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September 20, 2012

Town Clerk
6971 Number Four Rd
Lowville NY 13367

RE: Town of Watson, Local Law 1 2012, filed on September 14, 2012

Dear Sir/Madam:

The above referenced material was filed by this office as indicated. Additional local law filing forms can be obtained from our website, www.dos.state.n .us.

Sincerely,
State Records and Law Bureau
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New York State Department of State
Division of Corporations, State Records and Uniform Commercial Code
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Local Law Filing

(Use this form to file a local law with the Secretary of State.)

Text of law should be given as amended. Do not include matter being eliminated and do not use italics or underlining to indicate new matter.

☐ County ☐ City ☒ Town ☐ Village
(Select one:) of
Watson

Local Law No. 1 of the year 2012

A local law providing for written notification of defects and obstructions on town highways, bridges,

(Insert Title) streets, sidewalks, crosswalks and culverts in the
Town of Watson.

Be it enacted by the Town Board

(Name of Legislative Body)

☐ County ☐ City ☒ Town ☐ Village
(Select one:) of Watson as follows:

See attached sheet.

LOCAL LAW NUMBER I OF 2012 OF THE TOWN OF WATSON

A local law providing for written notification of defects and obstructions on town highways, bridges, streets, sidewalks, crosswalks and culverts in the Town of Watson.

Be it enacted by the Town Board of the Town of Watson as follows:

Article 1.----Statement of Authority. This local law is adopted pursuant to the authority granted to the Town Board of the Town of Watson under Town Law Section 65-a and Municipal Home Rule Law Sections 10 and 20.

Article 2.---Terms

Section 1. No civil action shall be maintained against the Town or the Town Superintendent of Highways for damages or injury to person or property sustained by reason of any highway, bridge, street, sidewalk, crosswalk, or culvert being defective, out of repair, unsafe, dangerous, or obstructed unless written notice of such defective, unsafe, dangerous, or obstructed condition of such highway, bridge, street, sidewalk, crosswalk, or culvert was actually given to the Town Clerk or Town Superintendent of Highways, and there was a failure or neglect within a reasonable time after the giving of such notice to repair or remove the defect, danger, or obstruction complained of. No such action shall be maintained for damages or injuries to person or property sustained solely in consequence of the existence of snow or ice upon any highway, bridge, street, sidewalk, crosswalk, or culvert, unless written notice thereof, specifying the particular place, was actually given to the Town Clerk or Town Superintendent of Highways and there was failure or neglect to cause such snow or ice to be removed, or to make such place otherwise reasonably safe within a reasonable time after the receipt of such notice.

Section 2. The Town Superintendent of Highways shall transmit in writing to the Town Clerk within five days after the receipt thereof all written notices received pursuant to this local law and subdivision 2 of section 65-a of the Town Law. The Town Clerk shall cause all written notices received pursuant to this local law and subdivision 2 of section 65-a of the Town Law, to be presented to the Town Board within five days of the receipt thereof or at the next scheduled Town Board meeting, whichever shall be sooner. Pursuant to subdivision 4 of section 65-a of the Town Law, the Town Clerk shall keep a separate record indexed by location of all such notices received.

Section 3. This local law shall supersede in its application to the Town of Watson, subdivisions 1 and 3 of section 65-a of the Town Law.

Section 4. This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing in the office of the Secretary of State.