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Town of Amsterdam
Notice of Public Hearing
A Local Law Controlling Open Fires

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a public hearing will be held by the Town of Amsterdam on September 18, 2024 at 5:50 p.m. at the Town Hall located at 283 Manny's Corner's Road, Amsterdam, NY, regarding the adoption of Local Law No. 3 of the Town of Amsterdam, for the year 2024 which would enact new regulations pertaining to open burning, defined as the burning of materials wherein products of combustion are emitted directly into the ambient air without passing through a stack or chimney from an enclosed chamber. The law would prohibit open burning in the Town with certain exceptions for outdoor cooking, portable fireplaces, recreational fires, and as part of farm operations. Recreational fires would be subject to certain requirements relating to fuel quantity, material, environmental hazards, and fire suppression equipment. Outdoor fires utilized for ceremonial purposes would be allowed with prior written approval from the Fire Chief.

Any resident of the Town of Amsterdam is entitled to be heard upon said proposed Local Law at such public hearing. Copies of said proposed Local Law are available for review at Town Hall during normal business hours of 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. and digital copies are available at www.townofamsterdam.org.

Dated: September 6, 2024

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD


Linda Bartone Hughes
Town Clerk

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