



VILLAGE OF CHITTENANGO
222 Genesee Street
Chittenango, New York

**VILLAGE OF CHITTENANGO
RESOLUTION NO. 003 OF 2026**

**A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING SMOKE-FREE, VAPE-FREE, AND DRUG-FREE
POLICY ON VILLAGE-OWNED PROPERTY**

WHEREAS the Board of Trustees of the Village of Chittenango is committed to protecting the health, safety, and welfare of its residents, employees, and visitors; and

WHEREAS exposure to secondhand smoke, vapor emissions, and illegal drug use poses known health risks; and

WHEREAS the use of tobacco products, electronic cigarettes, vaping devices, and illegal drugs on public property is inconsistent with the Village's goal of maintaining clean, safe, and family-friendly public spaces.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Chittenango as follows:

Section 1. Definitions

For the purposes of this Resolution:

- "Smoking" means inhaling, exhaling, burning, or carrying any lighted or heated cigar, cigarette, pipe, or other tobacco or plant product.
- "Vaping" means the use of an electronic device that creates an aerosol or vapor, including e-cigarettes, vape pens, or similar devices.
- "Drugs" means any illegal controlled substance or the unlawful use of prescription medications.

Section 2. Prohibited Conduct

Smoking, vaping, and the use of illegal drugs shall be prohibited on all Village-owned property, including but not limited to:

- Municipal buildings and offices
- Parks, playgrounds, and recreational facilities
- Any vehicles owned or operated by the Village



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Section 3. Buffer Zone Requirement

Smoking and vaping shall also be prohibited within twenty-five (25) feet of the entrances, exits, windows, and perimeter of any Village-owned building or property.

Section 4. Enforcement

- This Resolution shall be enforced by local law enforcement officers and any authorized Village personnel.
- Individuals found in violation may be subject to removal from the property and/or penalties as permitted by law.

Section 5. Signage

The Village shall post appropriate signage at entrances and throughout Village-owned properties to inform the public of this policy.

Section 6. Severability

If any provision of this Resolution is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions which can be given effect without the invalid provision.

Section 7. Effective Date

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

Adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Chittenango on this ____ day of _____, 2026.



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The question of the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly put to a vote, and upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Louis Cianfrocco, Mayor	Yes/No
Melinda Kopp, Trustee	Yes/No
Colleen Baldwin, Trustee	Yes/No
Wayne Horning, Trustee	Yes/No
Russell Wehner, Trustee	Yes/No

The foregoing resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Dated: _____

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this resolution was adopted _____ and is recorded in the Meeting Minutes of the Village of Chittenango Village Board.

Village Clerk