

**PUBLIC NOTICE
TOWN OF LAGRANGE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of LaGrange at a regular Town Board meeting held on November 3, 2021, duly adopted, subject to Permissive Referendum, the following Local Law, published herewith, which authorized Opting Out of Licensing and Establishing Retail Cannabis Dispensaries Within the Town of LaGrange.

A Local Law Adopted Pursuant to Cannabis Law § 131 Opting Out of Licensing and Establishing Retail Cannabis Dispensaries Within the Town of LaGrange

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

Section 1. Legislative Intent

It is the intent of this local law to opt the Town of LaGrange out of hosting retail cannabis dispensaries within its boundaries.

Section 2. Authority

This local law is adopted pursuant to Cannabis Law § 131, which expressly authorizes towns, cities and villages to opt-out of allowing retail cannabis dispensaries to locate and operate within their boundaries.

Section 3. Local Cannabis Retail Dispensary Opt-Out

The Town Board of the Town of LaGrange, County of Dutchess, hereby opts-out of allowing retail cannabis dispensaries from locating and operating within the boundaries of the Town of LaGrange.

Section 4. Severability

If a court determines that any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, or part of this local law or the application thereof to any person, firm or corporation, or circumstance is invalid or unconstitutional, the court's order or judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder of this local law, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, or part of this local law or in its application to the person, individual, firm or corporation or circumstance, directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment or order shall be rendered.

Section 5. Numbering for Codification

It is the intention of the Town of LaGrange and it is hereby enacted that the provisions of this local law shall be included in the Code of the Town of LaGrange; that the sections and subsections of this local law may be re-numbered or re-lettered by the Codifier to accomplish such intention; that the Codifier shall make no substantive changes to this local law; that the words “local law” shall be changed to “Chapter,” “Section,” or other appropriate word as required for codification; and that any such rearranging of the numbering and editing shall not affect the validity of this local law or the provisions of the Code affected thereby.

Section 6. Effective date

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State. Pursuant to Cannabis Law § 131, this local law is subject to a permissive referendum and thus may not be filed with the Secretary of State until the applicable time period has elapsed to file a petition or a referendum has been conducted approving this local law.

Dated: November 3, 2021

By the Order of the Town Board
Town of LaGrange, New York

CHRISTINE O'REILLY-RAO
TOWN CLERK