

#### UNION COUNTY BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

ORDINANCE NUMBER: 8/3 - 2020DATE OF INTRODUCTION: 4/23/2020DATE OF ADOPTION: 5/21/2020

4/23/2020

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND "THE LAWS OF UNION COUNTY: ADMINISTRATIVE CODE AND POLICIES AND GENERAL LEGISLATION" BY AMENDING: *PART 1-THE UNION COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE CODE*, CHAPTER 1, UNION COUNTY GOVERNMENT STRUCTURE, ARTICLE III, BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS §1-13 POWERS OF THE BOARD; AND, ARTICLE XXIII, OFFICE OF THE COUNTY COUNSEL §1-139, FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COUNTY COUNSEL.

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union that the "Laws of Union County" are hereby amended as outlined in the attached Schedule A:

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INTRODUCTION					RECORD OF VOTE					FINAL ADOPTION						
FREEHOLDER	Aye	Nay	Abs	Pass	Ord.	Sec	NP	FREEHOLDER	Aye	Nay	Abs	Pass	Ord.	Sec	NP	
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APPROVED AS TO FORM COUNTY ATTORNEY NO SUFFICIENCY F FUNDS REQUIRED			- Ch	I hereby certify the above is an original ordinance adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union on the aforementioned date. CLERK I hereby certify this is a true copy of a ordinance adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union on the aforementioned date.												

### **SCHEDULE** A

# PART I -ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

## Chapter 1, UNION COUNTY GOVERNMENT STRUCTURE

[HISTORY: Adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union 4-28-1976 by Ord. No. 1; amended in its entirety by Ord. No. 9-1984. Subsequent amendments noted where applicable.]

#### ARTICLE III, Board of Chosen Freeholders

[Amended 12-19-2019 by Ord. 811-2019]

#### § 1-13. Powers of Board.

The Board of Chosen Freeholders, in its dual role as an area-wide agency of state government empowered to administer state functions within the County and as an instrumentality of the people to provide area-wide services for their use and benefit:

- A. Shall appoint a County Manager in accordance with the provisions of Article IV, County Manager, § 1-24. [Amended 8-21-1997 by Ord. No. 454]
- B. Shall appoint a Clerk of the Board, who shall serve at the pleasure of the Board or for such term not to exceed three years and keep the records and minutes of the Board.
- C. Shall appoint a County Counsel to serve at the pleasure of the Board, who shall head the Office of County Counsel, and such Deputy and Assistant County Counsel as the County Counsel shall recommend and the Board approves. [Amended 8-21-1997 by Ord. No. 454; 6-10-1999 by Ord. No. 499; 1-4-2009 by Ord. 680-2009; Amended 2020, by Ord. ]

#### ARTICLE XXIII, Office of the County Counsel

[Amended 11-30-1985 by Ord. No. 232; 9-10-1987 by Ord. No. 275; 6-14-1988 by Ord. No. 297; 7-18-1991 by Ord. No. 337; 6-20-2002 by Ord. No 553; 9-13-2018 by Ord. 797-2018; Amended 2020- by Ord. ]

#### § 1-139. Functions and responsibilities of the County Counsel.

A. The County Counsel shall be the head of the Office of County Counsel and shall be responsible to the Board for its operation. He shall be appointed by the Board and shall serve at the pleasure of the Board. The County Counsel shall have at least five (5) years' experience as a practicing attorney licensed to practice in the State of New Jersey.