

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF THE TOWN OF CHARLOTTE
CODE OF ETHICS INVESTIGATION AND ENFORCEMENT ORDINANCE**

The Selectboard of the Town of Charlotte does hereby ordain:

Pursuant to 24 V.S.A. Chapter 60, 24 V.S.A. § 1971, and other such general enactments as may be material thereto, the Selectboard of the Town of Charlotte (the “Town”) hereby adopts the Town of Charlotte Code of Ethics Investigation and Enforcement Ordinance (the “Ordinance”). The Ordinance may be concisely summarized as setting forth the procedures for the investigation of complaints that allege a municipal officer has violated Vermont’s Municipal Code of Ethics, and the enforcement in instances of substantiated complaints, including methods of enforcement and available remedies, by the Town.

Adopted this 10th day of February, 2025.

CHARLOTTE SELECTBOARD

James Faulkner, Chair

Frank Tenney, Vice Chair

Lewis Mudge

Kelly Devine

Natalie Kanner

Pursuant to 24 V.S.A. §§ 1972, 1973 this Ordinance shall become effective on April 11, 2025, unless a petition signed by not less than 5% of the qualified voters of the Town requesting a town meeting vote on the question of disapproving the adoption is filed with the Town Clerk or Selectboard on or before March 26, 2025.

For more information, contact Nathaniel Bareham, Town Administrator, at Charlotte Town Hall, 159 Ferry Road, P.O. Box 119, Charlotte, VT 05445; (802) 425-3071 ext. 5.

The full text of the Town of Charlotte Code of Ethics Investigation and Enforcement Ordinance may be viewed at the Town Clerk’s office