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. <u>Title</u>. 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. <u>Purpose</u>. 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. <u>Deputy Insurance Administrator</u>. The position of Deputy Insurance Administrator is hereby established. The Deputy Insurance Administrator shall have the authority to act for 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. <u>Severability</u>. 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.