

## **LOCAL LAW 5-2014**

A local law to amend Section 296, Streets and Sidewalks, of the Code of the Village of Mamaroneck to address disposal of snow and ice on the streets and sidewalks of the Village.

Be it enacted by the **Village Board of Trustees** of the **Village of Mamaroneck** as follows:

### **Section 1: Purpose.**

The purpose of this local law is to address the issue of property owners and their tenants depositing snow and ice on the streets and sidewalks of the Village, creating dangerous conditions and interfering with snow removal operations of the Village. It is the intention of the Village Board to regulate these activities in order to provide for the public safety and allow for greater efficiency in Village snow removal operations.

### **Section 2: Section 296-1, Removal of snow, ice and other materials, of the Village Code is hereby amended by adding a new sub-paragraphs C through E as follows:**

§296-1.C. The owners, tenant, lessee, occupants or person in charge of buildings adjacent to public sidewalks shall take any action necessary to prevent the falling of snow, ice and water from such buildings onto said public sidewalks.

§296-1.D. No person or entity shall deposit, plow, throw or place, nor shall any person or entity cause to be deposited, plowed, thrown, placed or strewn, any snow or ice upon any street or sidewalk within the Village so as to create a hazard for pedestrians or vehicles.

§296-1.E. No person or entity shall pile, gather up, plow up or in any way force any snow or ice upon any land within six (6) feet of any street, highway or roadway in such a manner as to cause the height of the snow and ice so piled, gathered, plowed or forced to exceed three (3) feet six (6) inches in height above the existing natural grade, and no snow or ice shall be piled so as to cover or prevent access to a fire hydrant.

### **Section 3: SEVERABILITY**

If the provisions of any article, section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision or clause of this local law shall be judged invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such order of judgment shall not affect or invalidate the remainder of any article, section, subsection, paragraph, subdivision or clause of this local law.

### **Section 4: EFFECTIVE DATE**

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing in the office of the New York State Secretary of State in accordance with Section 27 of the Municipal Home Rule Law.