

**VILLGAGE OF CHENEQUA  
Resolution No. 2017-11-13-02**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING A 2017 VILLAGE OF CHENEQUA  
PUBLIC ROAD POLICY**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Village of Chenequa's police powers and the authority granted by Wisconsin Statutes, the Village hereby desires to adopt a policy pertaining to the repair, maintenance and improvement of local roadways dedicated to and subject to the Village's jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the following roadways are under the Village's jurisdiction: Muscovy Road, Pine Meadows Lane and Morris Drive.

WHEREAS, the State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation pays general transportation aid to municipalities to assist in the maintenance, improvement and construction of local roadways;

WHEREAS, the State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation recognizes that eligible expenditures include such activities as, for example, snow plowing and ice control, pavement repair, brushing, mowing and weed control, operation and maintenance of machinery, vehicles and equipment, support services, as well as activities related to police protection and public safety;

WHEREAS, the Village currently receives aid from the State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation to assist in the cost of maintenance and repair of its roadways and the Village uses that aid, in part, for such costs related to police protection, fire and emergency medical response, snow plowing, forestry services, and capital costs (e.g. snowplow equipment); and

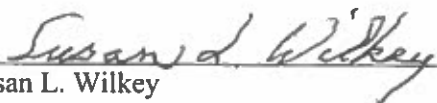
WHEREAS, the Village is authorized by Section 66.0703 of Wisconsin Statutes to levy special assessments against benefited property owners to finance improvements and maintenance costs; and

WHEREAS, the Village determines that it is in the best interest of the Village and promotes the public health, safety and welfare to adopt the 2017 Village of Chenequa Public Road Policy, to replace the Road Policy approved by the Village Board on June 8, 2009, for the purpose of encouraging the improvement and maintenance of roadways in Chenequa and having the cost thereof equitably proportioned between the adjacent benefiting property owners and the Village.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the 2017 Village of Chenequa Public Road Policy, in the form on file with the Village Clerk-Treasurer is hereby approved.

Adopted this 13<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2017.

VILLAGE OF CHENEQUA

By:   
Susan L. Wilkey  
Village President

Attest:

  
Pamela Ann Little  
Village Clerk-Treasurer

## 2017 VILLAGE OF CHENEQUA PUBLIC ROAD POLICY

For any maintenance, reconstruction or public improvement roadway project, the Village of Chenequa will require all costs incurred for the improvements to be the shared responsibility of the Village and adjacent benefited property owners. Adjacent benefited property owners shall be responsible for up to 75% of the costs incurred for the maintenance, reconstruction or improvement roadway project, and that cost may be charged by the Village to such property owners through direct contribution, assessment or as otherwise permitted by Wisconsin Statutes.

When the Village Board of Trustees elects to fund a portion of the costs for any maintenance, reconstruction or public improvement roadway project via special assessment as permitted by Wisconsin Statutes, the Village will follow the procedure for levying special assessments set forth in Wisconsin Statutes and will declare by individual resolution which section of Wisconsin Statutes it is acting under in making any particular special assessment. Special assessment policies, including the assessment formula to be utilized, will be set forth in each individual resolution.

This Policy shall be applicable to all dedicated public right-of-way located within the Village [and specifically to the following roadways which are under the Village's jurisdiction: Muscovy Road, Pine Meadows Lane and Morris Drive.]

This Policy shall not be applicable to private, semi-private or limited use roadways and the Village shall not assume any responsibility for the maintenance, reconstruction or improvement of any such private, semi-private or limited use roadways.

This Policy shall not be construed in any way to limit, waive and/or restrict any right the Village has under its general powers, specific powers, or the authority granted to it by Wisconsin Statutes.