

LOCAL LAW NUMBER #3 OF 2023

A LOCAL LAW OF THE TOWN OF GENOA AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT WITH KING FERRY FOOD PANTRY TO PROVIDE FOOD TO THE NEEDY OF THE RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN OF GENOA, NEW YORK

SECTION 1 - AUTHORITY: This local law is enacted pursuant to the authority of Section 10 (1)(ii)(a)(12) of the Municipal Home Rule Law which authorizes the Town of Genoa to adopt a local law that would advance and protect the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the Town of Genoa by contracting with the King Ferry Food Pantry for their services of providing food and/or commodities to the residents of our township, to the best of their ability.

SECTION 2 - CONTRACT: The Town Supervisor of the Town of Genoa is hereby empowered to enter into a contract with the King Ferry Food Pantry on an annual basis commencing in 2024 by resolution 72-2023 based on 2023 data submitted to the Town Supervisor in February of 2024. A contractual commitment to the King Ferry Food Pantry is being established at \$1,000 to be paid in the year 2024. Each year after, funds to the pantry may change based on documentation provided by the food pantry to the town regarding the number of town of Genoa residents that are being served on an annual basis. The Town has to have the ability to audit and verify the proper use of these public funds, as well as acknowledging that there is some proportional public benefit to town taxpayers that justifies this expenditure. Local Law #3 of 2023 may be amended at anytime by the Town Board.

Section 3 - Severability: If any portion of this article, or the application thereof to any person, entity, or circumstance, shall be determined by any court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unenforceable, such determination shall be confined in its operation to the invalid part hereof, or in its application to such person, entity, or circumstance as is directly involved in the controversy in which such determination shall have been rendered, and the remainder of this article shall not be impaired thereby, and such determination shall not be deemed or construed to apply to other persons, entities, or circumstances.

SECTION 4 - EFFECTIVE DATE: This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the office of the New York Secretary of State pursuant to Municipal Home Rule Law 27