

# Local Law Filing

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Local Law No. 1 of the year 2003

A local law PROVIDING A FOUR-YEAR TERM FOR THE ELECTIVE OFFICE OF THE TOWN  
(Insert Title)  
CLERK OF THE TOWN OF COVERT.

Be it enacted by the TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF COVERT of the  
(Name of Legislative Body)

County  
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as follows:

#### Section 1.

The term of office of elective Town Clerk of the Town of Covert shall be four years. Such four-year term shall commence on the first day of January, Two Thousand and Four.

#### Section 2.

This Local Law if approved will effect the increase in term of office from two to four years commencing at the January 1, 2004 term.

#### Section 3.

This Local Law shall supersede in its application to the Town of Covert section 24 of the Town Law of New York State with respect to the term of office of the elective Town Clerk,

#### Section 4.

This Local Law shall be submitted for approval to the electors of the Town of Covert at the next general town election to be held on November 4, 2003.

#### Section 5.

Any other local law, ordinance or resolution inconsistent herewith is hereby Repealed.

#### Section 6.

This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the New York State Secretary of State after approval by a majority of the electors voting thereon in accordance with the requirements of section 27 of the Municipal Home Rule Law.

(If additional space is needed, attach pages the same size as this sheet, and number each.)

(Complete the certification in the paragraph that applies to the filing of this local law and strike out that which is not applicable.)

1. (Final adoption by local legislative body only.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of \_\_\_\_\_ was duly passed by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.  
*(Name of Legislative Body)*

2. (Passage by local legislative body with approval, no disapproval or repassage after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer\*.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of \_\_\_\_\_ was duly passed by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, and was (approved)(not approved)(repassed after disapproval) by the \_\_\_\_\_ and was deemed duly adopted on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.  
*(Elective Chief Executive Officer\*)*

3. (Final adoption by referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ 1 \_\_\_\_\_ of 20<sup>03</sup> of the (~~County~~)(~~City~~)(Town)(~~Village~~) of \_\_\_\_\_ COVERT was duly passed by the COVERT TOWN BOARD on 03/10 20<sup>03</sup>, and was (approved)(~~not approved~~)(~~repassed after disapproval~~) by the BRAYTON P. FOSTER, SUPERVISOR on 03/10/03 20<sup>03</sup>. Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a (mandatory)(~~permissive~~) referendum, and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon at the (general)(~~special~~)(~~annual~~) election held on 11/04 20<sup>03</sup>, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

4. (Subject to permissive referendum and final adoption because no valid petition was filed requesting referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of \_\_\_\_\_ was duly passed by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, and was (approved)(not approved)(repassed after disapproval) by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_. Such local law was subject to permissive referendum and no valid petition requesting such referendum was filed as of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.  
*(Elective Chief Executive Officer\*)*

\* Elective Chief Executive Officer means or includes the chief executive officer of a county elected on a county-wide basis or, if there be none, the chairperson of the county legislative body, the mayor of a city or village, or the supervisor of a town where such officer is vested with the power to approve or veto local laws or ordinances.

5. (City local law concerning Charter revision proposed by petition.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the City of \_\_\_\_\_ having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of section (36)(37) of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such city voting thereon at the (special)(general) election held on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, became operative.

6. (County local law concerning adoption of Charter.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the County of \_\_\_\_\_ State of New York, having been submitted to the electors at the General Election of November \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, pursuant to subdivisions 5 and 7 of section 33 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the cities of said county as a unit and a majority of the qualified electors of the towns of said county considered as a unit voting at said general election, became operative.

(If any other authorized form of final adoption has been followed, please provide an appropriate certification.)

I further certify that I have compared the preceding local law with the original on file in this office and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original local law, and was finally adopted in the manner indicated in paragraph \_\_\_\_\_ 3\_\_\_\_, above.

*Judith M. Boyed*

Clerk of the County legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk or officer designated by local legislative body

(Seal)

Date: 12/12/2003

(Certification to be executed by County Attorney, Corporation Counsel, Town Attorney, Village Attorney or other authorized attorney of locality.)

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF SENECA

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing local law contains the correct text and that all proper proceedings have been had or taken for the enactment of the local law annexed hereto.

*[Signature]*  
Signature  
TOWN ATTORNEY  
Title

~~County~~  
~~City~~ of COVERT  
Town  
~~Village~~

Date: 12/12/2003