



**LOCAL LAW (INTRODUCTORY NO. 8 - 2020)  
COUNTY OF LEWIS**

Introduced by Legislator Thomas Osborne, Chair of the Finance & Rules Committee.

**A LOCAL LAW RESCINDING LOCAL LAW NO. 6-2020 TO OVERRIDE THE TAX  
LEVY LIMIT ESTABLISHED BY GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW § 3-C (A/K/A 2%  
TAX CAP) FOR THE LEWIS COUNTY 2021 BUDGET**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Board of Legislators of the County of Lewis as follows:

**SECTION 1 TITLE**

This Local Law shall be known as “**A LOCAL LAW RESCINDING LAW NO. 6-2020 TO OVERRIDE THE TAX LEVY LIMIT ESTABLISHED BY GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW § 3-C (A/K/A 2% TAX CAP) FOR THE LEWIS COUNTY 2021 BUDGET.**”

**SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS**

The Board of Legislators for the County of Lewis hereby finds and determines that the anticipated budgetary needs for fiscal 2021 will have Lewis County remain within the tax levy limit established by General Municipal Law § 3-c, and more commonly referred to as the “2% tax cap”, as that term is therein defined and calculated.

**SECTION 3. ENACTMENT AUTHORITY**

This Local Law is adopted pursuant to authority provided in section 10 of the Municipal Home Rule Law of the State of New York as well as the specific authority found in General Municipal Law § 3-c[5].

**SECTION 4. OVERRIDE AUTHORIZATION NOT REQUIRED**

The Board of Legislators has adopted a budget for fiscal year 2021 that does not exceed the “tax levy limit” as that term is defined and calculated pursuant to the provisions of General Municipal Law § 3-c, and therefore, the Board of Legislators authorize rescission of Local Law No. 6-2020.

**SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE**

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

**RESOLUTION NO. 306 - 2020**

**FIXING DATE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON LOCAL LAW  
(INTRODUCTORY LOCAL LAW NO. 8-2020), COUNTY OF LEWIS**

Introduced by Legislator Thomas Osborne, Chair of the Finance & Rules Committee.

WHEREAS, there will be presented and introduced at a meeting of this Board of Legislators to be held on November 19, 2020 a proposed Local Law entitled "LOCAL LAW RESCINDING LOCAL LAW NO. 6-2020 TO OVERRIDE THE TAX LEVY LIMIT ESTABLISHED BY GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW § 3-C (A/K/A 2% TAX CAP) FOR THE LEWIS COUNTY 2021 BUDGET."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as follows:

Section 1. That a public hearing will be held on December 1, 2020, from 5:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., before the Lewis County Board of Legislators on the Second Floor Board Room at the Lewis County Courthouse, New York, 7660 North State Street, Lowville, New York to hear all persons for or against such local law.

Section 2. That at least five (5) days notice of such hearing shall be given by the Clerk of this Board by the due posting thereof upon the bulletin board of the Lewis County Court House, Lowville, New York, and by publishing such notice at least once in the official newspaper of the County.

Moved by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_,  
and adopted.

**RESOLUTION NO. 307 - 2020**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE OPENING OF  
A SECTION OF COUNTY ROUTE 194 IN THE TOWN OF PINCKNEY  
FOR THE LEWIS COUNTY SNOWMOBILE TRAIL**

Introduced by Legislator Jerry King, Chair of the General Services Committee.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 25.09 of the NYS Parks and Recreation Law, county highways within a town, outside of a city or village, may be designated as open to snowmobiles by the town governing body, provided that the County highway superintendent has issued a prior written approval thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Lewis County Highway Department received a request from the Barnes Corners Sno Pals and the Lewis County Director of Recreation, Forestry and Parks for .8 miles of County Route 194 to be open for snowmobile access due to a trail closure; and

WHEREAS, the Lewis County Board of Legislators set a public hearing for November 19, 2020 to consider the request to open a portion of County Route 194 to the snowmobile trail; and

WHEREAS, the portion of the trail is an opening of .8 miles of County Route 194 from the intersection of Corey Road, southwest to the intersection in the Town of Pinckney; and

WHEREAS, the Lewis County Superintendent of Highways examined the road and notes that the Town of Pinckney maintains this portion of the County Road, and that he has no objection to the opening of this section of County Route 194 to the Lewis County Snowmobile Trail; and

WHEREAS, the Lewis County Superintendent of Highways has issued a written approval for the opening of this portion of the Road for snowmobile access; and

WHEREAS, the Lewis County Board of Legislators now seeks to approve this request;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Legislators hereby authorizes the County Highway Superintendent to review, and in his discretion, approve the opening of the following county highway or sections thereof subject to appropriate town and/or village action in opening such highways or sections thereof:

- .8 miles of County Route 194 from the intersection of Corey Road, southwest to the intersection in the Town of Pinckney

Section 2. That upon the approval of the Lewis County Highway Superintendent, the Lewis County Board of Legislators hereby approves the opening of a section of County Road Route 194 in the Town of Pinckney as hereinabove described, for snowmobile access.

Section 3. That this resolution shall take effect immediately.

Moved by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_,  
and adopted.

**RESOLUTION NO. 308 - 2020**

**UPDATED DESIGNATION OF DEPOSITORIES FOR 2020**

Introduced by Legislator Thomas Osborne, Chair of the Finance & Rules Committee.

WHEREAS, Section 212 of the County Law and General Municipal Law Section 10 provide that the Board of Legislators shall designate one or more depositories for deposit of all monies received by the County Treasurer, and specify the maximum amount which may be kept on deposit in each depository; and

WHEREAS, upon the recommendation of investment advisors, the County Treasurer requests the Board of Legislators to amend the 2020 authorized designation of depositories to include Chemung Canal Trust Company, of Elmira, NY, to the list of authorized depositories for deposit of County monies received;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

Section 1. That the following named banks, banking associations or trust company be designated as depositories for County of Lewis monies up to the maximum amount as set opposite each named:

Community Bank N.A.	\$25,000,000.
Key Bank of Central NY N.A.	\$25,000,000.
Chase Bank	\$25,000,000.
Adirondack Bank	\$25,000,000.
RBC Wealth Management	\$30,000,000.
Chemung Canal Trust Company	\$25,000,000.

Section 2. That the Clerk of the Board be and she hereby is authorized and directed to file a certified copy of this resolution in the office of the Lewis County Clerk.

Section 3. That the within resolution shall take effect immediately.

Moved by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_,  
and adopted.

**RESOLUTION NO. 309 - 2020**

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR  
COMMENCING JANUARY 1, 2021 MAKING APPROPRIATIONS  
FOR THE CONDUCT OF COUNTY GOVERNMENT AND  
ESTABLISHING RATES OF COMPENSATION FOR OFFICERS  
AND EMPLOYEES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021**

Introduced by Legislator Thomas Osborne, Chair of the Finance & Rules Committee.

WHEREAS, the governing body has met and considered the 2021 Tentative County Budget and has conducted a public hearing thereon as required by Section 359 of the County Law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

Section 1. That the Tentative Budget as amended and revised and as hereinafter set forth is hereby adopted and that the several amounts as set forth in the "Adopted" column of such budget be and hereby are appropriated for the objects and purposes specified, and the salaries and wages set forth in Schedule 5 of that budget shall be and hereby are fixed at the amount shown therein, or by employees' contracts in effect on January 1, 2021.

Moved by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_,  
and adopted by the following roll call vote:

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

**RESOLUTION NO. 310 - 2020**

**ASSESSING AND LEVYING AMOUNT OF TAX CALLED FOR  
UNDER THE COUNTY BUDGET AS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF  
LEGISLATORS ON THE 19th DAY OF NOVEMBER 2020  
AS PROVIDED FOR UNDER COUNTY LAW**

Introduced by Legislator Thomas Osborne, Chair of the Finance & Rules Committee.

WHEREAS, the Board of Legislators of the County of Lewis by Resolution No. \_\_\_\_ - 2020 adopted on the 19th day of November 2020, has adopted a County Budget for fiscal year 2021; and

WHEREAS, the said Board of Legislators by Resolution No. \_\_\_\_ - 2020 adopted on the 19th day of November 2020, has made appropriations for the conduct of Lewis County Government for fiscal year 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

Section 1. That there be, and hereby is, assessed and levied upon and against the taxable property of the County of Lewis liable therefore the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

Moved by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Legislator \_\_\_\_\_, and adopted by the following roll call vote:

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT: