LOCAL LAW NO. 1 - 1972
COUNTY OF HERKIMER, NEW YORK

A LOCAL LAW TO ESTABLISH A TRAFFIC SAFETY BOARD FOR THE COUNTY OF HERKIMER.

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

Section 1. There is hereby established the Herkimer County Traffic Safety Board to be composed of 15 members interested in traffic safety and traffic problems appointed by the Herkimer County Legislature.

Section 2. Each member shall be a resident and qualified elector of the county. At least one, but not more than three members shall be a resident or residents of each city of the county and the balance of members shall be appointed from the county at large.

Section 3. The term of office of each member shall be three years, except that the members first appointed shall be appointed as follows: 5 for a term of one year; 5 for a term of two years and 5 for a term of three years. Upon the expiration of the term of office of any member, his successor shall be appointed to membership for a term of three years.

Section 4. Members shall receive no compensation for services but shall be entitled to reasonable and necessary expenses, incurred in the performance of their duties, within the appropriation made for that purpose.

Section 5. Organization and Reports by the Board. The Traffic Safety Board shall:

a. Meet and organize within fifteen (15) days after its members are appointed.

b. Elect annually a chairman, vice-chairman and a secretary from its members.

c. Adopt rules for the conduct of its business.

d. Within the limits of the appropriations made therefor by the Herkimer County Legislature, authorize the employment of such personnel as may be necessary to properly perform the function and carry out the objectives of this title.

e. Appoint an executive secretary who shall be the executive and administrative officer of the Board.

f. Render annually to the Herkimer County Legislature, and from time to time as required, a verified account of all monies received and expended by it or under its direction and an account of its proceedings and of other pertinent matters in such form and manner as may be required by such Board.

Section 6. Functions of the Board. The Board is authorized:

a. To promote and encourage street and highway traffic safety.

b. To formulate countywide highway safety programs and coordinate efforts of interested parties and agencies engaged in traffic safety education.

c. To cooperate with local officials within the county in the formulation and execution of traffic safety programs and activities.

d. To study traffic conditions on streets and highways within the county, study and analyze reports of accidents and causes thereof, and recommend to the appropriate legislative bodies, departments or commissions, such changes in rules, orders, regulations and existing law as the Board may deem advisable.

e. To conduct meetings within the county whenever and wherever the Board shall deem it advisable and to invite to such meetings, parties and agencies, public and private, interested in traffic regulation, control and safety education.

f. To promote safety education for drivers and pedestrians.

g. To obtain and assemble motor vehicle accident data, and to analyze, study and consolidate such data for educational and administrative purposes.

Section 7. Executive Secretary of the Board. The Executive Secretary of the Board shall:

a. Subject to the supervision and control of the Board, perform the functions necessary to properly and efficiently carry out the provisions and purposes of this title.

b. Be a citizen of the United States.

c. Receive such salary and expenses as the County Legislature may fix and properly account for such expenses.

d. Furnish an official undertaking in an amount and in such form and with such sureties as shall be approved by the County Legislature.

Section 8. This Local Law shall take effect immediately.

LOCAL LAW NO. 2 - 1972

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

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

Section 1. The annual salary of the Clerk of the Legislature shall be the sum of Nine Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty Dollars ($9,220.), and he shall receive increments as established in the salary schedule.

Section 2. The annual salary of the County Auditor shall be the sum of Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty Dollars ($7,850.), and he shall receive increments as established in the salary schedule.

Section 3. The annual salary of the Land Commissioner shall be the sum of Six Thousand Five Dollars ($6,005.), and he shall receive increments as established in the salary schedule.

Section 4. The annual salary of the Budget Officer and Purchasing Agent shall be the sum of Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty Dollars ($7,850.), and he shall receive increments as established in the salary schedule.

Section 5. The annual salary of the County Attorney shall be the sum of Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-five Dollars ($9,745.), and he shall receive increments as established in the salary schedule.

Section 6. The annual salary of the Commissioner of Social Services shall be the sum of Thirteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($13,500.).

Section 7. The annual salary of the Director of the Veteran's Service Agency shall be the sum of Six Thousand Three Hundred Seventy Dollars ($6,370.), and he shall receive increments as established in the salary schedule.

Section 8. This Local Law shall take effect forty-five (45) days after its adoption.

Adopted: November 27, 1972.