

TOWN OF OPPENHEIM

LOCAL LAW NO. __ OF 2019

**A LOCAL LAW TO ESTABLISH THE
OFFICE OF A SINGLE APPOINTED
ASSESSOR PURSUANT TO SECITON 328 OF
THE REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW**

BE IT ENACTED by the Town Board of the Town of Oppenheim as follows:

Section 1 – Legislative Intent.

The legislative intent of this Local Law is to establish the office of a single appointed Assessor pursuant to Real Property Tax Law § 328. It is the intent of this local law to abolish the Board of three elected Assessors in the Town of Oppenheim and to substitute therefor a single appointed Assessor to be appointed pursuant to Real Property Tax Law § 310.

Section 2 – Abolition of Offices of Board of three elected Assessors.

The offices of the three elected Assessors as previously established and continued by the Town of Oppenheim are hereby abolished effective December 31, 2019.

Section 3 – Appointment.

In place and in stead of the Board of three elected Assessors, the Town of Oppenheim shall have one single Assessor to be appointed by the Town Board of the Town of Oppenheim. Such initial term of office will be from January 1, 2020, to September 30, 2025.

Section 4 – Term of Office.

The term of office for said appointed assessor shall be six years, with the current term beginning October 1, 2019, and terminating on September 30, 2025.

Section 5 – Qualifications.

The qualifications for the office of appointed Assessor shall be the minimum qualifications and standards set by the State Board of Equalization and Assessment as of the date of appointment to the office.

Section 6 – Local Law Not Subject to Referendum.

This Local Law shall not be subject to a referendum.

Section 7 – Effective Date.

This Local Law shall take effect upon filing with the New York Secretary of State.