



LOCAL LAW NO. 1 of 2025
TRAFFIC REGULATIONS
of the
VILLAGE OF WATKINS GLEN

(Repeals and replaces Local Law No. 1 of 2024)
Effective September 1, 2025

PREAMBLE

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Watkins Glen, County of Schuyler, State of New York, pursuant to the provisions of the Vehicle and Traffic Law of the State of New York, does, on July 1, 2025, hereby adopt the following Local Law to regulate traffic and parking, standing and stopping upon the highways within the Village of Watkins Glen.

ARTICLE I

Section 10: Words and phrases defined.

- (a) The words and phrases used in this local law shall for the purpose of this local law have the meanings respectively ascribed to them by Article I of the Vehicle and Traffic Law of the State of New York.
- (b) The following words and phrases which are not defined by Article 1 of the Vehicle and Traffic Law of the State of New York shall have the meanings respectively ascribed to them in this section for the purpose of the local law of this Village.
 - (1) **Curb Line.** The prolongation of the lateral line of a curb or, in the absence of a curb, the lateral boundary line of the roadway.
 - (2) **Official Time Standard.** Whenever certain hours are named herein or on traffic control devices, they shall mean the time standard which is in current use in this state.
 - (3) **Public Parking Lot.** A plot or parcel of land or building owned and/or leased by this village, not including highways, upon or within which the parking of vehicles is regulated by signs and/or parking meters.

ARTICLE II

TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

Section 20. Authority to install traffic control devices.

The Department of Streets of the Village of Watkins Glen shall install and maintain traffic control devices when and as required under the provisions of this local law to make effective the provisions of said local law and may install and maintain such additional traffic control devices as it may deem necessary to regulate, warn or guide traffic under the Vehicle and Traffic Law of the State of New York subject to the provisions of Sections 1682 and 1684 of that Law.

ARTICLE III

TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNALS

Section 30. Traffic Control Signals not applicable at this time.

ARTICLE IV

ONE-WAY ROADWAYS AND ALLEYWAYS

Section 40. One-way roadways.

- (a) The following highways are hereby designated for one-way traffic in a westerly direction:
 - (1) Sixth Street between Decatur and Franklin Streets.
 - (2) Second Street between Porter and Decatur Streets.
- (b) The following highways are hereby designated for one-way traffic in an easterly direction:
 - (1) Fifth Street between Franklin and Decatur Streets.
 - (2) Seventh Street between Franklin and Decatur Streets.
- (c) The following alleyway is hereby designated for one-way traffic:
 - (1) The Village owned alleyway running parallel with Franklin Street, approximately 80 feet east thereof and running between Fourth and Third Streets.
- (d) The following streets are hereby designated for one-way traffic in a southerly direction:
 - (1) South Monroe Street between Steuben Street and Pine Street.
 - (2) South Madison Avenue between Sixth Street and Eighth Street.

ARTICLE V

PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS

Section 50. Pedestrian crossings prohibited.

- (a) No pedestrian shall cross Franklin Street from and including First Street to and including the southerly corporate limits of this village except within a crosswalk.

- (b) No pedestrian shall cross Fourth Street from and including Magee Street to and including the easterly corporate limits of this village except within a crosswalk.

ARTICLE VI

TURNING MOVEMENTS

Section 60. Prohibition of U-turns.

- (a) The turning of vehicles so as to proceed in the opposite direction is hereby prohibited at the following locations:
- (1) On Franklin Street between Division Street and the Southernly Village Corporate limits.
 - (2) On Fourth Street between Madison Avenue and Magee Street.

Section 70. Prohibition of left turns.

- (a) Left turns are hereby prohibited at the following locations:
- (1) From any driveway, alleyway or parking lot onto Franklin Street on the west side of Franklin Street between Fourth Street and the prolongation of the south curb line of Fifth Street.

ARTICLE VII

STOP AND YIELD INTERSECTIONS

Section 80. The following intersections are hereby designated as stop intersections and stop signs shall be erected on entrances thereto as indicated.

Intersection of	Stop sign on	Approaching
Bath St.	Seneca St.	South
Bath St.	Glen Ave. North	North & South
Bath St.	Howard Ave.	South
Bath St.	Summit Ave.	South
Cedar St.	Cemetery Rd.	North
Clarence St.	Porter St. South	North
County Road 28	Bath St.	West
County Road 28 (Lee Rd)	County Line Road	East

Cross St.	Monroe St. North	North & South
Cross St.	Jackson St. North	North & South
Decatur St. North	First St.	East
Decatur St. North	Second St. East	East & West
Decatur St. North	Third St.	East & West
Decatur St. North	Fifth St.	East & West
Decatur St. North	Sixth St.	West
Decatur St. North	Seventh St.	East & West
Decatur St. North	Eight St.	East & West
Decatur St. North	Ninth St.	East & West
Decatur St. North	Tenth St.	East & West
Decatur St. South	Clarence St.	West
Decatur St. South	Eleventh St.	East
Decatur St. South	Twelfth St.	East & West
Decatur St. South	Durland Place	East
Decatur St. South	Fourteenth St.	East
Decatur St. South	Fifteenth St.	East & West
Decatur St. South	Grandview Ave.	East
Decatur St. South	South Ave.	East
Decatur St. South	Schuyler Highway County Hwy Dept Exit Drive	West
Division St.	Madison Ave. South	North & South
Division St.	Monroe St. North	North & South
Division St.	Jackson St. North	South
Division St.	Glen Ave. South	North & South
Division St.	Lakeview Ave.	North
Division St.	Orchard Ave.	North
Eighth St.	Perry St. North	North & South
Eighth St.	Porter St. North	North & South
Eleventh St.	"Smalley Lane"	North
Erway Pl.	Summit Ave.	South
Fairground Lane	Decatur St. South	South
Fifteenth St.	Decatur St. South	North & South
Fourth St. East	Lakeside Parking Lot Exit	South
Fourth St. East	Clute Park Dr. South "Boat Launch Rd"	North
Fourth St. East	Magee St.	North
Fourth St. East	Perry St. North	North & South
Fourth St. East	Porter St. North	North & South
Fourth St. East	Canal Rd.	North
Fourth St. West	Madison Ave. South	North & South
Franklin St. North	Division St.	East
Franklin St. North	First St.	West

Franklin St. North	Second St. West	East & West
Franklin St. North	Third St.	West
Franklin St. North	Eighth St.	East & West
Franklin St. South	Eleventh St.	West
Franklin St. South	Twelfth St.	West
Franklin St. South	Durland Place	West
Franklin St. South	Fourteenth St.	West
Franklin St. South	Grandview Ave.	West
Franklin St. South	South Ave.	West
Glen Ave. North	Old Reading Rd. (Upper Reading)	West
Glen Ave. North	Middlesex St.	East
Glen Ave. North	Bath St.	East & West
Glen Ave. North	Partition St.	East & West
Glen Ave. South	Cedar St.	North
Howard Ave.	Middlesex St.	East & West
Magee St.	Fifth St.	East
Magee St.	Sixth St.	East
Magee St.	Seventh St.	East
Magee St.	Ninth St.	East
Magee St.	Tenth St.	East & West
Ninth St.	N. Decatur St. North	North & South
Partition St.	Monroe St. North	North & South
Partition St.	Jackson St. North	North & South
Partition St.	Glen Ave. North	North & South
Perry St. North	Third St.	East & West
Perry St. North	Fifth St.	East & West
Perry St. North	Sixth St.	East & West
Perry St. North	Seventh St.	East & West
Perry St. North	Eighth St.	East
Perry St. North	Ninth St.	East & West
Perry St. North	Tenth St.	East & West
Pine St.	Jackson St. South	South
Pine St.	Monroe St. South	South
Porter St. North	Second St. East	West
Porter St. North	Third St.	East & West
Porter St. North	Fifth St.	East & West
Porter St. North	Sixth St.	East & West
Porter St. North	Seventh St.	East & West
Porter St. North	Eighth St.	East & West
Porter St. North	Ninth St.	East & West

Porter St. North	Tenth St.	East & West
Reading Rd. (Lower)	Kimberly Lane	South
Route 14	Old Reading Rd.	East & West
Route 14	Bath St.	East
Route 14	Salt Point Rd.	South
Route 14	Partition St.	East
Route 14	Cross St.	East
Route 14 (Franklin St.)	Tops Plaza Driveway	West
Route 414	Cass Rd.	South
Scenic Place	Partition	West
Second St. West	Madison Ave. South	North & South
Second St. West	N. Monroe St.	South
Second St. West	Jackson St. South	North & South
Second St. West	Glen Ave. South	North & South
Second St. West	Lakeview Ave.	North & South
Second St. West	Orchard Ave.	South
Sixth St.	Magee St.	North & South
Sixth St.	Perry St. North	North & South
Sixth St.	Porter St. North	North & South
Sixth St.	Madison Ave. South	South
Steuben St. (NY-409)	Glen Ave. North	South
Steuben St. (NY-409)	Glen Ave. South	North
Steuben St. (NY-409)	Scenic Pl.	South
Steuben St. (NY-409)	Cross St.	West
Steuben St. (NY-409)	Division St.	East & West
Steuben St. (NY-409)	Jackson St. South	North
Steuben St. (NY-409)	Second St. West	East & West
Steuben St. (NY-409)	Monroe St. South	South
Steuben St. (NY-409)	Jackson St. North	South
Summit Ave.	Middlesex St.	East & West
Twelfth St.	Shannon St.	South
Twelfth St.	S. Perry St.	South
Twelfth St.	Watkins Glen High School Parking Lot Exit	North
Twelfth St.	Porter St. South	South
Twelfth St.	Decatur St. South	North & South

Section 81. The following intersections are hereby designated as yield intersections and yield signs shall be erected on entrances thereto as indicated:

<u>Intersection of</u>	<u>With/Yield Sign On</u>	<u>Entrance(s)</u>
Cemetery Rd.	Cedar St.	West

ARTICLE VIII

SPEED REGULATIONS

Section 90. Maximum Speed Limits

- (a) Thirty (30) miles per hour is hereby established as the maximum speed at which vehicles may proceed on or along highways within the corporate limits of this village, unless otherwise posted, except as otherwise provided herein.
- (b) Fifteen (15) miles per hour is hereby established as the maximum speed at which vehicles may proceed within the corporate limits of this Village on the following roadways during school days between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. when school is in session, and also during events:
 - (1) Decatur Street between the intersections of Seventh Street and Fairground Lane.
 - (2) The entire length of Clarence Street.
 - (3) Twelfth Street easterly from the intersection of Decatur Street.
 - (4) The entire length of South Perry Street.
 - (5) The entire length of South Porter Street.

ARTICLE IX

PARKING, STANDING AND STOPPING

Section 100. Application of Article.

The provisions of this article shall apply except when it is necessary to stop a vehicle to avoid conflict with other traffic or in compliance with the directions of a police officer or official traffic control device.

Section 101. Parking Prohibited in Designated Locations.

- (a) The parking of vehicles is hereby prohibited in any of the following locations:
 - (1) On the east side of S. Madison Avenue, on the roadway.
 - (2) On the east side of Monroe St. between Pine Street & Steuben St. on the roadway.
 - (3) On the east side of Jackson St. between Pine & Steuben Streets on the roadway.

- (4) On the east side of Decatur St, except for the following location:
 - i. Parallel to the north curb line of South Street beginning at a point of 16 feet to a point of 149 feet in a northerly direction.
- (5) On the north side of Ninth St. between Franklin and Decatur Streets.
- (6) On the south side of Tenth Street between Franklin and Decatur Streets, except from the southeast corner of Decatur to a point of 85 feet westbound from the curb.
- (7) On the west side of N. Monroe Street between Second and Division Streets.
- (8) On the east side of N. Monroe St. between Division and Partition Streets.
- (9) On the north side of Second Street between the alley way and Decatur St.
- (10) On the south side of Eleventh Street from the east curb line of Franklin Street to a point 165 feet Easterly therefrom.
- (11) On the south side of Eighth Street from the east curb line of Franklin Street to a point 136 feet easterly therefrom.
- (12) On the south side of Eighth Street from the west curb line of Franklin Street to a point 200 feet westerly therefrom.
- (13) On the north side of Eighth Street from the west curb line of Franklin Street to a point 100 feet westerly therefrom.
- (14) On the south side of Seventh Street from the east curb line of Franklin Street to a point 76 feet easterly therefrom.
- (15) On both sides of Pine Street between a point 50 feet westerly from the west curb line of Franklin Street to Jackson Street.
- (16) On the north side of Eighth St. from the East curb line of Franklin to a point 55 feet easterly therefrom.
- (17) On the west side of North Monroe Street between Partition Street and the north end of said North Monroe Street.

- (18) On the south side of Fifteenth Street, between a point 70 feet east of the east curb line of South Franklin Street and a point 334 feet east of the east curb line of South Franklin Street.
- (19) On the south side of Twelfth Street from a point 20 feet easterly of the east curb line of Decatur Street to a point 20 feet westerly of the west curb line of South Porter Street.
- (20) On the south side of Twelfth Street from a point 20 feet easterly of the east curb line of South Porter Street to a point 20 feet westerly of the west curb line of South Perry Street.
- (21) On the north side of Twelfth Street from a point 20 feet easterly of the east curb line of South Porter Street to a point 20 feet westerly of the west curb line of South Perry Street.
- (22) On both sides of Bath Street between Madison Avenue (NYS Rte. 14) and North Glen Avenue.
- (23) Anywhere in any of the alleys belonging to the Village of Watkins Glen.
- (24) On the east side of South Glen Avenue between Division Street and Second Street.
- (25) On the west side of South Monroe Street, from its intersection with Pine Street, to a point 50 feet northerly therefrom.
- (26) On the west side of Decatur Street, from its intersection with Eleventh Street, to a point 145 feet northerly therefrom.
- (27) On the east side of Perry Street, from its intersection with Third Street, northerly to the end of Perry Street.
- (28) Between the curb line and the adjacent sidewalk on all streets within the Village of Watkins Glen.

Section 102. Standing Prohibited in Designated Location for Times:

- (a) The standing of vehicles is hereby prohibited at all times in any of the following locations:
 - (1) On the north side of Fifteenth Street from the east curb line of Franklin Street to a point 70 feet easterly therefrom.

- (2) On the south side of Fifteenth St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 70 feet easterly therefrom.
- (3) On both sides of Fourteenth St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet easterly therefrom.
- (4) On both sides of Durland Avenue from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet easterly therefrom.
- (5) On both sides of Twelfth St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet easterly therefrom.
- (6) On the north side of Eleventh St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet easterly therefrom.
- (7) On the north side of Tenth Street from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet easterly therefrom.
- (8) On the east side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Tenth Street to a point 60 feet northerly therefrom.
- (9) On the west side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Tenth St. to a point 90 feet northerly therefrom.
- (10) On the east side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Eighth Street to a point 31 feet southerly therefrom.
- (11) On the East side of Franklin Street from the north curb line of Eighth Street to a point 30 feet northerly therefrom.
- (12) On the east side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Ninth St. to a point 42 feet northerly therefrom.
- (13) On the west side of Franklin Street from the north curb line of Eighth St. to a point 45 feet northerly therefrom.
- (14) On the north side of Seventh St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet easterly therefrom.
- (15) On the west side of Franklin St. from a point 8 feet south from the prolongation of the south curb line of Seventh Street to a point 34 feet north from the prolongation of the north curb line of Seventh Street.

- (16) On the east side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Seventh Street to a point 42 feet northerly therefrom.
- (17) On the south side of Sixth St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 86 feet easterly therefrom.
- (18) On the north side of Sixth St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet easterly therefrom.
- (19) On the south side of Sixth St. between the west curb line of Franklin St. and the East curb line of Madison Avenue.
- (20) On the north side of Sixth St. from the west curb line of Franklin St. to a point 25 feet westerly therefrom.
- (21) On the south side of Fifth Street from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 27 feet easterly therefrom.
- (22) On the north side of Fifth Street from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 23 feet easterly therefrom.
- (23) On the east side of Franklin Street from the south curb line of Fifth St. to a point 22 feet southerly therefrom.
- (24) On the east side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Fifth St. to a point 14 feet northerly therefrom.
- (25) On the south side of Third St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 31 feet easterly therefrom.
- (26) On the north side of Third St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 23 feet easterly therefrom.
- (27) On the east side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Third St. to a point 9 feet southerly therefrom.
- (28) On the east side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Third St. to a point 18 feet northerly therefrom.
- (29) On the south side of Second St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 31 feet easterly therefrom.

- (30) On the south side of Second St. from the west curb line of Franklin St. to a point 33 feet westerly therefrom, and from a point 79 feet westerly from the west curb line of Franklin Street to the east curb line of Madison Avenue.
- (31) On the north side of Second Street from the west curb line of Franklin St. to a point 93 feet westerly therefrom.
- (32) On the south side of First Street from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 30 feet easterly therefrom.
- (33) On the north side of First Street from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 30 feet easterly therefrom.
- (34) On the east side of Franklin Street from the south curb line of First St. to a point 40 feet southerly therefrom.
- (35) On the east side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of First Street to a point 36 feet northerly therefrom.
- (36) On the south side of Division St. from the west curb line of Franklin St. to a point 56 feet westerly therefrom.
- (37) On the north side of Division St. from the west curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet westerly therefrom.
- (38) On the east side of Franklin St. between a point 74 feet southerly of the south curb line of Sixth St. and a point 104 feet southerly of the south curb line of Sixth St.
- (39) On the west side of Decatur St. from the north curb line of Twelfth St. to a point 85 feet northerly therefrom.
- (40) On the west side of Decatur St. from the north curb line of Fourth St. to a point 100 feet northerly therefrom.
- (41) On the north side of Fourth St. from the east curb line of Decatur St. to a point 200 feet easterly therefrom.
- (42) On the south side of Fourth Street from the west curb line of Decatur St. to a point 36 feet westerly.
- (43) On the north side of Fourth St. from the west curb line of Decatur St. to a point 147 feet westerly therefrom.

- (44) On the south side of Fourth St. from the east curb line of Decatur St. to a point 50 feet easterly therefrom.
- (45) On the east side of Decatur St. from the north curb line of Fourth St. to a point 50 feet northerly therefrom.
- (46) On the west side of Decatur St. from the south curb line of Fourth St. to a point 50 feet southerly therefrom.
- (47) On both sides of Fourth Street between a point 80 feet westerly of the west curb line of Porter Street and a point 80 feet easterly of the east curb line of Porter St.
- (48) On the south side of Fourth St. between the east curb line of Magee St. to the East Village corporate line.
- (49) On the north side of Fourth St. between a point 80 feet westerly from the west curb line of Perry St. and a point 80 feet easterly from the east curb line of Perry Street.
- (50) On the north side of Fourth St. between a point 20 feet westerly of the prolongation of the west curb line of Magee St. & the East Village corporate line.
- (51) On both sides of Porter St. between a point 50 feet northerly from the north curb line of Fourth St. and a point 50 feet southerly from the south curb line of Fourth St.
- (52) On both sides of Perry St. between a point 50 feet northerly from the north curb line of Fourth St. and a point 50 feet southerly from the south line of Fourth St.
- (53) On both sides of Magee St. from the south curb line of Fourth St. to a point 50 feet southerly therefrom.
- (54) On the east side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Seventh St. to a point 50 feet southerly therefrom.
- (55) On the west side of Franklin Street from a point 8 feet southerly from the prolongation of the south curb line of Fifth St. to a point 42 feet northerly of the prolongation of the north curb line of Fifth St.
- (56) On the west side of Franklin St. between a point 8 feet southerly from the prolongation of the south curb line of First St. to the south curb line of Division Street.

- (57) On the east side of Franklin St. between a point 50 feet southerly from the prolongation of the south curb line of Division St. to a point 120 feet northerly from the prolongation of the north curb line of Division St.
- (58) On the east side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Second St. to a point 50 feet northerly therefrom.
- (59) On the west side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Second St. to a point 50 feet northerly therefrom.
- (60) On the west side of Franklin St. between a point 10 feet southerly from the prolongation of the south curb line of Third St. to a point 25 feet northerly from the prolongation of the north curb line of Third St.
- (61) On the East side of Madison Ave. from Capt. Bill's driveway to a point 150 feet northerly from the prolongation of the North curb line of Cross Street.
- (62) On the east side of Madison Ave. from a point 140 feet southerly from the south curb line of Salt Point Rd. to the North Village Corporate Line.
- (63) On the west side of Madison Avenue from the North curb line of Cross Street to a point 50 feet Northerly therefrom.
- (64) On the west side of Madison Avenue between a point 50 feet south from the South curb line of Partition Street to a point 50 feet North from the North curb line of Partition Street.
- (65) On the West side of Madison Avenue from the Magee Manor driveway to the North Village corporate line.
- (66) On both sides of Cross St. from the West curb line of N. Madison Ave. to a point 65 feet westerly therefrom.
- (67) On both sides of Bath Street from the West curb line of N. Madison Ave. to a point 65 feet Westerly therefrom.
- (68) On the North side of Partition Street from the West curb line of N. Madison Ave. to a point 75 feet Westerly therefrom.
- (69) On the South side of Partition Street from the West curb line of N. Madison Avenue to a point 100 feet westerly therefrom.
- (70) On the west side of Salt Point Road from its intersection with Madison Avenue to the North Village corporate line.

- (71) On the south side of Fourth Street between Magee Street and a point 50 feet west of the west curb line of Magee Street and between a point 80 feet westerly from the west curb line of Perry Street and a point 50 feet east of the east curb line of Perry Street.
- (72) On the west side of Franklin Street from the north curb line of Pine Street to a point 41 feet northerly therefrom.

Section 103. Stopping Prohibited in Designated Locations.

(a) The stopping of vehicles is hereby prohibited in any of the following locations:

- (1) On the east side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Ninth St. to a point 38 feet southerly therefrom.
- (2) On the south side of Ninth St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet easterly therefrom.
- (3) On the west side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Eighth St. to a point 62 feet southerly therefrom.
- (4) On both sides of Pine St. from the West curb line of Franklin St. to a point 50 feet westerly therefrom.
- (5) On the west side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Pine St. to a point 44 feet southerly therefrom.
- (6) On the east side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Sixth St. to a point 34 feet southerly therefrom.
- (7) On the west side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Sixth St. to a point 56 feet southerly therefrom.
- (8) On the west side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Sixth St. to a point 60 feet northerly therefrom.
- (9) On the south side of Fourth St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 160 feet easterly therefrom.
- (10) On the north side of Fourth St. from the east curb line of Franklin St. to a point 113 feet easterly therefrom.

- (11) On the south side of Fourth St. from the west curb line of Franklin St. to a point 125 feet westerly therefrom.
 - (12) On the north side of Fourth St. from the west curb line of Franklin St. to a point 20 feet westerly therefrom.
 - (13) On the west side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Second St. to a point 94 feet southerly therefrom.
 - (14) On the east side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Second St. to a point 62 feet southerly therefrom.
 - (15) On the west side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Fourth St. to the south curb line of Third Street.
 - (16) On the east side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Fourth St. to the south curb line of Third Street.
 - (17) On the west side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Fourth St. to a point 126 feet southerly therefrom.
 - (18) On the east side of Franklin St. from the south curb line of Fourth St. to a point 120 feet southerly therefrom.
 - (19) On the east side of Franklin St. from the north curb line of Sixth St. to a point 50 feet northerly therefrom.
- (b) The stopping of vehicles except buses is hereby prohibited in any of the following locations:
- (1) On the east side of Franklin St. in an area beginning 50 feet northerly from the north curb line of Fourth St. and continuing northerly for 50 feet to a point 100 feet northerly from the north curb line of Fourth Street.
- (c) The stopping of vehicles except police cars is hereby prohibited in any of the following locations:
- (1) On the north side of Tenth Street from a point 60 feet east of the east curb line of Franklin Street to a point 180 feet west of the driveway entrance to the parking lot behind the Schuyler County Jail and Courthouse complex.
- (d) The parking of recreational vehicles in excess of sixteen (16) feet in length on Village streets for a period of excess of 72 hours is prohibited.

- (e) The overnight occupancy of any vehicle parked on a Village Street is prohibited.

Section 104. Parking Time Limited in Designated Locations.

- (a) The parking of vehicles is hereby prohibited in any of the following locations for a period longer than ten (10) minutes:
 - (1) On the east side of Franklin St. between a point 34 feet southerly from the south curb line of Sixth St. and a point 74 feet southerly from the south curb line of Sixth St.
 - (2) On the West side of Franklin St from a point 192 feet southernly from the south curb line of Second St to a point 213 feet southerly from the south curb line of Second St.
- (b) The parking of vehicles is hereby prohibited in any of the following locations for a period longer than two (2) hours unless otherwise prohibited or restricted by this local law in Article IX Sec. 100-101-102, 103-104 or 105(a).
 - (1) On both sides of Franklin St. between Division Street and Tenth Street.
 - (2) On both sides of Fourth Street between Madison Ave. and Decatur Street.
 - (3) On both sides of Sixth Street between Franklin Street and the alley between Franklin and Decatur Streets.
 - (4) On both sides of Fifth Street between Franklin Street and the alley between Franklin and Decatur Streets.
 - (5) On both sides of Third St. between Franklin Street and the alley between Franklin and Decatur Streets.
 - (6) On both sides of Second Street between Franklin Street and the alley between Franklin and Decatur Streets.
 - (7) On both sides of First Street between Franklin Street and the alley between Franklin Street and Decatur Street.
- (c) The parking of vehicles is hereby prohibited in any of the following locations for a period longer than two (2) hours, during the period May 1st to December 25th.
 - (1) In the Municipal Parking Lot situated east of Franklin Street between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

- (2) In the Municipal Parking Lot situated east of Franklin Street on the north side of Third Street, except in the designated parking spaces in the row along the easterly boundary of said Parking Lot, where parking shall be unrestricted.

Section 105. Alternate Side of the Street Parking.

EVEN/ODD parking was abolished by Board of Trustees majority vote on September 19, 2023.

Section 106. Handicapped Parking.

The following locations are hereby designated as handicapped parking spots:

- (a) In the Municipal Parking Lot situated east of Franklin Street between Fourth and Fifth Streets, the parking space located immediately east of the store presently owned and occupied by Famous Brands, which is designated as disabled parking by blue painted lines.
- (b) In the Municipal Parking Lot situated east of Franklin Street on the north side of Third Street, designated as disabled parking by blue painted lines.
- (c) In the Clute Park parking lot in areas designated as disabled parking by blue painted lines.

Section 107. Angle Parking Prohibited.

No vehicle may be parked at an angle to an adjacent street within the Village of Watkins Glen, unless otherwise posted.

ARTICLE X

PARKING METERS

Section 110. Pay to Park Devices.

By resolution of the Board of Trustees, Pay-to-Park signage and /or a mechanical or computerized device may be placed within and utilized in Village owned parking lots, including but not limited to, the Municipal lot situated east of Franklin Street between Fourth and Fifth Street (Famous Brands), the lot situated east of Franklin Street on the north side of Third Street, all boat launch and kayak rental parking, and the Clute Park parking lot for registering and collecting payment for the use of parking space in said lots.

ARTICLE XI

REMOVAL AND STORAGE OF VEHICLES

Section 120. Authority to Impound Vehicles.

- (a) When any vehicle is parked or abandoned on any highway within this village during a snowstorm, flood, fire or other public emergency which affects that portion of the public highway upon which said vehicle is parked or abandoned, said vehicle may be removed by the Police Department or the Department of Streets of the Village of Watkins Glen, New York.
- (b) When any vehicle is found unattended on any highway within this village where said vehicle constitutes an obstruction to traffic, said vehicle may be removed by the Police Department or the Department of Streets of the Village of Watkins Glen, New York.
- (c) When any vehicle is parked or abandoned on any highway within this village where stopping, standing or parking is prohibited, said vehicle may be removed by the Police Department or Department of Streets of the Village of Watkins Glen, New York.

Section 121. Storage and Charges.

After removal of any vehicle as provided in this article, the Police Department or Department of Streets of the Village of Watkins Glen, New York may store such vehicle in a suitable place at the expense of the owner. Such owner, or person in charge of the vehicle may redeem the same upon payment to the Village of Watkins Glen, New York of the amount of all expenses actually and necessarily incurred in effecting such removal.

Section 122. Notice of Removal.

The Police Department or the Department of Streets of the Village of Watkins Glen, New York shall without delay report the removal and the disposition of any vehicle removed as provided in this article to the Police Department of the Village of Watkins Glen, New York and it shall be the duty of such Police Dept. to ascertain to the extent possible the owner of the vehicle or person having same in charge and notify him of the removal and disposition of such vehicle and of the amount which will be required to redeem the same.

ARTICLE XII

TRUCK EXCLUSIONS

Section 130. Trucks over five (5) tons excluded. Trucks in excess of 5 tons are hereby excluded from the following highways within this Village:

- (1) The operation or the parking of any trucks, commercial vehicles, tractors or tractor trailers which have a weight in excess of five (5) tons is hereby prohibited from all

Village streets, except those which are State or County highways, for all purposes other than local delivery or collection services.

- (2) Where a strict adherence to this prohibition would be wasteful, impracticable or against the public interest or safety, the Watkins Glen Village Board of Trustees, may grant a permit or permits which will allow trucks over five (5) tons to operate on Village streets. Such permit(s) shall be granted only upon application of the individual(s) or corporation(s) owning or operating such trucks, and upon good cause shown. Reasonable restrictions may apply. Such permit(s) shall be granted for a one-year term, and shall be renewable annually upon re-application and reconsideration. The Watkins Glen Village Board of Trustees reserves the right to terminate such permit(s) immediately for good cause, or for any reason on thirty (30) days' notice.

Section 131. The regulations established in this article shall not be constructed to prevent the delivery or pick-up of merchandise or other property along the highways from which such vehicles and combinations are otherwise excluded.

ARTICLE XIII

REPEAL OF PRIOR ORDINANCES

Section 140. Local Laws repealed; general.

All prior local laws or parts of local laws of this village regulating traffic are hereby repealed, except that this repeal shall not affect or prevent the prosecution or punishment of any person for any act done or committed in violation of any local law hereby repealed prior to the taking effect of this local law.

Section 141. Local Laws repealed; specific.

The following local laws or parts of local laws are hereby specifically repealed:

- (1) Local Law No. 1 of the Year 2024 of the Village of Watkins Glen, New York, and all amendments thereto.

ARTICLE XIV

FINES AND PENALTIES

Section 150. Fines.

- (a) Unless another penalty is expressly provided by law, every person convicted after trial following a plea of "not guilty" of a violation of any provision of this Local Law shall, for a first conviction, be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) or by imprisonment for not more than fifteen (15) days or both fine and imprisonment. For a second conviction of a violation of this Local Law occurring within eighteen (18) months of the first conviction, the person shall be punished by a fine of not more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) or by imprisonment for not more than forty-five (45) days or by both fine and imprisonment. Upon a third or subsequent conviction occurring within eighteen (18) months after the first conviction, the person shall be punished by a fine of not more than three hundred fifty dollars (\$350) or by imprisonment of not more than ninety (90) days or by both fine and imprisonment.
- (b) Upon a plea of guilty by mail or delivery, the fee imposed for any parking violation shall be an amount listed on the most current fee schedule as approved by resolution of the Board of Trustees.

Section 151. Compounding of fines; impoundment; appeals

- (a) The fee imposed for any parking violation as provided in §150(b) hereof shall be increased 110% if the fee is not paid within 14 days of the issuance of a notice of violation.
- (b) Any vehicle found parked within the boundary line of any public street, highway or right away within the Village of Watkins Glen, having three or more existing parking violations outstanding and unpaid, may be removed or caused to be removed under the direction of a member of the Police Department by towing or otherwise within five (5) days after mailing the registered owner a notice of removal.
- (c) Subsequent to any removal hereunder and prior to release of such vehicle to the owner or registrant thereof, there shall be the following:
 - i. To the Village of Watkins Glen, all sums legally due for any Village of Watkins Glen parking violation issued and outstanding against such vehicle.
 - ii. To the Village of Watkins Glen, a surcharge in the amount of \$50.00 for administrative fees.

- iii. To the towing service, the cost of towing.
 - iv. To the towing service or the Village of Watkins Glen, the cost of storage for each day, and/or portion of a day, that such, that such vehicle is so stored in excess of the first 24 hours.
- (d) No such vehicle shall be released until the owner or his agent has established his identity and right to possession thereof and has signed a proper receipt therefor.
 - (e) Any person, after having his vehicle towed, who removes such vehicle without complying with Subsection (c) above shall, in addition to the charges provided for in said subsections, be subject to a fine of \$100.
 - (f) Violations may be contested by mailing a Not Guilty plea within 14 days from the date of violation to the Watkins Glen Village Court. A date will be scheduled for a first appearance in Watkins Glen Village Court within 30 days to answer the violation. Failure to appear at the first appearance will result in the issuance of a citation letter and the original fine will be increased 110%. A summons will be issued 40 days after the initial violation date. Failure to appear to answer the violation may result in the issuance of a warrant of arrest and/or denial of renewal of registration(s) for the registered owner of the vehicle in violation.

ARTICLE XV

EFFECT OF LOCAL LAW

Section 160. Constitutionality.

If any part or parts of this local law are for any reason held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this local law.

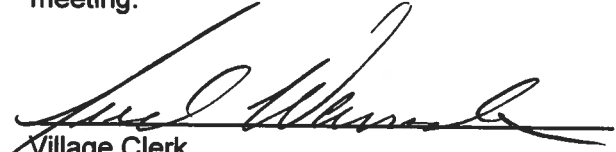
Section 161. Time to take effect.

- (a) This local law shall take effect from and after the first day of September, 2025 except those parts, if any, which are subject to approval under Section 1684 of the Vehicle and Traffic Law of the State of New York.
- (b) Any part or parts of this local law which are subject to approval under Section 1684 of the Vehicle and Traffic Law and Section 46 of the Highway Law of the State of New York shall take effect from and after the day on which approval in writing is received from the New York State Department of Transportation.

WHEREFORE, the foregoing Local Law 1 of 2025 was put to a vote of the members of the Village Board of the Village of Watkins Glen by a motion from Trustee Margaret Schimizzi and seconded by Trustee Bob Carson on July 1, 2025, the result of which the vote was as follows:

	<u>Ayes</u>	<u>Nays</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Mayor Laurie DeNardo	☐	☐	☒
Deputy Mayor Peter G. Cherock	☒	☐	☐
Trustee Bob Carson	☒	☐	☐
Trustee Margaret Schimizzi	☒	☐	☐
Trustee Stephen Klemann	☒	☐	☐

I, Fred Warrick, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of the adopted Local Law by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Watkins Glen at its July 1, 2025 meeting.


Village Clerk