

Local Law Filing

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of Westchester

Local Law No. 3 of the year 2023

A LOCAL LAW amending Section 104.11(5)(f) of the Laws of Westchester County to provide the County of Westchester authority to enter into a lease agreement for approximately 17.58 acres of County-owned property located in the Grasslands Campus in the Valhalla section of the Town of Mt. Pleasant, New York with New York Medical College, its successors or assigns, for a term not to exceed ninety-nine (99) years.

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

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as follows:

Section 1. Section 104.11(5)(f) of the Laws of Westchester County is hereby amended to read as follows:

Limitation of terms. The county shall not execute any leases either as lessor or lessee for a term exceeding 30 years, including renewals, except for county property located at Grasslands Reservation, Valhalla, New York, known as Sunshine Cottage, Vosburgh Pavilion, Munger Pavilion, and the Old Commissioner's House, together with a suitable means of ingress and egress thereto, which may be leased to New York Medical College for a period not to exceed sixty (60) years, including renewals, which property must be used by New York Medical College for medical and/or paramedical research and/or educational purposes, and except for a parcel of county property consisting of approximately twenty-one (21) acres located at Grasslands Reservation, Valhalla, New York (fronting on Route 9A on the west for approximately two hundred twenty (220) feet, continuing northwest along the Con Edison right-of-way for approximately one thousand two hundred (1,200) feet, continuing on the north approximately seven hundred (700) feet along property now or formerly owned by the Robert Martin Company, returning south on a broken line approximately one thousand three hundred fifty (1,350) feet to the northeast corner of property now or formerly owned by the Robert Martin Company and extending approximately eight hundred fifty (850) feet back to Route 9A), which may be leased for nonmunicipal purposes for an initial term not to exceed ninety-nine (99) years, including renewals, which may be further renewed for a term not to exceed thirty-three (33) years by mutual agreement of the parties, and except for county property located at Grasslands Reservation, Valhalla, New York known as the Westchester County Medical Center Campus which may be leased to the Westchester County Health Care Corporation, its successors or assigns, for an initial period not to exceed sixty (60) years, with three (3) consecutive options to renew for terms not to exceed ten (10) years each,

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and one (1) fourth and final option to renew for a term not to exceed five (5) years, for a total term, including renewal options, of ninety-five (95) years to be exercisable at the option of the Westchester County Health Care Corporation, its successors or assigns, and except for county property located at the southwesterly corner of Court and Quarropas Streets in the City of White Plains which may be leased to a corporation formed by HANAC, Inc. and the Bluestone Organization, its successors or assigns, for a term of sixty-five (65) years, with three (3) consecutive options to renew for a term not to exceed ten (10) years each, for a total term, including renewal options, not to exceed ninety-five (95) years, for the purpose of constructing affordable senior rental housing, and except for county property located at the north portion of the Grasslands Reservation (also known as the Valhalla Campus at Grasslands) in the Valhalla section of the Town of Mt. Pleasant, New York, and commonly referred to as the "North 60" which may be leased to Fareri Associates, LP, its successors or assigns, for a term not to exceed ninety-nine (99) years for the purpose of creating a research and development complex, to support the county of Westchester's growing medical and bio-tech industry, and except for county property located off Knollwood Road in the Town of Greenburgh, New York neighboring the Westchester Community College campus which may be leased to Mayfair Housing LLC, and Mayfair Housing Development Fund Company, Inc., for a term of 65 years for the purpose of development, rehabilitation and operation of an affordable housing project consisting of approximately 74 residential rental units exclusively for low and moderate-income senior citizens aged 62 and older, and except for county property consisting of 17.58 acres located in the Grasslands Campus (also known as the Grasslands Reservation and the Valhalla Campus at Grasslands) in the Valhalla section of the Town of Mt. Pleasant, New York which may be leased to New York Medical College, its successors or assigns, for a term not to exceed ninety-nine (99) years exclusively for the administration and operation of a duly licensed and accredited health sciences college or university.

§2. The County Executive or his authorized designee is hereby authorized and empowered to execute all instruments and to take all actions reasonably necessary to effectuate the purposes of this Local Law.

§3. The Clerk of the Board shall cause a notice of this Local Law to be published at least once a week for two successive weeks, the first publication of which shall be had within ten days after such local law is adopted, in the official newspapers published in the County of Westchester, said notice to contain the number, date of adoption and a true copy of the Local Law, and a statement that this Local Law changes a provision of law relating to the sale, exchange or leasing of County property and is therefore subject to the provisions of Section 209.171(7) of the Westchester County Administrative Code providing for a permissive referendum.

§4. This local law shall take effect sixty (60) days after its adoption subject to the provisions of Section 209.181 of the Westchester County Administrative Code.

(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. _____ of 20____ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 20____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

(Name of Legislative Body)

2. (Passage by local legislative body with approval, no disapproval or repassage after disapproval 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) (repassed after disapproval) by the _____ and was deemed duly adopted on _____ 20____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

(Name of Legislative Body)

(Elective Chief Executive Officer*)

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

(Name of Legislative Body)

(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. 3 of 2023 of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of Westchester was duly passed by the Board of Legislators on November 14, 2022, and was (approved)(not approved) (repassed after disapproval) by the County Executive on November 17, 2023. Such local law was subject to permissive referendum and no valid petition requesting such referendum was filed as of April 10, 2023, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

(Name of Legislative Body)

(Elective Chief Executive Officer*)

* 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.)

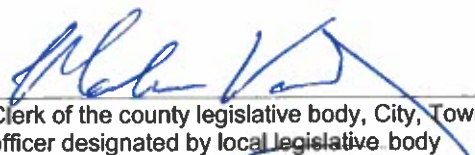
I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20 _____ of the City of _____ having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of section (36)(37) of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified 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 electors of the towns of said county considered 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, _____ 4 _____ above.



Clerk of the county legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk or
officer designated by local legislative body

Date: 4/11 /23

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