

LOCAL LAW NO. OF THE YEAR 2018
CREATING CHAPTER 105 OF THE POQUOTT VILLAGE CODE
PARKS

BE IT ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE
INCORPORATED VILLAGE OF POQUOTT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1.0 Enactment, Effective Date,

1.1 Title of Local Law

1.2 Enactment.

1.3 Effective Date.

1.4 Purpose and Intent of Local Law.

2.0 Creating of Chapter 105 of the Poquott Village Code Parks

3.0 Severability

1.1 Title.

This Local Law shall be entitled “Local Law of 2018 Creating Chapter 105
of the Poquott Village Code; Parks

1.2. Enactment.

Pursuant to Section 10 of the Home Rule Law and the Village Law of the
State of New York, the Incorporated Village of Poquott, County of Suffolk and State
of New York, hereby enacts by this Local Law of 2018, a Local Law of the Village of
Poquott.

1.3. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall take effect on the filing of the approved Local Law with
the Secretary of State of New York, which shall be within twenty (20) days after its

approval by the Board of Trustees of the Incorporated Village of Poquott.

1.4 Purpose and Intent of Local Law.

A. The purpose of this Chapter is to provide regulations for the use of parks in the Village of Poquott to help protect the aesthetic qualities of the Village of Poquott and its residential properties and environment.

2.0 General Provisions

A. Creation of Chapter 105 Parks:

Chapter 105 Parks of the Poquott Village Code is hereby created to read as follows:

“Chapter 105 Parks

105.1 Findings

A. The Board of Trustees hereby finds that the Village parks are matters affecting the public interest and consequently should be subject to supervision and administrative control for the purpose of safe-guarding the public health, safety and general welfare of the public and the people of the Village of Poquott.

B. Accordingly, in order to protect the natural resources of the Village of Poquott, it is the intent of this article to regulate and monitor access to, and the use of, Village parks and other Village-owned properties in order to preserve the natural beauty and ecological value of these recreational areas and to protect them against damage, erosion, litter and vandalism.

105.2 Definitions.

As used in this article, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:
VILLAGE PARKS; All parks, playgrounds and other recreation areas, including

waterfront, owned by the Village of Poquott

VILLAGE RESIDENT; A person who currently resides in the Village of Poquott.

105.3 Use of Village Parks

A. The use of Village Parks shall be restricted to Village residents.

B. Use of Boat Rack; Refer to Chapter 43, Article II, Section 43-21 regarding permitting for boat racks at Walnut, California and Van Brunt Manor parks.

All items are to be removed from boat racks by December 1st of each year.

105.4 Prohibited acts at Village Parks.

The following activities are prohibited at all Village Parks;

A. Depositing or abandoning any garbage, sewage, refuse, trash, grass clippings, branches, leaves or other waste material, except in receptacles provided for such purpose.

B. Depositing or abandoning any material which may be hazardous to public health or safety.

C. Firing, discharging or having in his/her possession any gun, pistol, firearm, slingshot, rocket, torpedo or other fireworks or explosives of any kind.

D. Trimming, cutting down, digging up, removing, injuring or destroying any tree, shrub, plant, flower or wild animal.

E. Disobeying an order of a police officer, Code Enforcement Officer, or other person duly empowered and authorized to enforce the provisions of this chapter, or disobeying the notices, prohibitions, instructions, directions or rules and regulations on any sign or as shall be established by the Board of Trustees from time to time.

F. Village Parks are subject to Chapter 57 of Village Code; Burning, Open.

3.0 Severability

3.1. In the event that any provision of this Chapter should be deemed or determined to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, then the remaining sections of this Chapter shall continue in full force and effect.