

**LOCAL LAWS
OF
THE CITY OF NEW YORK
FOR THE YEAR 2025**

No. 148

Introduced by Council Members Gennaro, Louis, Hanif, Gutiérrez and Won.

A LOCAL LAW

To amend the New York city charter and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring review of the long-term sustainability plan by the environmental justice advisory board

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Paragraph 2 of subdivision e of section 20 of the New York city charter, as amended by local law number 84 for the year 2013, is amended to read as follows:

2. No later than April twenty-second, two thousand eleven, and no later than every four years thereafter, the director shall develop and submit to the mayor and the speaker of the city council an updated long-term sustainability plan, setting forth goals associated with each category established pursuant to paragraph one of subdivision b of this section and any additional categories established by the director, and a list of policies, programs and actions that the city will seek to implement or undertake to achieve each goal by no later than twenty years from the date each such updated long-term sustainability plan is submitted. No later than two thousand fifteen, and no later than every four years thereafter, the plan shall also include a list of policies, programs and actions that the city will seek to implement or undertake to achieve each goal relating to the resiliency of critical infrastructure, the built environment, coastal protection and communities. Such updated plan shall take into account the population projections required pursuant to subdivision d of this

section. An updated plan shall include, for each four-year period beginning on the date an updated plan is submitted to the mayor and the speaker of the city council, implementation milestones for each policy, program and action contained in such plan. An updated plan shall report on the status of the milestones contained in the immediately preceding updated plan. Where any categories, goals, policies, programs or actions have been revised in, added to or deleted from an updated plan, or where any milestone has been revised in or deleted from an updated plan, the plan shall include the reason for such addition, revision or deletion. The director shall seek public input regarding an updated plan and its implementation before developing and submitting such plan pursuant to this paragraph. *When preparing an updated plan, the director shall solicit the input of the advisory board for environmental justice established pursuant to section 3-1006 of the administrative code, which may provide recommendations regarding such plan. The director shall also provide to the advisory board for environmental justice a draft of the updated plan not less than 10 days before finalizing such updated plan.* The director shall coordinate the implementation of an updated long-term sustainability plan.

§ 2. Paragraphs 6 and 7 of subdivision e of section 3-1006 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as added by local law number 64 for the year 2017, are amended, and a new paragraph 8 is added to such subdivision, to read as follows:

6. Review proposed and final environmental justice plans, and proposed revisions thereto, and make recommendations to the interagency working group relating to such plans and proposed revisions; [and]

7. Recommend agencies or offices for inclusion in the interagency working group; *and*

8. Make recommendations to the office of long-term planning and sustainability relating to the development of any long-term sustainability plan updated pursuant to subdivision e of section 20 of the charter.

§ 3. This local law takes effect immediately.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, s.s.:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a local law of The City of New York, passed by the Council on September 25, 2025 and returned unsigned by the Mayor on October 27, 2025.

ALISA FUENTES, Acting City Clerk, Acting Clerk of the Council.

CERTIFICATION OF CORPORATION COUNSEL

I hereby certify that the form of the enclosed local law (Local Law No. 148 of 2025, Council Int. No. 1271-A of 2025) to be filed with the Secretary of State contains the correct text of the local law passed by the New York City Council, presented to the Mayor, and neither approved nor disapproved within thirty days thereafter.

BRENDA COOKE, Acting Corporation Counsel.