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INTRODUCTORY LOCAL LAW NO. 1 - 2013

LOCAL LAW NO. 1 - 2014

A LOCAL LAW INCREASING THE SALARIES OF SOME ELECTED COUNTY OFFICERS AND COUNTY OFFICERS APPOINTED FOR A FIXED TERM DURING THEIR TERM OF OFFICE

BE IT ENACTED by the Herkimer County Legislature of the County of Herkimer as follows:

Section 1. The base annual salary of the County Sheriff shall be the sum of Sixty Three Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Six Dollars (\$63,286).

Section 2. The base annual salary of the County Highway Superintendent shall be the sum of Ninety Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty-Four Dollars (\$90,864).

Section 3. The base annual salary of the County Administrator shall be the sum of Ninety Six Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-One Dollars (\$96,661).

Section 4. The base annual salary of the Commissioner of Social Services shall be the sum of Seventy Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Six Dollars (\$79,706).

Section 5. The base annual salary of the Commissioners of Elections shall be the sum of Forty Two Thousand Three Hundred Eight Dollars (\$42,308).

Section 6. The base annual salary of the Director of Real Property Tax Services shall be the sum of Forty Nine Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-Four Dollars (\$49,654).

Section 7. The base annual salary of the Personnel Officer shall be the sum of Sixty Eight Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-Nine Dollars (\$68,379).

Section 8. The base annual salary of the County Clerk shall be the sum of Fifty Seven Thousand Six Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$57,660).

Section 9. The base annual salary of the County Treasurer shall be the sum of Fifty Four Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-Three Dollars (\$54,553).

Section 10. The salary of the county coroners shall be One Hundred Twenty Dollars (\$120.00) per call.

Section 11. This Local Law shall take effect forty-five days after its adoption and shall be subject to a permissive referendum.

Dated: December 11, 2013.

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LOCAL LAW NO. 2 - 2014

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A LOCAL LAW TO ALLOW PURCHASING BASED ON BEST VALUE

BE IT ENACTED by the County of Herkimer as follows:

Section I. Authority and Purpose

New York General Municipal Law Section 103(1) allows the County to authorize, by local law, the award of certain purchase contracts (including contracts for services) subject to competitive bidding under General Municipal Law Section 103 on the basis of "best value" as defined in Section 163 of the New York State Finance Law. The "best value" option may be used, for example, if it is more cost efficient over time to award the good or service to other than the lowest responsible bidder or offerer if factors such as lower cost of maintenance, durability, higher quality and longer product life can be documented.

Section II. Award Based on Best Value

The County of Herkimer may award purchase contracts, including contracts for services, on the basis of "best value" as that term is defined in New York State Finance Law Section 163.

Section III. Applicability

The provisions of this chapter apply to County of Herkimer contracts, including contracts for services, involving an expenditure of more than \$20,000, but excluding purchase contracts necessary for the completion of a public works contract pursuant to Article 8 of the New York Labor Law and any other contract that may in the future be excluded under state law from the best value option. If the dollar thresholds of New York General Municipal Law Section 103 are increased or decreased in the future by the State Legislature, the dollar thresholds set forth herein shall be deemed simultaneously amended to match the new General Municipal Law thresholds.

Section IV. Standards for Best Value

Goods and services procured and awarded on the basis of best value are those that the County of Herkimer determines optimize quality, cost and efficiency, among responsive and responsible bidders or offerers. Where possible, the determination shall be based on an objective and quantifiable analysis of clearly described and documented criteria as they apply to the rating of bids or offers. The criteria may include, but shall not be limited to, any and all of the following: cost of maintenance; proximity to the end user if distance or response time is a significant term; durability; availability of replacement parts or maintenance contractors; longer product life; product performance criteria; and quality of craftsmanship.

Section V. Procurement policy superseded where inconsistent

Any inconsistent provisions of the County's procurement policy, as adopted prior to the effective date of this chapter by resolution of the Legislature of the County Legislature, or as amended thereafter, shall be deemed superseded by the provisions of the chapter.

Section VI. Effective Date

This Local Law shall take effect immediately.