

**Laws & Ordinances Committee  
Announces Its First Meeting  
and  
Home Rule 101 Learning and Basics Program**

The Laws & Ordinances Committee is responsible for reviewing all existing Ordinances and updating them to comply with current laws and conditions. It will use recently approved home rule powers when considering Ordinances and recommend the adoption of amended or new Ordinances to the Mayor and Board of Trustees. The Committee will also review proposed Zoning Regulation Text Amendments, refer them to the Plan Commission, which will hold public hearings and make recommendations to the Board of Trustees.

The Committee consists of two Village Trustees and the Village Building Official who has non-voting status. The Mayor appointed Trustee Terry Kelly and Trustee Umberto Davi to serve on the Committee. Its first meeting will be Tuesday, May 14, 2019 at 6 p.m. at the Willowbrook Police Department. Subsequent meetings will be held on the first Tuesday of the month at 6 p.m. at the Willowbrook Police Department.

On May 21, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. the Village is sponsoring a program at the Hinsdale South High School Auditorium to discuss home rule powers. Peter Burchard will serve as Moderator of the program. He has 30 years of experience in local government and is President/CEO of his own multi sector consulting and training firm. Featured speakers are Patrick A. Lucansky and Jason A. Guisinger, Partners at Klein, Thorp & Jenkins, Ltd. who specialize in the practice of Municipal Law. At the beginning of the meeting they will discuss how home rule developed and provide an overview of home rule powers and issues. The floor will be opened to public comments at the conclusion of the formal presentations. The program will be videotaped and posted on the Village website.