

# Warren County Board of Supervisors

## RESOLUTION NO. 55 OF 2013

**Resolution introduced by Supervisors Taylor, Strainer, Loeb, McDevitt, Frasier, Mason and Vanselow**

### **TO ENACT LOCAL LAW NO. 2 OF 2013**

WHEREAS, a proposed Local Law was duly presented to the Board of Supervisors and considered by them, said proposed Local Law being entitled, "A Local Law Amending Local Law No. 3 of 1981 entitled A Local Law to Provide for the Establishment of a County Self-Insurance Plan Pursuant to Article 5 of the Workers' Compensation Law", and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution No. 775 of 2012 on December 21, 2012, authorizing a public hearing to be held by the Board of Supervisors on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. in the Supervisors' Room in the Warren County Municipal Center on the matter of the proposed Local Law, and notice of such public hearing having been duly published and posted as required by law, and said public hearing having been held and all persons appearing at said public hearing desiring to be heard, having been heard, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Warren, New York, on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2013, does hereby enact and adopt Local Law No. 2 of 2013 as set forth in Schedule "A" annexed hereto, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, County Administrator and County Attorney are hereby authorized to make such minor modifications to the Local Law as deemed necessary, and are authorized to execute, file and publish the Local Law and take all necessary actions for the promulgation thereof.

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SCHEDULE 'A'

COUNTY OF WARREN

LOCAL LAW NO. 2 OF 2013

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW NO. 3 OF 1981 ENTITLED A LOCAL LAW TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A COUNTY SELF-INSURANCE PLAN PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 5 OF THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW

BE IT ENACTED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Warren, New York, as follows:

SECTION 1. Title. This Local Law shall be entitled, "A Local Law Amending Local Law No. 3 of 1981 entitled A Local Law to Provide for the Establishment of a County Self-Insurance Plan Pursuant to Article 5 of the Workers' Compensation Law".

SECTION 2. Purpose. Pursuant to the authority in Article 5 of the Workers' Compensation Law, the Warren County Board of Supervisors adopted Local Law No. 3 of 1981 to establish the Warren County Self-Insurance Plan. Section 6 thereof provides that the Warren County Self-Insurance Plan shall be administered by an Administrator who shall be appointed by the Board of Supervisors. Also in accordance with the authority set forth in Article 5 of the Workers' Compensation Law, the Warren County Board of Supervisors enacted Local Law No. 4 of 1981 which established rules and regulations for the administration of the Warren County Self-Insurance Plan. In ensuing years, both Local Law No. 3 of 1981 and Local Law No. 4 of 1981 have been amended on a number of occasions. The purpose of this Local Law is to amend Local Law No. 3 of 1981 to include a provision establishing the position of the Deputy Insurance Administrator, who, in the absence of the Insurance Administrator, may act for and in place of the Insurance Administrator.

SECTION 3. Local Law No. 3 of 1981 is hereby amended by adding a new Section 6-a as follows:

SECTION 6-a. Deputy Insurance Administrator. The position of Deputy Insurance Administrator is hereby established. The Deputy Insurance Administrator shall have the authority to act for

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and in place of the Insurance Administrator in the absence of the Insurance Administrator and under such absence to act otherwise in accordance with the duties and responsibilities of the Insurance Administrator set forth in Local Law No. 3 of 1981 and as thereafter amended by Local Law, and Local Law No. 4 of 1981 and as thereafter amended by Local Law. The Deputy Insurance Administrator shall also have such duties and responsibilities as determined by the Insurance Administrator. The Deputy Insurance Administrator shall be appointed by the Insurance Administrator. The compensation to be paid to the Deputy Insurance Administrator shall be established by the Warren County Board of Supervisors.

SECTION 4. Severability. In the event that any provision of this Local Law shall be determined by a court of law to be illegal and/or unenforceable, this Local Law, to the extent the court has determined practicable, shall continue in full force and effect as if the said illegal or unenforceable provision were not contained as a part thereof.

SECTION 5. This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State.