for Lombardo/DOORWAYTO, LLC Subdivision.

BOARD’S DISCUSSION ON CORRESPONDENCE

VISITING ELECTED OFFICIALS

REPORTS OF BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS REPORT

CULVERT PIPES	West Ridge Rd.	Clean out clogged pipe
CATCH BASINS	Royal Ct.	Repair basin
DRAINAGE	West Ridge Rd.	Clean drainage swales
PAVE ROAD	Oil City Rd.	Pave road with cold mix
TREE WORK	Town wide	Clean up storm debris

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MOWING	Town wide	Mow roadsides
POT HOLES	Town wide	Fill with hot mix
VEHICLE MAINT.	As needed	
EMERG. REPAIRS	As needed	
ROAD SIGNS	Town wide	Replace as needed
HAUL MATERIAL	Stockpile	Haul 3/8" stone to stockpile

PARKS DEPARTMENT

Union Corners Park	Open	Town
Mountain Lake Park	Fishing Pond Open	Town
Mountain Lake Park Pool	Open 7 days a week 10am – 6pm	Town
Town of Warwick Dog Park	Open	Town
Airport Road Park	Open	Town
Cascade Lake Park	Open	Town
Wickham Woodland Park	Open	Town
Wickham Passive Boat Launch	Open	Town
Pine Island Park	Open	Town
Thomas P. Morahan Waterfront Park	Open 7 days a week 10am – 6pm	Village of GWL
Ben Winstanley Park	Open	Village of GWL
Village of GWL Dog Park	Open	Village of GWL

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS REPORT

COUNCILMAN DE ANGELO REPORT

COUNCILMAN KOWAL REPORT

COUNCILMAN GERSTNER REPORT

COUNCILMAN SHUBACK REPORT

ATTORNEY'S REPORT

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

1. FEES COLLECTED – JULY 2023

Interest in Town Clerk's Checking Account	\$4.78
MLP Cabins	\$4,421.25

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MLP Art Studio	\$400.00
MLP Dance Studio	\$300.00
MLP Indoor Theater	\$500.00
MLP Kitchen	\$150.00
MLP Kitchen Per Hour	\$170.00
MLP Kitchen Storage	\$110.00
MLP Lakeside Pavilion	\$416.00
MLP Lodge Dining Hall	\$1,200.00
MLP Lodge Lounge	\$225.00
MLP Office Small Room	\$250.00
MLP Serving Station	\$45.00
MLP- Tablecloths	\$30.00
Pickleball Clinic	\$2,100.00
MLP Pool Adult	\$450.00
MLP Pool Child	\$300.00
MLP Pool Daily	\$1,192.00
MLP Pool Extra Family Member Pass	\$40.00
MLP Family	\$3,825.00
MLP Replacement Pass	\$10.00
MLP Senior	\$840.00
MLP Swim Lessons	\$220.00
Wickham Woodland Manor Fee	\$1,000.00
Greenwood Lake Permit Residents	\$30.00
Mountain Lake Park Access (Former Kutz Camp)	\$97.00
Wickham Lake Permit Fee Resident	\$167.00
Wickham Lake Permit Additional Stickers	\$4.00
Wickham Lake Permit Fee Resident Renewal	\$40.00
Marriage Certified	\$40.00
Special Event Permit	\$25.00
Photocopies	\$19.75
Use of Kitchen Fee – Senior Center	\$50.00
Use of Room Senior Center	\$200.00
Dog Impoundments	\$250.00
Town Park Pavilion	\$375.00
Marriage License Fee	\$262.50
One Day Officient (Marriage License)	\$25.00
Conservation	\$35.62
Dog Licenses	\$1,499.00
Registrar Town of Warwick	\$440.00
Passive Boat Launch	\$30.00
Wickham Woodland Manor Deposit	\$900.00
MLP Deposit Cabins/Apartments	\$700.00
MLP Deposit Lakeside Pavilion	\$200.00
MLP Deposit Lodge Dining Hall	\$1,000.00
MLP Deposit Lodge Lounge	\$200.00

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Town Park Deposit	\$350.00
Total Local Shares Remitted	\$25,011.90

2. FEES PAID – JULY 2023

NYS Dept. of Health	\$337.50
NYS Ag & Markets for Spay/neuter program	\$184.00
NYS Environmental Conservation	\$609.38
Village of Florida Registrar	\$20.00
Village of GWL Registrar	\$70.00
Village of Warwick for Registrar	\$890.00
Total Non-Local Revenues	\$2,110.88

3. Bid Proposal for an ADA compliant Mighty Voyager Pool Lift for the Mountain Lake Park Pool:

1. **Tip Top LLC.**
311 Gulf Breeze Parkway
Gulf Breeze, Florida 32563
Bid Proposal: \$8,973.00
2. **Sunplay**
471 Deseret Dr. Suite #2
Kaysville, UT 84037
Bid Proposal: \$9,499.95
3. **Factory Pure**
13814 Lookout Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78233
Bid Proposal: \$8,399.00

4. Bid Proposal for Hiking Trail Bulletin Boards- Mountain Lake Park

1. **KirbyBuilt Sales**
222 State Street
Batavia, IL 60510
Bid Proposal: \$4,629.54
2. **Displays4Sale**
151 South Main Street
Freeport, NY 11520
Bid Proposal: \$7,168.42
3. **Displays4Sale**
151 South Main Street
Freeport, NY 11520
Bid Proposal: \$8,689.73 (*different size*)

5. Orange County Federation of Sportsmen’s Club Inc. and the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation will be hosting a Youth Pheasant Hunt at Stewart State Forest located at 3 Weed Rd. Rock Tavern, NY (off Route 207) on September

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23, 2023 from 7am-2:00 pm. The hunt is for ANY licensed hunter between the ages of 12-15. A parent MUST accompany all youth hunters. You must bring your own gun and ammo. To register please contact Jim Torcivia @ 845-467-5539. **BLAZE ORANGE IS REQUIRED!**

SUPERVISORS REPORT

1. CPF – June 2023
2. DOH Larviciding Municipal owned catch basins
3. Code Red Alert sign up
4. August for the Arts
5. Senior BBQ- August 22nd
6. Journal entries
7. Supervisors Corner – Published each week in the Warwick Dispatch, with excerpts printed in the Warwick Advertiser.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR (AGENDA ITEMS)

NEW BUSINESS:

1. ACCEPT RESIGNATION FROM BOARD OF ASSESSMENT REVIEW – DREW MANZI
2. SPECIAL EVENT – BEAR MOUNTAIN CHAPTER OF ANTIQUE MOTORCYCLE CLUB
3. REFUND PLANNING BOARD ESCROW – MICHAEL & MARIE PILLMEIER
4. REFUND PLANNING BOARD ESCROW BOERNSTEIN FAMILY TRUST
5. REQUEST TO SERVE ALCOHOL –JORGE TORRES
6. APPOINT PART-TIME POLICE DISPATCHER- MAXINE J. MONROE
7. REQUEST TO SERVE ALCOHOL – RUTH MUELLEJANS & AARON FELDMAN
8. CREATE POSITION FOR FULL TIME RECREATION DIRECTOR
9. APPOINT FULL TIME RECREATIONAL DIRECTOR – SAMANTHA WALTER
10. CREATE POSITION FOR FULL TIME PARK ATTENDANT
11. APPOINT FULL TIME PARK ATTENDENT – KEITH EMMANUEL
12. CREATE POSITION FOR PRINCIPAL ACCOUNT CLERK
13. REQUEST TO SERVE ALCOHOL - LEO KAYTES
14. AUTHORIZE SUPERVISOR TO SIGN AN UPDATED MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE WARWICK VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
15. AUTHORIZE TOWN TO RE-BID CONSTRUCTION OF BIKE & PEDESTRIAN TRAIL
16. ACCEPT BID PROPOSAL FOR ADA COMPLIANT POOL LIFT – MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK
17. ACCEPT PROPOSAL FROM CHAMPION ELEVATOR TO INSTALL SAFETY EQUIPMENT – TOWN HALL
18. ALLOW SHORT TERM RENTAL PERMIT - 7 SILO LANE
19. AUTHORIZATION TO ATTEND ASSESSOR TRAINING SESSION

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20. **AUTHORIZE BUDGET TRANSFER –**
21. **REFUND FAMILY SEASON PASS – JANET JONES**
22. **CREATE (2) TWO PART-TIME POLICE OFFICER POSITIONS**
23. **ACCEPT THE POSTING OF CASH BONDS – LOMBARDO/DOORWAY TO, LLC SUBDIVISION- SBL# 18-1-31.2**
24. **ACCEPT RESIGNATION FOR RETIREMENT PURPOSES POLICE DISPATCHER - KELLY CHIRICO**
25. **APPROVE SPECIAL EVENT – 28th ANNUAL TASTE OF WARWICK**
26. **APPROVE SPECIAL EVENT – SAINT STEPHENS CYO TURKEY TROT**
27. **(SEQR) RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING LEAD AGENCY – INTRODUCTORY LOCAL LAW NO. 4 OF 2023 -ESTABLISHING A SIX-MONTH MORATORIUM PROHIBITING THE REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF CLEAN RENEWABLE ENERGY TECHNOLOGY BUSINESSES DEVOTED TO RESEARCH, EDUCATION, DISTRIBUTION OR APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION IN ALTERNATIVE ENERGY USES IN THE TOWN OF WARWICK**
28. **ACCEPT RESIGNATION PART-TIME POLICE DISPATCHER – RYAN J. KING**
29. **ACCEPT RESIGNATION PART-TIME POLICE DISPATCHER – DYLAN J. SEMPRIVIVO**
30. **APPOINT PART-TIME POLICE OFFICER – RYAN J. KING**
31. **APPOINT PART-TIME POLICE OFFICER – DYLAN J. SEMPRIVIVO**
32. **APPROVE POLICE SURPLUS VEHICLES & PARTS TO BE AUCTIONED**
33. **REQUEST TO SERVE ALCOHOL – GREGORY MULLARKEY**
34. **ACCEPT NOTICE OF INTENT TO RETIRE- PTL. STEPHEN C. PASCAL**
35. **AUTHORIZE THE IMPLEMENTATION, AND FUNDING IN THE FIRST INSTANCE 100% OF THE FEDERAL-AID AND STATE "MARCHISELLI" PROGRAM-AID ELIGIBLE COSTS, OF A TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL-AID PROJECT, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFORE**

BILLS:

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR (GENERAL)#

RECONVENE:

ADJOURN:

Local Law Filing

(Use this form to file a local law with the Secretary of State.)

Text of law should be given as amended. Do not include matter being eliminated and do not use italics or underlining to indicate new matter.

County City Town Village
(select one.)

of Warwick

Introductory Local Law No. 4 of the year 2023

A LOCAL LAW ENTITLED “A LOCAL LAW ESTABLISHING A SIX-MONTH MORATORIUM PROHIBITING THE REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF CLEAN RENEWABLE ENERGY TECHNOLOGY BUSINESSES DEVOTED TO RESEARCH, EDUCATION, DISTRIBUTION OR APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION IN ALTERNATIVE ENERGY USES IN THE TOWN OF WARWICK”

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

See attached.

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

TOWN OF WARWICK

INTRODUCTORY LOCAL LAW NO. 4 OF 2023

A LOCAL LAW ESTABLISHING A SIX-MONTH MORATORIUM PROHIBITING THE REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF CLEAN RENEWABLE ENERGY TECHNOLOGY BUSINESSES DEVOTED TO RESEARCH, EDUCATION, DISTRIBUTION OR APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION IN ALTERNATIVE ENERGY USES IN THE TOWN OF WARWICK

Be it enacted by the Town Board of the Town of Warwick, County of Orange, State of New York as follows:

Section 1. Title.

This Local Law shall be referred to as “A LOCAL LAW ESTABLISHING A SIX-MONTH MORATORIUM PROHIBITING THE REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF CLEAN RENEWABLE ENERGY TECHNOLOGY BUSINESSES DEVOTED TO RESEARCH, EDUCATION, DISTRIBUTION OR APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION IN ALTERNATIVE ENERGY USES IN THE TOWN OF WARWICK”.

Section 2. Definitions.

“Code” means the "Code of the Town of Warwick".

“Town” means the Town of Warwick.

“Town Board” means the Town Board of the Town of Warwick.

“Town Clerk” means the Town Clerk of the Town of Warwick.

“Clean Energy Business” means Business Use No. 53 set forth in 164 Attachment 1, § 164-40M, Table of Use Requirements of the Zoning Law of the Town of Warwick.

Section 3. Legislative Findings, Purpose and Intent.

The Town Board has determined that the Clean Energy Business regulations as written in the Zoning Law lack the specificity sufficient to oversee the approval and operation of such uses, including but not limited to Battery Energy Storage, so as to protect the public health, safety and welfare, and as certain revisions to the Zoning Law may be required to afford such protections.

Pursuant to the statutory powers vested in the Town to protect the health, safety and welfare of its residents, the Town Board of the Town of Warwick hereby declares a six-month moratorium on the submission, processing and/or approval of any applications of Clean Energy Business use, including but not limited to the placement of any Battery Energy Storage, pursuant to applicable provisions of the Zoning Law pending the Town Board’s completion and

adoption of certain amendments to the Zoning Law that through their review are found to be necessary to better implement the purpose and intent of said law.

Section 4. Scope of Controls

During the effective period of this Local Law, no applications or approvals for the establishment of Clean Energy Businesses shall be accepted or processed by any Departments of the Town, and no approvals for such use shall be issued by any department or Board of the Town as provided for in the Zoning Law.

Section 5. Term.

The moratorium imposed by this Local Law shall be in effect for six (6) months from the effective date of this Local Law.

Section 7. Penalties.

Any person, firm or entity that operates a Clean Energy Business without required approvals shall otherwise violate any of the provisions of this Local Law shall be subject to:

- A. Such penalties as may otherwise be provided by applicable local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations of the Town for violations; and
- B. A fine not to exceed \$500.00 per day from the date that any action is taken in contravention of this local law, together with any other civil remedies available at law; and
- C. Injunctive relief in favor of the Town to cease any and all such actions which conflict with this Local Law and, if necessary, to remove any such uses that may have taken place in violation of this Local Law.

Any application accepted or approval granted in violation of this Local Law shall be null and void.

Section 9. 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, and the Town Board of the Town of Warwick hereby declares that it would have passed this Local Law or the remainder thereof had such invalid application or invalid provision been apparent.

Section 10. Repeal.

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

Section 11. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing in the office of the New York State Secretary of State in accordance with section 27 of the Municipal Home Rule Law.

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TOWN OF WARWICK
DEPARTMENT OF POLICE
132 KINGS HIGHWAY
WARWICK N.Y. 10990
(845) 986-5000 FAX (845) 986-5985


Chief John D. Rader NA 236
jrader@townofwarwickpd.org

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Town of Warwick
Town Clerk

To: Supervisor Sweeton

From: Chief John Rader 

CC: Bonnie Kane- Comptroller
Eileen Astorino- Town Clerk

Date: August 7, 2023

Re: Surplus Vehicles and Parts

Please accept this memo as my request to surplus vehicles and parts that are no longer usable by the Police Department. Once approved by the Board we will sell all of the items to offset expenses incurred in budget lines:

- B02.00.3120.200
- B02.00.3120.403

A list of the vehicles and parts is attached to this memo.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

TOWN OF WARWICK

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2023 Surplus Vehicles and Vehicle Parts

- 2005 Dodge Durango VIN#1D4HB48D95F576818
- 2013 Chevrolet Tahoe VIN#1GNLC2E02DR313469
- 1982 Grumman VIN#CPL32833101510000
- 2005 Honda Odyssey VIN#5FNRL38795B002159

- 2 Crown Vic Radiator assemblies part #9C2Z-8005-C
- 2 225/60R18 Firestone Firehawk tires
- 6 225/60R18 Goodyear Eagle RS-A tires
- 2 235/55R17 Goodyear Eagle RS-A tires
- 2 235/60R18 Goodyear Eagle RS-A tires
- 6 235/50R18 Goodyear Ultra Grip GW-3 tires
- 12 235/55R17 Goodyear Eagle Ultra Grip tires
- 1 245/55R18 Goodyear Eagle RS-A tire
- 4 LT245/75R16 Goodyear Wrangler All Terrain tires
- 4 225/60R16 Goodyear Eagle Ultra Grip GW-2 tires

YOUTH PHEASANT HUNT

at

Stewart State Forest

September 23, 2023

9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Sponsored by the
Orange County Federation of Sportsmen's Club, Inc.
and the

New York State Department of Environmental
Conservation

This hunt is for any licensed hunter between the ages of
12-15. You must be accompanied by a parent and bring
your own gun with ammo.

To Register please contact Jim Torcivia @ 845-467-5539

Lunch will be available.

BLAZE ORANGE REQUIRED

3 Weed Rd, Rock Tavern, NY (Off Route 207)

ORANGE COUNTY
FEDERATION OF
SPORTSMEN'S CLUBS INC.



BOX 784, MONROE, NY 10949 845-782-7449

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Warwick Town Clerk

From: Devine, Barbara <BDevine@orangecountygov.com>
Sent: Monday, July 17, 2023 10:05 AM
Subject: Plastic Bag Recycling Contamination Letter (7/13/23)
Attachments: 7-13-23 Plastic Bag Recycling Contamination Letter.pdf; Do One Thing Postcard.pdf; O.C. Recycling Guide - 2.2.2022 (1 page).pdf

Good morning,

Please find attached an informational letter regarding plastic bag contamination in recycling streams.

Thank you,

Barbara A. Devine

Secretary/Administrative Assistant II
Orange County Department of Public Works
Division of Environmental Facilities & Services (EF&S)
 PO Box 637
 2455-2459 Route 17M
 Goshen, New York 10924

845-291-2664

BDevine@orangecountygov.com

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**Town of Warwick
 Town Clerk**



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ORANGE COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL FACILITIES & SERVICES

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Commissioner

Robert J. Gray, P.E.
Deputy Commissioner

Steven M. Neuhaus
County Executive

P.O. Box 637, 2455-2459 Route 17M
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Town of Warwick
Town Clerk

July 13, 2023

To all Orange County Licensed Solid Waste Haulers:

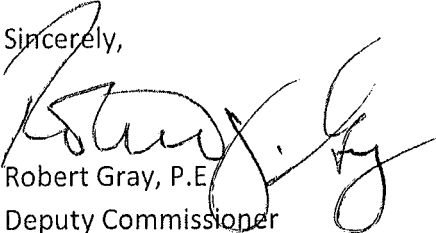
Please be advised that per Local Law No. 2 of 1989, solid waste generators are required by law to source separate recyclable commodities from refuse. In order for source separation of recyclables to be effective in providing materials ready for markets, there must be minimal contaminants in the recycling streams. A major source of contamination are plastic bags and bagged recyclables. While well intentioned, bagged recyclables cause problems at the materials recovery facilities downstream and the materials inside the bags are never recovered.

Please ensure that all solid waste generators in your service area are aware that plastic bags are not accepted, and the bagging of recyclable materials is not an effective practice to ensure the recycling of curbside recyclable materials. All recyclable materials are to be deposited loosely into the containers.

Attached you will find our "Do One Thing" postcard on bagged recyclables, as well as a flyer containing a full list of accepted materials in Orange County's Single Stream Recycling.

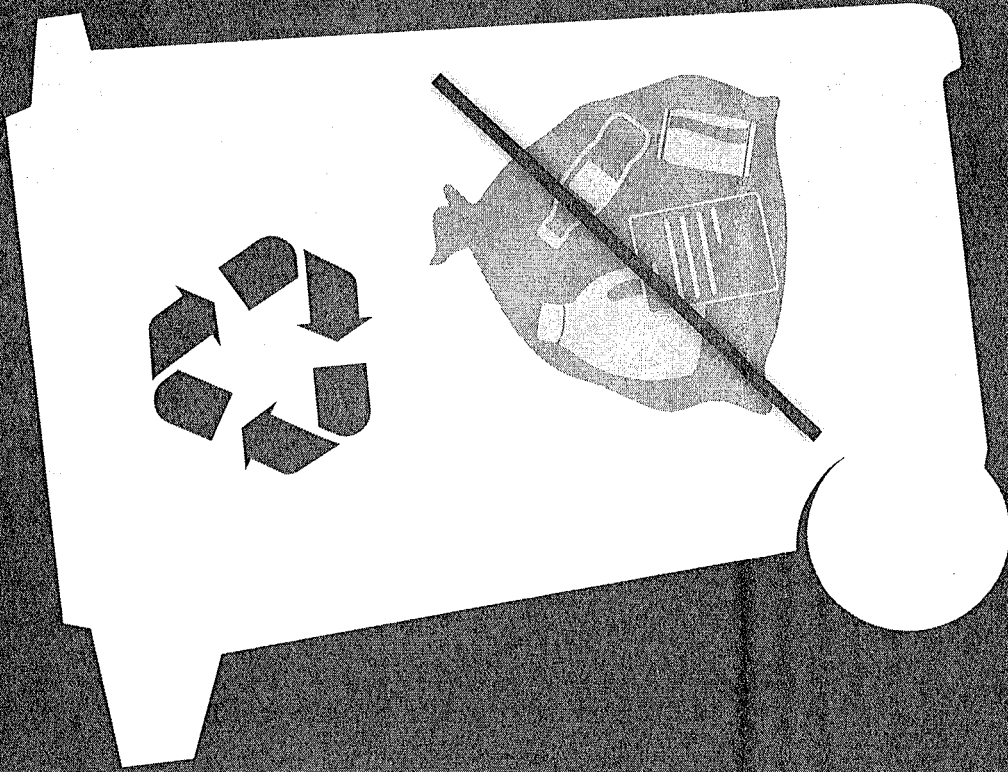
For additional questions, please use the new Recycle Coach app at <https://www.orangecountygov.com/efs> or feel free to reach out to Orange County Recycling Coordinator, Ermin Siljkovic, at (845) 291-3246 or esiljkovic@orangecountygov.com.

Sincerely,


Robert Gray, P.E.
Deputy Commissioner
Orange County DPW

Division of Environmental Facilities & Services (EF&S)
2455-2459 Route 17M, P.O. Box 637
Goshen, NY 10924

NO PLASTIC BAGS IN THE RECYCLING CART



**DO NOT
BAG
Recyclables**

Collecting recyclables in a bag? Empty the contents into the cart.



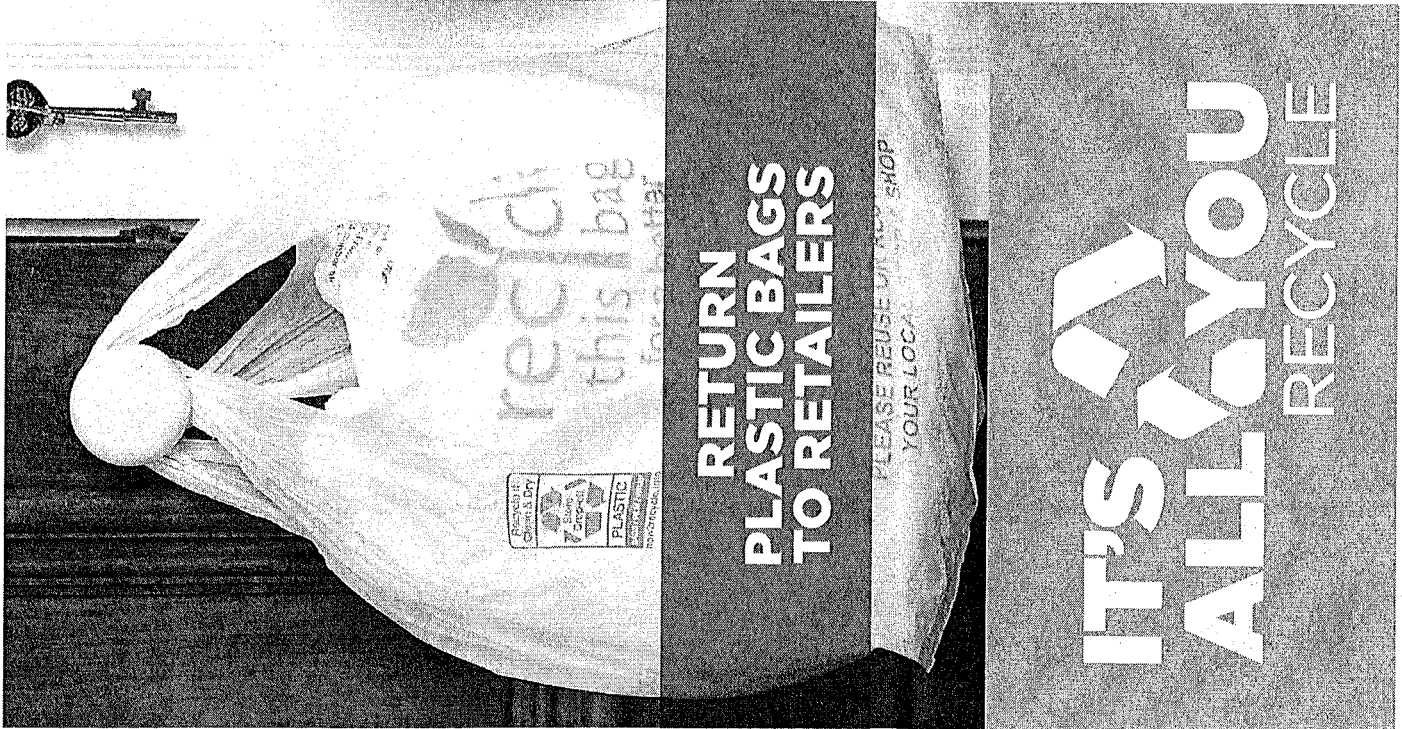
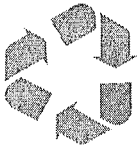
Return plastic bags to retailers.

Goshen, OC DPW, Division of Environmental
Facilities & Services

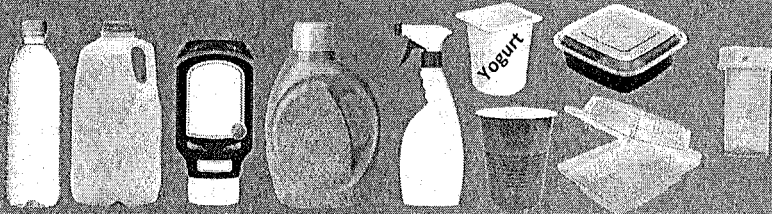
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orangecountygov.com/efs

OC DPW, Division of Environmental Facilities & Services
2455-2459 Route 17M, P.O. Box 637
Goshen, NY 10924



Commingled Recycling (Place in Curbside Recycling Bin)



Rigid Plastic Containers - no foam, bags, nor straws



Glass Bottles and Jars



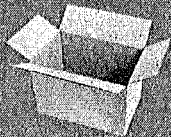
Metal Containers and Foil



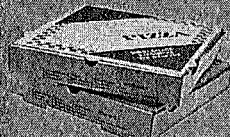
Cartons and Juice Boxes

Include caps and lids with commingled items. Please empty and rinse items.

Clean Paper and Cardboard (Place in Curbside Recycling Bin)



Cardboard
No Wax Paper
nor Wax Boxes



Pizza Boxes
(clean only)



Newspapers,
Magazines, Catalogs



Household
Boxes



Phone Books



Paper Bags



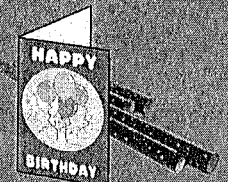
Unwanted Mail
(plastic windows OK)



Paper
(shredded OK)



Paper Rolls



Greeting Cards
and Gift Wrap

Additional Items (Bring to OC Transfer Stations)

Additional Notes



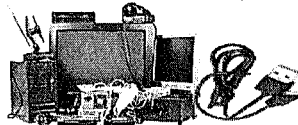
Textiles: Clothing, Shoes,
Towels, etc. (any condition)



Yard Waste (or follow
Town/Village rules)*



Scrap Metal*



Electronics*

- Place Recyclables loosely in bins
- NO Plastic Bags (recycle at supermarket)
- Plastic bags damage recycling equipment.
- NO Styrofoam in recycling (even code #6)
- NO Food in recycling – if possible, compost at home.

Questions? Call O.C. Recycling Coord.
at 845-291-3246



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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES: NEW LAW TO GUARD AGAINST GIFT CARD SCAMS

Businesses are Required to Post a Warning About Potential Gift Card Fraud

PEARL RIVER, NY, July 12, 2023, 6:30 am – Orange and Rockland Utilities today advised its customers that New York State has adopted a new consumer protection law designed to help shield NYS consumers from potential gift card scams.

The new law requires all businesses selling gift cards to display a notice at or near where any gift cards or gift certificates are displayed or sold to alert consumers about gift card fraud.

Requesting gift cards as payment has become increasingly popular with thieves as funds are nearly impossible to trace. According to the Federal Trade Commission in 2022, nearly 65,000 consumers filed a complaint related to gift card scams, equating to a total loss of \$228.3 million.

With the number of gift card scams on the rise, it's more important than ever to educate consumers so they know that **gift cards should only be used for gifts, not to make payments**. This new law requiring warning signage where gift cards are displayed or sold will help to reduce the success rate of these thieves and protect consumers' hard-earned money.

The typical scam scheme goes this way: Thieves posing as O&R employees call unsuspecting customers and threaten them with the immediate shut off of their electric service if they don't pay phony O&R bills with Green Dot or other prepaid debit cards.

Here are two big reasons not to believe any thief who makes a shutoff threat:

- **NO DEBIT CARDS** - O&R does not accept bill payment for electric and gas utility bills by Green Dot or any other prepaid debit cards. Never has.
- **NO IMMEDIATE SHUTOFF** - Disconnecting O&R electric or gas service for non-payment of bills involves a multi-step process – including written communications from O&R to the customer over a period of several days, or even weeks – not hours. That process is regulated by the NYS Public Service Commission and NJ Board of Public Utilities.

So, if someone calls you, says they are an O&R employee and threatens to shut off your electric or gas service that day if not immediately paid through a prepaid debit card, remember these tips:

- **Hang Up** – Disengage so you're not further subjected to the thief's high-pressure "sales pitch."
- **Text Scam** – After you hang up on them, the more aggressive thieves will try to repeat their shutoff threat by texting you. Ignore the threat. They are thieves.
- **Don't Hit "REDIAL"** – The caller ID screen on your phone for the thief's call may read "Orange and Rockland Utilities," but that's a hi-tech bogus copy of the utility company's number. That's not O&R. Do not redial, and don't call the number that the caller gives you to call them back. That will reconnect you to the thief.
- **Fast Track** - If you are unsure about whether you have an overdue balance on your O&R bill, the fastest way to find out is to log onto your account through oru.com/myaccount to review your latest account information. You also can call O&R's automated phone system at 1-877-434-4100. Have your Orange and Rockland account number ready and follow the automated phone prompts to check your balance.
- **Check the I.D.** - If you are contacted by someone in-person or on the phone who says they represent O&R and you wish to verify their identity either ask for their photo ID card, if they are at the door, or get a call-back number if they are on the phone, and call O&R at: **this new number 1-833-460-7059** during business hours Monday – Friday 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. or 1-877-434-4100 O&R's Customer Service Department off hours to verify their identity and the nature of their business with you. O&R employees and vendors are trained to cooperate with this request and are instructed to comply with a customer identity verification request.

Remember, if you are feeling threatened or otherwise uncomfortable about your security during the exchange, immediately report the incident to your local police department at 911.

About O&R

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (O&R) is a wholly owned subsidiary of Consolidated Edison, Inc., one of the nation's largest investor-owned energy companies. O&R is a regulated utility that provides electric service to approximately 300,000 customers in southeastern New York State (where its franchise name is Orange & Rockland) and northern New Jersey (where it's Rockland Electric Company), and natural gas service to approximately 130,000 customers in New York.

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ASSESSMENT DEPARTMENT
Deborah A. Eurich, IAO, Assessor

132 Kings Highway
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Memorandum

DATE: July 28, 2023
TO: Warwick Town Board
FROM: Deborah Eurich, IAO, Assessor *DAE*
RE: Training Request

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Town Clerk

I respectfully request the Board's permission to attend the New York State Assessors' Association (NYSAA) Fall Training Session on Assessment Administration at the Saratoga Hilton, October 3rd through October 6th. I will have the opportunity to select from concurrent sessions related to assessment administration, valuation and current legislation, as well as attend a presentation by NYS Department of Tax & Finance.

The Board approved the necessary funds for these training sessions in the current budget.

Please contact me with any questions that you may have.

Thank you.