

TOWN BOARD

TOWN OF BRUNSWICK

INTRODUCTORY LOCAL LAW NO. 3 OF THE YEAR 2021

**A LOCAL LAW TO OPT OUT OF ALLOWING ON-SITE CONSUMPTION
SITES AS AUTHORIZED UNDER CANNABIS LAW, ARTICLE 4**

Be it enacted by the Town Board of the Town of Brunswick, County of Rensselaer, as follows:

Section 1. Legislative Intent.

It is the intent of this local law to opt out of allowing on-site cannabis consumption sites in the Town of Brunswick that would otherwise be allowed under Cannabis Law, Article 4.

Section 2. Authority.

This local law is adopted pursuant to Cannabis Law ' 131 which expressly authorizes the town board to adopt a local law requesting the Cannabis Control Board to prohibit the establishment of cannabis retail dispensary licenses and/or on-site consumption licenses within the jurisdiction of the town and is subject to permissive referendum, the procedure of which is governed by Municipal Home Rule Law ' 24.

Section 3. Local Opt-Out.

The Town Board of the Town of Brunswick hereby opts out of allowing on-site cannabis consumption sites from being established and operated within the jurisdiction of the Town of Brunswick and requests that the Cannabis Control Board prohibit the establishment of cannabis on-site consumption licenses within the Town of Brunswick.

Section 4. Severability.

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision or part of this local law or the application thereof to any person, individual, firm or corporation, or circumstance, shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such order shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, or part of this local law or in its application to the person, individual, firm or corporation, or circumstance, directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment or order shall be rendered.

Section 5. Permissive Referendum/Referendum on Petition.

This local law is subject to a referendum on petition in accordance with Cannabis Law ' 1

131 and the procedure set forth in Municipal Home Rule Law ' 24.

Section 6. Effective Date.

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