Village of Cohocton

Local Law Tentatively Numbered _____ of the year 2014

A Local Law prohibiting the use of engine compression braking systems within the Village of Cohocton, NY

Be it enacted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Cohocton as follows:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE INTENT

The making and creating of disturbing, excessive, or offensive noise within the jurisdictional limits of the Village of Cohocton is a condition which has persisted and the level and frequency of occurrences of such noises continues to increase. Excessive noise levels are a detriment to the public health, comfort, convenience, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Cohocton. Every person is entitled to an environment in which disturbing, excessive, or offensive noise is not detrimental to his or her life, health, or enjoyment of property.

SECTION 2. PROHIBITED ACTS

All persons operating a vehicle within the Village of Cohocton NY are prohibited from using an engine compression braking system (Jake Brake) within the Village of Cohocton NY.

SECTION 3.

Any person who violates this local law shall be guilty of a violation and shall be subject to a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) for each offense. The Village may also seek injunctive relief to prevent the continued violation of this local law.

SECTION 4.

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