

**LOCAL LAW NO. 4 - 2009**  
**OF THE VILLAGE OF RUSHVILLE**  
**ONTARIO AND YATES COUNTIES, NEW YORK**

**A Local Law to amend New York State Village Law Section 7-718**  
**regarding terms of office for Planning Board Members.**

Be it enacted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Rushville as follows:

1. The title of the local law shall be "A Local Law of the Village of Rushville to Fix Terms of Planning Board Members of the Village of Rushville."
2. The effect of this Local Law is to amend New York State Village Law Section 7-718 to fix the terms of appointed Planning Board Members of the Village of Rushville.
3. Section 7-718 (4) of the New York State Village Law provides that the terms of office for Planning Board Members of the Village shall be equal in number to the number of members on the Planning Board or as provided by Local Law.
4. The Village of Rushville Planning Board consists of five (5) members.
5. Section 7-718 (4) of the New York State Village Law provides that terms of office of Village Planning Board Members shall be so fixed that at least one terms shall expire at the end of each official year.
6. Terms of office for the Village of Rushville Planning Board shall be as follows:

The terms of members of the planning board shall expire at the end of the official year of the village. At the expiration of the term of each member of the planning board, his/her successor shall be appointed for a term of two (2) years.

7. Terms of members now in office shall be governed as follows:

Members now holding office shall continue in office until the last day of the Village official year two years following the adoption of this Local Law. Members now holding office for terms which do not expire at the end of the village official year shall hold office until the end of that village official year. Successors shall be appointed for term not to exceed two (2) years and the terms shall be so fixed that two terms shall expire at the end of the next official year and three terms shall expire at the end of the second official year.

8. In the event the membership of the Planning Board is hereafter increased from five (5) to seven (7) members or is thereafter decreased from seven (7) to five (5) members, the terms of office shall be fixed as herein provided.
9. This Local Law is enacted pursuant to the provisions of the Municipal Home Rule Law of the State of New York
10. The Local Law shall take effect upon its proper filing with the Office of the Secretary of State.