

LOCAL LAW NO. 6 of 2019

A Local Law known and cited as Reduction of Speed Limit on North State Road

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

SECTION 1. Purpose and Intent. This Local Law will reduce the speed limit on North State Road within the Unincorporated Town of Ossining between Chappaqua Road and the New Castle border from the Town-wide speed limit of 30 miles per hour (“mph”) to 25 mph. This was recommended by the Town’s consulting planner, Sam Schwartz, as a mechanism to provide a safer environment on North State Road where vehicles currently often exceed to 30 mph speed limit and also make it more conducive to alternative transportation modes, such as walking and bicycling, which the Town Board has been considering on North State Road as part of the Millwood-Ossining Go, MOGO, Bicycle and Pedestrian Connectivity Plan. New York Vehicle and Traffic Law § 1662-a authorizes suburban towns (as defined in Article 3-a of New York Town Law and which the Town of Ossining was designated as effective January 1, 1964) to reduce the speed limit along designated highways within the Town to no less than 25 mph.

SECTION 2. Be it enacted by the Town Board of the Town of Ossining as follows (Language in **Bold and Underlined** to be added, language in ~~**Strikethrough and bold and underlined**~~ to be deleted):

SECTION 3. Amending Existing Provision. Chapter 188 (entitled “Vehicles and Traffic”), Article IV (entitled “Speed Regulations”), Section 7 (entitled “Speed limits”) of the Town Code is hereby amended as follows:

Name of Street	Speed Limit (miles per hour)	Location
<u>North State Road</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>Between Chappaqua Road and the New Castle border</u>

SECTION 4. Validity. The invalidity of any provision of this Local Law shall not affect the validity of any other portion of this Local Law which can be given effect without such invalid provision.

SECTION 5. Effective Date. This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing in the office of the Secretary of State.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF
THE TOWN OF OSSINING