## TOWN OF CHESTER 1786 KINGS HIGHWAY CHESTER, NY 10918

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

## TOWN OF CHESTER INTRODUCTORY LOCAL LAW 3 OF 2024 A LOCAL LAW TO ESTABLISH A CONSERVATION ADVISORY COUNCIL PURSUANT TO GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW § 239-X.

**Please take notice** that the Town Board of the Town of Chester will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, April 10, 2024 at 7 PM in the Town Hall Meeting Room, 1786 Kings Highway, Chester, NY. Said public hearing is to hear comments on the above captioned proposed local law.

Section 1. Chapter xx, entitled "Conservation Advisory Council" is hereby adopted to read as follows:

## § xx-1. Legislative intent.

The preservation and improvement of the quality of the natural and man-made environment within the Town of Chester, in the face of population growth, urbanization and technologic change with their accompanying demands on natural resources, are found to be of increasing and vital importance to the health, welfare and economic well-being of present and future inhabitants and require forthright action by the governing body of the Town of Chester. It is recognized that the biologic integrity of the natural environment on which man is dependent for survival and the natural and functional beauty of our surroundings which condition the quality of our life experience cannot be protected without the full cooperation and participation of all the people of the Town working in partnership with local and state officials and with various public and private institutions, agencies and organizations. Establishment of a Conservation Board is a necessary step in fostering unified action on environmental problems.

A copy of the proposed local law is on file in the Town Clerk's Office and is available for inspection during normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8 am to 5 pm).

Any person interested in the proposed local law may appear in person or by agent. All written communications should be addressed to the Board at the above address.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD TOWN OF CHESTER

LINDA A. ZAPPALA TOWN CLERK

DATED: MARCH 14, 2024