

**TOWN OF SKANEATELES
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing shall be held by the Town Board of the Town of Skaneateles at 7:00 pm on October 6, 2025 regarding Proposed Local Law 2025 -3 "A Local Law to Override the Tax Levy". It is the intent of the Town Board (the "Board") of the Town of Skaneateles (the "Town") through this local law to allow the Town to adopt a budget for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 2026 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the "tax levy limit" as defined by New York General Municipal Law § 3-c.

A copy of the local law and related materials is available for review at the Town Clerk's Office of the Town of Skaneateles, 24 Jordan Street, Skaneateles, New York or at <https://www.townofskaneateles.com>

An opportunity to be heard in regard to such local law will be given at the hearing to those favoring or opposing the same, as well as any comments. Communication in writing in relation there to may be filed with the Town Board or at such hearing.

Said Hearing will be held on October 6, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. at the Skaneateles Town Hall, 24 Jordan Street, Skaneateles, NY 13152 or on Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84870285469>, Meeting ID: 848 7028 5469, Passcode: 476460.

Dated: September 23, 2025
Skaneateles, New York

Julie A. Stenger, Town Clerk
Town of Skaneateles

**RESOLUTION
OF THE TOWN BOARD
OF THE TOWN OF SKANEATELES**

**Proposed Local Law to Override The Tax Levy Limit Established By
Section 3-c of the New York General Municipal Law**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Municipal Home Rule Law Section 20(4) and General Municipal Law Section 3-c, Board Member Milne has introduced for consideration Local Law No. 3 of 2023 entitled “A Local Law to Override The Tax Levy Limit Established By Section 3-c of the New York General Municipal Law” (the “Proposed Local Law”); and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Proposed Local Law is to allow the Town of Skaneateles (the “Town”) to adopt a budget for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 2026 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the “tax levy limit” as defined by New York General Municipal Law § 3-c; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board desires to comply with the requirements of the State Environmental Quality Review Act (“SEQRA”) and its implementing regulations set forth at 6 NYCRR Part 617 (the “Regulations”), with respect to the adoption of the Proposed Local Law; and

WHEREAS, the Town desires to comply with the requirements of the New York Town Law and the New York Public Officers Law and shall schedule a public hearing to allow the public to comment on the Proposed Local Law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board will hold a public hearing on October 6, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. to hear all persons interested in the Proposed Local Law and to consider the adoption of the Proposed Local Law; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town Board hereby classifies the Proposed Local Law as a Type II Action under SEQRA involving the “adoption of regulations, policies, procedures and local legislative decisions” as set forth in Section 617.5(c)(33) of the Regulations; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town Clerk shall cause notice of such public hearing to be published in the official Town newspaper in accordance with all legal requirements.

Town of Skaneateles
Introductory Local Law 3 of the Year 2025
A Local Law To Override The Tax Levy Limit Established By
Section 3-c of the New York General Municipal Law

On the motion of Councilor Alexander and seconded by Councilor Tucker, the following local law is put forward:

Section 1. Legislative Intent

It is the intent of the Town Board (the “Board”) of the Town of Skaneateles (the “Town”) through this local law to allow the Town to adopt a budget for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 2026 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the “tax levy limit” as defined by New York General Municipal Law § 3-c.

Section 2. Authority

This local law is adopted by the Board pursuant to General Municipal Law § 3-c, Subdivision 5, which expressly authorizes a local government to override the property tax cap for the coming fiscal year by the adoption of a local law approved by a vote of not less than 60% of the governing body of such local government.

Section 3. Tax Levy Limit Override

The Town is hereby authorized to adopt a budget for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 2026 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the amount otherwise prescribed in General Municipal law § 3-c.

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 have been rendered.

Section 5. Effective Date

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State.

This local law was declared duly adopted by not less than 60% of the Board.