

**LOCAL LAW NO. 1 OF THE YEAR 2012  
VILLAGE OF BERGEN, COUNTY OF GENESEE**

**A Local Law To Override The Tax Levy Limit  
Established In General Municipal Law §3-c**

**Section 1. Legislative Intent.**

It is the intent of this Local Law to override the limit on the amount of real property taxes that may be levied by the Village of Bergen, pursuant to General Municipal Law §3-c, and to allow the Village of Bergen, to adopt a budget for the fiscal year commencing June 1, 2012 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the “tax levy limit” as defined by General Municipal Law §3-c.

**Section 2. Authority.**

This Local Law is adopted pursuant to subdivision 5 of General Municipal Law §3-c, which expressly authorizes a local government’s governing body to override the tax levy limit for the coming fiscal year by the adoption of a local law approved by a vote of sixty percent (60%) of said governing body.

**Section 3. Tax Levy Limit Override.**

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Bergen, County of Genesee is hereby authorized to adopt a budget for the fiscal year commencing June 1, 2012 that requires a real property tax levy in excess of the limit specified in General Municipal Law §3-c.

**Section 4. Severability.**

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision or part of the 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 to its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph 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 judgment or order shall be rendered.

**Section 5. Effective Date.**

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