

# Proposed Local Law Number 7 Of 2014

## County Of Ulster

### **A Local Law Amending The Ulster County Charter, Local Law No. 2 Of 2006, To Modify Various Provisions Of The Ulster County Charter To Amend The Terms of the Ulster County Legislature**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the County Legislature of the County of Ulster, New York, as follows:

**SECTION 1. Section C-8.B of the Ulster County Charter is REPEALED and a new Section C-8.B is added to the Ulster County Charter to read as follows:**

§ C-8. Members; terms of office; election.

B. The term of office of the members of the County Legislature shall be ~~two~~ four years beginning on the first day of January next following their election at the general election held in every odd-number year **for those in odd-numbered districts and even-year for those in even-numbered districts except for the Legislators elected the year two thousand and fifteen from even-numbered districts, who will serve for three years.**

**SECTION 2. A new section C-8.C is hereby added to the Ulster County Charter to read as follows:**

§ C-8. Members; terms of office; election.

C. No person shall serve as a County Legislator for more than 16 consecutive years.

**SECTION 3. Mandatory Referendum Question: The question that shall be submitted to the voters is as follows:**

Shall the amendments to the Ulster County Charter approved as Proposed Local Law 7 X of Ulster County for 2014 be adopted and become part of the Ulster County Charter?

**SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY**

In the event that any portion of this local law is found to be invalid, such finding will not have any effect on either the remaining portions or applications of this local law or any provisions of the Ulster County Charter, which shall remain in full force and effect.

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**SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Pursuant to Municipal Home Rule Law Section 23, this Local Law shall not become operative unless and until this Local Law is approved by the duly qualified voters of Ulster County in a manner prescribed by law at the general election on November 4, 2014, and thereafter filed with the Secretary of State.