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County
~~City~~ of NIAGARA
~~Town~~
~~Village~~

Local Law No. 4 of the year 19 77

A local law providing for the creation of a Department of Public
(Insert title)
works for the County of Niagara, New York

Be it enacted by the NIAGARA COUNTY LEGISLATURE of the
(Name of Legislative Body)

County
~~City~~ of NIAGARA
~~Town~~
~~Village~~ as follows:

There is hereby created a Department of Public Works, the head of which shall be the Commissioner of Public Works who shall be appointed on the basis of his experience and qualifications for the duties of the office by the County Legislature and who shall serve at the pleasure of the County Legislature. The Commissioner of Public Works shall:

(a) Have all the powers and duties of a county engineer and a county superintendent of highways, pursuant to the highway law or other applicable law;

(b) Have charge and supervision of the design, construction and alteration of the county buildings, parking fields, drives, walks, preserves, beaches, erosion projects and other structures and facilities in the nature of public works under the jurisdiction of the county;

(c) Have charge and supervision of maintenance, repair and alteration of buildings owned or leased by the county, parking fields, drives, walks, preserves, beaches and other structures and facilities in the nature of public works under the jurisdiction of the county including custodial care;

(d) Have such powers and duties in relation to county facilities for drainage, flood control, sanitation, sewerage, or water supply;

(e) Furnish engineering and other services to the County Legislature, the Department of Planning and other county departments as authorized;

(f) Have charge of and have the duty of performing such other functions concerning county property, public works and other matters as the County Legislature may, from time to time, direct.

There shall be the following divisions within the Department of Public Works: Division of Highways, Bridges and Structures, Division of Buildings and Grounds, Division of Engineering, each of which shall be headed by a Deputy who shall be appointed by the Commissioner of Public Works provided however, that the Deputy Director of Highways, Bridges

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and Structures shall perform and be responsible for such activities as are required of a Superintendent of Highways.

It shall be the duty of each deputy head while holding such position to carry out the functions of such division as provided by local law, directives of the Commissioner, or by resolution of the County Legislature.

This Local Law shall become effective immediately.

(Complete the certification in the paragraph which applies to the filing of this local law and strike out the matter therein 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.⁴ of 19⁷⁷.....
County
of the ~~XXX~~ of NIAGARA was duly passed by the NIAGARA COUNTY LEGISLATURE
~~XXXX~~ (Name of Legislative Body)
~~XXXXXX~~
on APRIL 22 1977 in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

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

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. of 19.....
County
of the City of was duly passed by the
Town (Name of Legislative Body)
Village
on 19..... and was approved not disapproved
repassed after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer *
and was deemed duly adopted on 19....., in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

3. (Final adoption by referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. of 19.....
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of the City of was duly passed by the
Town (Name of Legislative Body)
Village
on 19..... and was approved not disapproved
repassed after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer *
on 19...... Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a
mandatory referendum, and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting
permissive general
thereon at the special election held on 19....., in accordance with the appli-
annual
cable provisions of law.

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

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Town (Name of Legislative Body)
Village
..... 19..... and was approved not disapproved
repassed after disapproval by the on
..... 19...... Such local law being subject to a permissive referendum and no
valid petition requesting such referendum having been filed, said local law was deemed duly adopted on
..... 19....., in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

*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 chairman of the county legislative body, the mayor of a city or village or the supervisor of a town, where such officer is vested with 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 19..... of the City of..... having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of § 36 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 election held on general 19 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 19..... of the County of, State of New York, having been submitted to the Electors at the General Election of November, 19, 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 of 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 above.

Whitney Barnes

Clerk of the County legislative body, ~~City~~ ~~County~~ ~~Village~~ ~~City~~ ~~City~~
~~City~~ ~~County~~ ~~Village~~ ~~City~~ ~~City~~

Date: APRIL 22, 1977

(Seal)

(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 NIAGARA

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.

John A. Simon
Signature
NIAGARA COUNTY ATTORNEY
Title

Date: APRIL 22, 1977

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