**E Bike Confiscation potential Local Law**

Be it enacted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Spencerport:

Section 1. Title.

This Local Law shall be known as Introductory Local Law #1-2025 “A Local Law to Amend Chapter 280 of the Code of the Village of Spencerport.”

Section 2. Purpose.

The purpose of this Local Law is to amend the definition of “Parking Space” in the Code of the Village of Spencerport.

Section 3. Authority.

This Local Law is adopted pursuant to §10 of the Municipal Home Rule Law of the State of New York, §1281(2)(a) of the New York State Vehicle and Traffic Law and §180 of the New York State General Municipal Law.

Section 4. Changes to Code.

Section 280-2 of the Code of the Village of Spencerport is repealed, in its entirety and replaced with the following:

**§280-2 Coasting; hitching of contrivances to motor vehicles; E-Bikes and E-Scooters**

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No person shall coast in the streets or upon the sidewalks with sleds, skis, toboggans, carts, boards or other contrivances.

[**B.**](https://url.avanan.click/v2/___https://ecode360.com/14664210___.YXAzOnZpbGxhZ2VvZnNwZW5jZXJwb3J0OmE6bzoxZTkxMTY2YzhmYzc5MGZjZTlhMWVhMDdmZDdhZWI3OTo2OmM5NWU6OGE3OGYyZDViNTA2N2I1YzEyMjVlODMyZDlkYjhhMDBkN2UwNDcxMWNlZjFiN2UyZDQ0NzQ2YjIwMmFjYmIyNDpwOlQ6Tg#14664210)

The hitching of sleds, toboggans, carts, bicycles and other contrivances to motor vehicles is hereby prohibited.

**C.**

No person shall operate an electric scooter, as defined by the New York State Vehicle and Traffic Law §114-E, upon the sidewalks of the Village of Spencerport.

**D.**

No person shall operate a bicycle with electric assist, as defined by §102-c of New York State Vehicle and Traffic Law, upon the sidewalks of the Village of Spencerport.

1. Operation in violation.
   1. In addition to any penalties provided herein, any police officer whose jurisdiction includes this Village who shall observe any person using, operating or riding upon a bicycle with electric assist in violation of this chapter shall:
      1. Upon the first violation, take possession of the bicycle with electric assist for a minimum period of 48 hours, after which the bicycle with electric assist shall be returned to the parent or guardian of a minor violator or, in the case of an adult violator, to the violator himself. A storage and handling fee of $100.00 shall be assessed for this first violation.
      2. Upon the second violation, take possession of the bicycle with electric assist for a minimum of 72 hours, after which the bicycle with electric assist shall be returned to the parent or guardian of a minor violator or, in the case of an adult violator, to the violator himself. A storage and handling fee of $100.00 shall be paid prior to the release of the confiscated bicycle with electric assist.
      3. Upon a third violation and upon each subsequent violation, take possession of the bicycle with electric assist for a minimum period of one week, after which the bicycle with electric assist shall be returned to the parent or guardian of a minor violator or, in the case of an adult violator, to the violator himself. A storage and handling fee of $200.00 shall be paid prior to the release of the confiscated bicycle with electric assist.
   2. All storage and handling fees are to be paid to the Spencerport Village Clerk at the Spencerport Village Office during normal business hours.

Section 5. Repealer.

All local laws or parts of local laws inconsistent or in conflict with this local law are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

Section 6. Severability.

If any clause, sentence, phrase, subdivision, paragraph, section or any part of this section shall for any reason be adjudicated finally by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of this section, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, subdivision, paragraph, section or part thereof directly involved in the controversy or action in which said judgment shall have been rendered. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that the remainder of this section would have been adopted had any such provision been excluded.

Section 7. When effective.

This Local Law Chapter shall become effective upon filing with the New York State Secretary of State.