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Int. No. 1274

By Council Member Yeger

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to expanding notice requirements and requiring a comment period prior to the installation of a neighborhood loading zone

## Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Subdivision a of section 19-170.2 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new definition of "neighborhood loading zone" in alphabetical order to read as follows: Neighborhood loading zone. The term "neighborhood loading zone" means a loading zone on a residential street, as such term is defined in subdivision b of section 19-170, specifically designated as a neighborhood loading zone by department signage.

§ 2. Subdivision d of section 19-170.2 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as added by local law number 168 for the year 2021, is amended to read as follows:

d. <u>1.</u> No later than January 1, 2023, the department shall provide publicly accessible information, through the open data portal or the department's website, regarding the location of all loading zones. Such information shall be updated on an annual or more frequent basis.

2. The department shall publish the location of any newly installed neighborhood loading zone through the open data portal or on the department's website no later than 5 days after the department installs the neighborhood loading zone.

§ 3. Section 19-170.2 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding new subdivisions e and f to read as follows:

e. 1. At least 90 days before the installation of a neighborhood loading zone, and in addition to any notice

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required pursuant to section 19-175.2 or any other provision of law or rules, the department shall provide notice of installation of the neighborhood loading zone to the council member and community board in whose district the neighborhood loading zone is to be installed. Such notice shall include but not be limited to details regarding the proposed location of the neighborhood loading zone, the anticipated date of installation of the neighborhood loading zone, and a method to participate in the comment period required by subdivision f of this section. The department shall also provide such notice to any property owners, community-based organizations, and members of the general public that have formally requested to be notified of installation of a neighborhood loading zone and to other individuals or organizations that the department deems appropriate.

2. At least 90 days before the installation of a neighborhood loading zone, and in addition to any notice required pursuant to section 19-175.2 or any other provision of law or rules, the department shall post in conspicuous locations at least 4 physical notices of installation of the neighborhood loading zone, including but not limited to details regarding the proposed location of the neighborhood loading zone, the anticipated date of installation of the neighborhood loading zone, and a method to participate in the comment period required by subdivision f of this section, on each of the following blockfaces, as such term is defined in section 19-167:

(a) The blockface on which the neighborhood loading zone is to be installed;

(b) The blockface opposite the one on which the neighborhood loading zone is to be installed;

(c) Each blockface that is directly adjacent to the blockface on which the neighborhood loading zone is to be installed; and

(d) Each blockface that is directly adjacent to the blockface opposite the one on which the neighborhood loading zone is to be installed.

f. Beginning at least 60 days but not more than 75 days before the installation of a neighborhood loading zone, the department shall afford the public 30 days to submit comments to the department on the installation of the neighborhood loading zone. The department shall consider the comments, if any, submitted pursuant to this subdivision and may incorporate corresponding changes into its plan for installation of the neighborhood

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loading zone.

§ 4. This local law takes effect 60 days after it becomes law.

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