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M I N U T E S
OF THE MEETING
OF THE
PUBLIC HEARING
INCORPORATED VILLAGE OF FLORAL PARK
May 21, 2024
8:00 p.m.

P R E S E N T:

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| KEVIN M. FITZGERALD, | MAYOR |
| DR. LYNN POMBONYO, | DEPUTY MAYOR/TRUSTEE |
| FRANK J. CHIARA, | TRUSTEE |
| JENNIFER STEWART, | TRUSTEE |
| MICHAEL F. LONGOBARDI, | TRUSTEE |

ALSO PRESENT:

- JOHN RYAN, ESQ. Village Attorney
GERARD M. BAMBRICK, Village Administrator
JOSEPH O'GRADY, Village Clerk
RENEE MARCUS, Superintendent of Buildings
WILLIAM DOHERTY, Police Lieutenant
KEVIN GINNANE, Superintendent Public Works

Catherine P. Murphy
Court Reporter

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1 MAYOR FITZGERALD: With that, we would
2 like to move to introduce Local Law Number 2.
3 Mr. O'Grady.

4 MR. O'GRADY: Yes, Mr. Mayor. The Notice
5 of Public Hearing was posted. Please Take
6 Notice that pursuant to Article 9 of the New
7 York State Constitution, the provisions of the
8 Code of the Incorporated Village of Floral Park
9 and the Municipal Home Rule Law of the State of
10 New York, as amended, a public hearing will be
11 held in the Incorporated Village of Floral Park
12 at the Village Hall, One Floral Boulevard,
13 Floral Park on the 21st day of May, 2024 at
14 8:00 in the evening of that day, to consider
15 enactment of a Local Law entitled: A Local Law
16 amending section 81-8 of the Code of the
17 Incorporated Village of Floral Park, which
18 regulates the chaining of bicycles and other
19 similar equipment.

20 MAYOR FITZGERALD: I'd like to announce
21 that the Board had previously adopted a
22 resolution determining that the application
23 does not have a significant impact on the
24 environment.

25 Just real quick with this Local Law. We

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1 have seen a little bit uptick of people
2 chaining bicycles to parking meters and
3 obstructing sidewalks in certain places and we
4 want to have some way to enforce those being
5 removed and we need to have this Local Law to
6 do that. There's an exception for children
7 under 10 or a baby doing that. If a child is
8 going to the pizza store and puts their bike on
9 the chain, that's not what this is intended
10 for.

11 Is there anyone in the audience that would
12 like to speak on the Local Law? Anyone on
13 Zoom? Any Board members that would like to
14 comment on the Local Law?

15 With that, I'd like to ask for a motion to
16 adopt Local Law Number 2 of 2024.

17 TRUSTEE POMBONYO: So moved.

18 TRUSTEE CHIARA: Second.

19 MAYOR FITZGERALD: Mr. O'Grady, can you
20 poll the Board.

21 MR. O'GRADY: Trustee Pombonyo?

22 TRUSTEE POMBONYO: Aye.

23 MR. O'GRADY: Trustee Chiara?

24 TRUSTEE CHIARA: Aye.

25 MR. O'GRADY: Trustee Stewart?

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TRUSTEE STEWART: Aye.

MR. O'GRADY: Trustee Longobardi?

TRUSTEE LONGOBARDI: Aye.

MR. O'GRADY: Mayor Fitzgerald?

MAYOR FITZGERALD: Aye.

Certified to be a true and
accurate transcript of the proceedings.

CATHERINE P. MURPHY
Court Reporter