



VILLAGE OF DOBBS FERRY BOARD OF TRUSTEES AGENDA

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AGENDA ITEM: CONSIDER A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING LICENSED USE OF ON-STREET PARKING AS PARKLETS FOR USE BY LOCAL BUSINESSES
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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING LICENSED USE OF ON-STREET
PARKING AS PARKLETS FOR USE BY LOCAL BUSINESSES**

WHEREAS, on March 7, 2020, Governor Andrew M. Cuomo issued Executive Order Number 202, declaring a State-wide emergency in connection with the COVID-19 global pandemic, and thereafter issued directives in furtherance of such Executive Order for the protection of health of the public, including workforce reductions and suspension or limitation on indoor dining at food establishments and indoor patronage at local shops and service businesses; and

WHEREAS, in furtherance of its efforts to address impacts of COVID-19 on local businesses, especially restaurants, and to reduce the risks posed by the ongoing pandemic on the health and welfare of its residents and the public, the Village of Dobbs Ferry will temporarily amend on-street parking on Cedar and Main Streets.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT in connection with Executive Order 202, for the protection of the health and safety of the public and in an effort to lessen ongoing effects of the COVID-19 crisis on local businesses, the Board of Trustees of the Village of Dobbs Ferry hereby temporarily amends on-street parking for Cedar and Main Streets to make additional outdoor space available for licensed use by local businesses with the total number of parking spaces not to exceed 25; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT the Board authorizes continuation of a “parklets” program whereby local businesses may enter into agreements for the licensing of no more than 3 on-street parking spaces, which must be on the street immediately in front of and no wider than their place of business, for the protection of health and safety of patrons, staff and the public, to use in furtherance of their businesses; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT the license for use of a parklet shall be subject to conditions including: (i) compliance with all State and local laws and regulations, including but not limited to the State Liquor Authority for the serving of alcoholic beverages, NYS Uniform Codes for electricity usage and Executive Orders and directives related to the COVID-19 pandemic; (ii) that businesses will require their employees to use off street parking only; (iii) term commencing April 1, 2021 and expiring November 28, 2021; (iv) license fee equivalent to \$175 per space, per month, which will applied by the Village to help defray the loss of parking revenue and the expense of purchase and installation of safety equipment for each parklet.