

LOCAL LAW No. _____ of the Year 2020

**A LOCAL LAW ABOLISHING THE ELECTIVE OFFICE OF TOWN CLERK
AND CREATING THE APPOINTED OFFICE OF TOWN CLERK OF
THE TOWN OF ENFIELD, NEW YORK**

Be It Enacted by the Town Board ("Board") of the Town of Enfield, New York ("Town") as follows:

Article I. Pursuant to the Municipal Home Rule Law §10, the Town hereby abolishes the elective office of the Town Clerk ("Clerk"), effective at **(the end of the day, December 31st, 2020).**

Article II. The elective office of Town Clerk is hereby abolished as of **(the end of the day, December 31st, 2020).**

Article III. The appointive office of Town Clerk is hereby created as of **(the first day of the year following the General Election at which this Local Law was codified by a majority of the voters in a Mandatory Referendum, January 1, 2021)**

Article IV. At the biennial town election succeeding the effective date of this Local Law, no Town Clerk shall be elected, and upon codification of this Local Law abolishing the office of elected Town Clerk for whom no successor shall be elected, the Board shall appoint a Town Clerk who shall hold office for a term of two (2) years, commencing **(January 1, 2021), the first day of January succeeding the abolition of the office of the elective Town Clerk.**

Article V. This Local Law shall supersede Town Law §20(1)(a)(b) with respect to the mode of selection of the Town Clerk.

Article VI. This Local Law is subject to mandatory referendum according to the provisions of Municipal Home Rule Law §23.

(Shall Local Law No. _____ of 2020 entitled "Local Law Abolishing the Elective Office of the Town Clerk and Establishing the Appointed Office of Town Clerk of the Town of Enfield" be approved?)

Article VII. This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State and after approval of a majority of the electors voting thereon in accordance with the requirements of Municipal Home Rule Law §23