Dear Sir/Madam:

Please be advised that Local Law(s) No. 2 1982 and 1, 2, and 3, 4 of 1983 of the County of Steuben was/were received and filed on April 6, 1984.

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Bureau of State Records
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Text of law should be given as amended. Do not include matter being eliminated and do not use italics or underlining to indicate new matter.

County
City
Town
Village

Local Law No. TWO of the year 19__

A local law RELATING TO THE MEMBERSHIP AND COMPOSITION OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF STEUBEN

Be it enacted by the BOARD OF SUPERVISORS of the

County
City of STEUBEN
Town
Village

as follows:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE INTENT

It is the intention of the Board of Supervisors of Steuben County to this local law to comply with the constitutional requirement established by the Supreme Court of the United States that the memberships of Legislative bodies must represent substantially equal populations.

SECTION 2. THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF STEUBEN

The County Legislature of the County of Steuben shall be the elective governing body of the County with all the power and duties of a Board of Supervisors and/or County Legislature as provided by applicable law. The Legislators, elected from the various districts as more specifically hereinafter set forth, when lawfully convened, shall constitute the County Legislature of the County of Steuben.

SECTION 3. TERM OF OFFICE OF COUNTY LEGISLATORS

County Legislators shall be elected at general elections held in odd numbered years from such districts and in such numbers as hereinafter provided. The term of office of all County Legislators shall be two years, dating from January first of the year next succeeding such general election, the first such election to be held at the time of the general election in November of 19__

SECTION 4. QUALIFICATIONS OF COUNTY LEGISLATORS

The qualifications of a County Legislator shall be as provided in the New York State Elections Law and New York State Public Officers' Law and such other provisions of statutes of the State of New York and provisions of the New York State Constitution as may be applicable.

All mayors of cities and village and all supervisors of towns and all members of the Legislative bodies of all cities, towns and villages who possess the above qualifications shall be eligible to be elected as members of the County Legislature.

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SECTION 5. DISTRICTS

For the purpose of electing County Legislators in such numbers as herein-processed, Steuben County shall be divided into thirteen districts. All references to towns, cities and villages apply to that territory wholly contained in each of the towns, cities and villages of Steuben County as of April 19, 1982.

Each of the enumerated districts shall be entitled to be represented on the County Legislature by that number of Legislators as is hereinafter set forth. Nothing contained herein shall be construed so as to prohibit the appropriate legislative bodies of the cities of Corning and Hornell from designating whether the County Legislators from their district shall be elected at large or from subdistricts within the County Legislative Districts.

The districts and number of County Legislators shall be as follows:

1. District 1 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the City of Hornell and shall have 2 County Legislators.
2. District 2 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the City of Corning and shall have 2 County Legislators.
3. District 3 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Town of Bath and shall have 2 County Legislators.
4. District 4 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Towns of Wayland and Cohocton and shall have 1 County Legislator.

5. District 5 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Towns of Prattsburg, Pulaski and Urbana and shall have 1 County Legislator.
6. District 6 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Towns of Dansville, Hornellsville and Hartsville and shall have 1 County Legislator.
7. District 7 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Towns of Fremont, Howard, Avoca and Wheeler and shall have 1 County Legislator.
8. District 8 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Towns of Wayne, Bradford and Campbell and shall have 1 County Legislator.
9. District 9 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Towns of Canisteo, Cameron and Thurston and shall have 1 County Legislator.
10. District 10 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Towns of Greenwood, Jasper, West Union, Troupsburg, Woodhull and Rome and shall have 1 County Legislator.
11. District 11 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Towns of Addison, Lindley and Tuscarora and shall have 1 County Legislator.
12. District 12 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Town of Erwin and shall have 1 County Legislator.
13. District 13 shall consist of the area contained within the boundaries of the Towns of Hornby, Corning and Caton and shall have 2 County Legislators.

The above districts as herein set forth shall be enumerated and set forth on maps which shall be filed with the Clerk of the Steuben County Board of Supervisors after the final adoption of this Local Law.

The Steuben County Legislature shall evaluate existing County Legislative districts for equity and representation in relation to population within six months after the publication of the results of the regular federal census taken in Steuben County in 1990, or within six months after the publication of the results of any other federal census taken in Steuben County, or within six months after the publication of the results of any federal or special population census, taken pursuant to Section 20 of the General Municipal Law and held not more than once every five years; or, after any annexation which has the effect of increasing or decreasing the population of any County Legislative district by more than the percentages presently established.

SECTION 6. VOTING STRENGTH

The apportionment of the voting strength of the members of the Legislature of the County of Steuben shall be determined by the 1980 Federal Census in the County of Steuben, until the next decennial federal census, in which event the voting strength shall be changed, if necessary, to conform to such decennial federal census. On and after the first day of January, 1983 each Legislator elected within the respective Districts of the County of Steuben shall be entitled to the following vote on any resolution, local law, motion or proposal to be voted upon by the Legislature, to wit:
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SECTION 7. VACANCIES

A vacancy in the office of County Legislator, shall be filled by appointment by the County Legislature of a qualified elector of the County having the same political affiliation as the person last elected to such office and such person newly appointed shall also be a resident of the district to which such appointment is made and eligible under Section 4 hereof.

The person appointed by the County Legislature shall hold office by virtue of such appointment until the commencement of the political year next succeeding the first annual election after the happening of the vacancy at which election such vacancy can be filled for the remainder of the unexpired term if any.

SECTION 8. EFFECT OF OTHER LAWS OR ACTS

Any law, ordinance, resolution or other act to the extent inconsistent herewith shall be superseded by the within law.

SECTION 9. SEPARABILITY

If any clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this local law shall be adjudged by any Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such adjudication shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence paragraph or section thereof directly involved in the proceeding in which such adjudication shall have been rendered.

SECTION 10. EFFECTIVE DATE

This local law shall become effective only if approved by the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting upon the local law at a special election to be held in February, 1983, and when so approved certified copies thereof are filed in the office of Secretary of State.

SECTION 11. OTHER REAPPORTIONMENT LOCAL LAWS

If any other local law on reapportionment shall be submitted to the electors of the County of Steuben in the February 24, 1983 special election, the local law which receives the greater number of affirmative votes shall be deemed to have been adopted.
(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. .......... of 19......
County
of the
City
of ................................................................., was duly passed by the .................................................................
Village
(Name of Legislative Body)
on ......................................................... 19...... 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 .................................................................
Village
(Name of Legislative Body)
on ......................................................... 19...... not disapproved
and was approved by the .................................................................
Elective Chief Executive Officer *
repassed after disapproval
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. Three... of 19.82...
County
of the
City
of Steuben.............................. was duly passed by the board of supervisors .................................................................
(Name of Legislative Body)
on ......................................................... December 20, 19.82...... and was approved by the .................................................................
Elective Chief Executive Officer *
repassed after disapproval
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 thereon at the special election held on ......................................................... February 24, 19.83, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

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

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County
of the
City
of ................................................................., was duly passed by the .................................................................
Village
(Name of Legislative Body)
on ......................................................... 19...... and was approved by the .................................................................
Elective Chief Executive Officer *
repassed after disapproval
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 general election held on .............................................. 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.

______________________________
Clerk of the County legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk or officer designated by local legislative body

Date: March 8, 1984

(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 ........STEUBEN ..............

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.

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Signature

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STEUBEN COUNTY ATTORNEY

Title

Date: March 8, 1984

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