LOCAL LAW NO. 6-96 CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW 9-88 TO FURTHER AMEND THE SANITARY CODE OF THE CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY HEALTH DISTRIT TO PROHIBIT SMOKING IN COUNTY GOVERNMENT VEHILCES AND BUILDINGS

BE IT ENACTED, by the County Legislature of the County of Chautauqua, New York as follows:

Section 1. The purpose of this Local Law is to further promote the health and wellbeing of all person using County buildings by amending the Chautauqua county Sanitary Code to prohibit smoking in all Chautauqua County Government buildings and vehicles. An informational and educational program will be developed by the County Health Department to help employees break the smoking habit.

Section 2. Local Law 9-88 and Article XXIV of the Chautauqua County Sanitary Code are hereby amended by adding a new section "s" as follows:

Section 7 County Vehicles and Buildings.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, no person shall smoke in any vehicle, building or other structure owned, occupied, or leased to the County of Chautauqua, its agencies, boards, or commissions. This section does not apply to properties used for residential purposes or those properties that are operated primarily for non-public purposes.

Existing Section 7 is renumbered as Section 8 and existing Section 8 is renumbered as Section 9.

<u>Section 3.</u> All other provisions of Article XXIV of the County Sanitary Code shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. This local law shall take effect in sixty (60) days, or upon filing with the New York State Department of State and the New York State Department of Health, whichever is later.

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