

**TOWN OF FARMINGTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that a public hearing will be held by the Town Board of the Town of Farmington on the 8th day of September, 2020, at 7:00 p.m., at the Farmington Town Hall, 1000 County Road 8, Farmington, New York, regarding the adoption of a Local Law of the Town of Farmington for the year 2020 entitled “A Local Law Establishing a Moratorium on Solar Collection Systems and Solar Farms”. This local law would establish within the Town of Farmington a six (6) month moratorium on the review, approval or creation of any expansions to existing solar collection systems or solar farms or the approval of new solar collection systems or solar farms anywhere within the Town as well as the processing, granting or issuing of any preliminary or final site plan approvals, building permits, variances, special use permits or other approvals regarding such expansions to or new solar collection systems or solar farms anywhere within the Town of Farmington during the pendency of the local law. Exceptions to this moratorium are:

1. that reviews of existing special use permits that are required to come regularly before the Town for re-approval may be reviewed and approved by the Town, provided such applications do not request any modifications to the existing solar collection systems or solar farms; and
2. that no part of the moratorium shall apply to any complete application pertaining to any expansions to existing solar collection systems or solar farms or pertaining to any new solar collection systems or solar farms, provided that, prior to this local law taking effect, such complete application has been properly filed with the Town and the filing fee due to the Town on such application has been fully paid to the Town.

Any resident of the Town of Farmington shall be entitled to be heard upon said proposed Local Law at such public hearing. Copies of said proposed Local Law are available for review at the Farmington Town Hall, 1000 County Road 8, Farmington, New York.

This by Resolution of the Town Board of the Town of Farmington.

Michelle Finley, MMC RMC
Farmington Town Clerk