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LOCAL LAW NO. 1 - 2019

A LOCAL LAW ELIMINATING THE BURIAL FEE FOR VETERANS, VETERANS' SPOUSES AND VETERANS' DEPENDENTS ELIGIBLE FOR BURIAL WITHIN THE ONONDAGA COUNTY VETERANS CEMETERY, AND AMENDING LOCAL LAW NO. 10-2013

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF ONONDAGA COUNTY AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Findings/Purpose.

The Onondaga County Veterans Cemetery honors Onondaga County residents and family members who dedicated portions of their lives to military service and the defense of our nation. In recognition of their valued service to this country and this community, Onondaga County determines it is in the interest of the County to eliminate the \$500.00 per person fee for burial within the Onondaga County Veterans Cemetery for those Veterans, Veterans' spouses, and dependents eligible for burial within the Veterans Cemetery.

Section 2. Effect on Existing Legislation.

Local Law No. 10-2013 hereby is amended by striking the \$500.00 per person Veterans Cemetery Burial Fee and substituting "No Fee (\$0.00) Veterans Cemetery Burial."

Section 3. Prepaid Burial Fees.

Burial fees prepaid to the County for the burial of Veterans, Veterans' spouses and dependents within the County Veterans Cemetery shall be reimbursed by the County, where the burial has not occurred as of the effective date of this local law. Reimbursement will be made pursuant to applications to be made available at the time this local law takes effect.

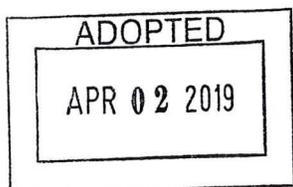
Section 4. Severability.

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, section, subdivision or other part of this Local Law or its applications shall be adjudged by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such order or judgment shall not affect, impair, or otherwise invalidate the remainder of this Local Law which shall remain in full force and effect except as expressly limited by such order or judgment.

Section 5. Effective Date.

This local law shall take effect May 1, 2019 and shall be filed consistent with the provisions of the Municipal Home Rule Law.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF LEGISLATION DULY ADOPTED BY THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF ONONDAGA COUNTY ON THE

2nd DAY OF April, 2019.

Deborah A. Matus

CLERK, COUNTY LEGISLATURE
ONONDAGA COUNTY, NEW YORK

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