

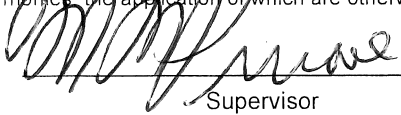
Account Description	Fee Description	Account#	Qty	Local Share
Building Permits	Building Permit	B 2590	3	272.16
			Sub-Total:	\$272.16
Certificate Of Occupancy	Certificate Of Occupancy	B 2590	2	250.00
			Sub-Total:	\$250.00
Clerk Fees	Municipal Search	0604704056	3	300.00
			Sub-Total:	\$300.00
Conservation	Conservation	A1255	5	12.69
			Sub-Total:	\$12.69
Dog Licensing	Female, Spayed	A2544	3	33.00
Dog Licensing	Female, Unspayed	A2544	1	16.00
Dog Licensing	Male, Neutered	A2544	1	11.00
Dog Licensing	Male, Unneutered	A2544	1	16.00
Dog Licensing	Replacement Tags	A2544	1	3.00
			Sub-Total:	\$79.00
Other Permits	Septic System Permit	B 2590	1	200.00
Other Unclassified Revenues	Short Term Rental	A2770	2	300.00
			Sub-Total:	\$500.00
Photocopies	Photocopies	B 5095	17	4.25
			Sub-Total:	\$4.25
Registrar Fees	Registrar Fees	A1255	2	20.00
			Sub-Total:	\$20.00
Town Clerk Fees	Death Certificate/Copies	A 1255	24	240.00
			Sub-Total:	\$240.00
Total Local Shares Remitted:				\$1,678.10

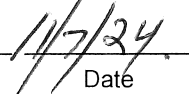
Amount paid to: NYS Ag. & Markets for spay/neuter program 10.00
 Amount paid to: NYS Environmental Conservation 217.31

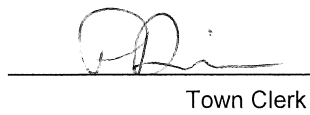
Total State, County & Local Revenues: \$1,905.41 **Total Non-Local Revenues: \$227.31**

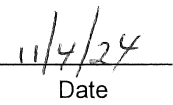
To the Supervisor:

Pursuant to Section 27, Sub 1, of the Town Law, I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and true statement of all fees and monies received by me, Phyllis Dinkelacker, Town Clerk, Town of Athens during the period stated above, in connection with my office, excepting only such fees and monies the application of which are otherwise provided for by law.


 Supervisor


 Date


 Town Clerk


 Date

	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>	<i>Aye</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>Abstain</i>
Michael Pirrone	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rebecca Pine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mary Brandow	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Anthony Paluch	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tami Bone	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Total</i>	<u>5</u>		<u>5</u>		

I, Council member Becky Pine offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, the Town Board for the Town of Athens believes it to be in the best interest of the citizens and taxpayers of the town to craft a financially prudent, but reasonable and realistic town budget for 2025, without being restricted by an artificial and unworkable 2.0 % tax cap limitation; and

WHEREAS, Local Law No. 4 of the Year 2024 is a Local Law to Override the Tax Levy Limit for Fiscal Year 2025 Established by General Municipal Law §3-c, and to allow the Town of Athens to adopt a Town Budget for town purposes, fire protection districts, and other special or improvement districts governed by the Town Board for the Fiscal Year 2025 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the tax levy limit as defined by GML §3-c; and

WHEREAS, the Local Law expressly authorizes the Town Board to override the tax levy limit by the adoption of a Local Law by a vote of 60% of the Town Board; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board held a public hearing on November 7, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. at the Athens Town Hall, 2 First Street, Athens, NY 12015, for the purpose of hearing public comments on the adoption of Local Law No. 4 of 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has considered the application of the State Environmental Quality Review Act and hereby determines that the proposed Local Law constitutes a Type II action for which an environmental assessment form shall not be required;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved as follows:

RESOLVED, that Local Law No.4 of the Year 2024 of the Town of Athens, a Local Law to Override the Tax Levy Limit Established in General Municipal Law §3-c is hereby adopted, and effective upon its filing with the New York State Department of State.

Seconded by Council member Tami Bone, offered for discussion and duly put to a vote, the results of which appear above.

Approved as to form and adopted this,
7th day of November 2024.

ATTEST:

Phyllis Dinkelacker
Athens, Town Clerk

APPROVED:

Michael N. Pirrone
Athens, Town Supervisor

PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. 4 OF THE YEAR 2024
A LOCAL LAW ADOPTING A REVISION TO CHAPTER 76 OF THE CODE OF THE
TOWN OF ATHENS, COUNTY OF GREENE, TO OVERRIDE THE TAX LEVY LIMIT
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025

SECTION 1. AUTHORITY.

This Local Law is enacted pursuant to General Municipal Law Sec. 3-c (the “Property Tax Cap Law”), which expressly authorizes the Town Board to override the tax levy limit by the adoption of a local law approved by vote of sixty percent (60%) of the Town Board.

SECTION 2. PURPOSE.

The purpose of this Local Law is to permit the Town Board to override the tax levy limit on the amount of property taxes that may be levied by the Town of Athens pursuant to the Property Tax Cap Law; and to allow the Town to adopt a budget for Fiscal Year 2025 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the “tax levy limit” as defined by the Property Tax Cap Law. Such override is necessary and in the best interests of the Town.

SECTION 3. TAX LEVY LIMIT OVERRIDE.

The Code of the Town of Athens is hereby amended by revising Chapter 76, entitled “Tax Levy Limit Override,” to read as follows:

CHAPTER 76. TAX LEVY LIMIT OVERRIDE.

Section 76-1. The Town Board is hereby authorized to override the Tax Levy Limit Established pursuant to General Municipal Law Sec. 3-c, for Fiscal Year 2025, and to adopt a budget for Fiscal Year 2025 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the amount

SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY.

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, section or part of this Local Law or the application thereof to any person, firm or corporation, or circumstance, shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such order or judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to said clause, sentence, paragraph, section or part of this Local Law or in its application to the person, individual, firm or corporation or circumstance, directly involved in the controversy in which such order or judgment shall be rendered.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Local Law shall take effect immediately.