

**LOCAL LAWS
OF
THE CITY OF NEW YORK
FOR THE YEAR 2020**

No. 38

Introduced by Council Members Adams, Kallos, Ayala, Gibson, Lander, Rivera, Constantinides, Powers, Reynoso, Cabrera, Richards, Koslowitz, Brannan, Chin, Torres, Rodriguez, Cohen, Van Bramer, Rosenthal, Dromm, Holden, Vallone, Levine, Yeger, Gjonaj, Perkins, Grodenchik, Salamanca, Treyger, Cornegy, Eugene, Levin, Deutsch, Barron, Maisel, Cumbo, Moya, Lancman, Rose, Ampry-Samuel, Miller, Menchaca, Koo, King and Ulrich.

A LOCAL LAW

To amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the provision of information regarding the health bucks program and farmers' markets

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 1 of title 21 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 21-131.2 to read as follows:

§ 21-131.2 Information regarding health bucks and farmers' markets. a. Definitions. For purposes of this section, the term "health bucks" means coupons issued by the department of health and mental hygiene that are redeemable for fruits and vegetables at farmers' markets in the city.

b. The department, in collaboration with the department of health and mental hygiene, shall provide information regarding health bucks and farmers' markets in the city to individuals who receive or apply to receive supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits. Such information may be provided on paper or electronically and shall include, but need not be limited to, how to receive health bucks, how health bucks may be spent and the location of farmers' markets in the city.

§ 2. This local law takes effect 180 days after it becomes law.

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 February 11, 2020 and returned unsigned by the Mayor on March 13, 2020.

MICHAEL M. McSWEENEY, City Clerk, Clerk of the Council.

CERTIFICATION OF CORPORATION COUNSEL

I hereby certify that the form of the enclosed local law (Local Law No. 38 of 2020, Council Int. No. 1650-A of 2019) 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.

STEPHEN LOUIS, Acting Corporation Counsel.