

**TOWN OF HAMILTON  
PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. B OF 2020**

**A LOCAL LAW OVERRIDING THE TAX LEVY LIMIT ESTABLISHED  
IN GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW § 3-C IN THE TOWN OF HAMILTON**

Be it enacted by the Town Board of the Town of Hamilton as follows:

**SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE INTENT**

It is the intent of this local law to override the limit on the amount of real property taxes that may be levied by the Town of Hamilton, County of Madison pursuant to General Municipal Law §3-c, and to allow the Town of Hamilton to adopt a Town budget for (a) Town purposes; (b) fire protection districts; and (c) any other special or improvement district governed by the Town Board for the fiscal year 2021, that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the “tax levy limit” as defined by the General Municipal Law §3-c.

**SECTION 2. AUTHORITY**

This local law is adopted pursuant to Subdivision 5 of the General Municipal Law §3-c, which expressly authorizes the Town Board to override the tax levy limit by the adoption of a local law approved by a vote of sixty percent (60%) of the Town Board.

**SECTION 3. TAX LEVY LIMIT OVERRIDE**

The Town Board of the Town of Hamilton, County of Madison, is hereby authorized to adopt a budget for the fiscal year 2021 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the limit specified in General Municipal Law §3-c.

**SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY**

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, section, article or part of this Local Law shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operations to the clause, sentence, paragraph, section, article, or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered.

**SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State.