

**VILLAGE OF BUCHANAN  
RESOLUTION ABOLISHING THE OFFICE OF  
VILLAGE JUSTICE**

Introduced by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Seconded by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to section 3-301(2)(a) of the Village Law of the State of New York, the board of trustees of any village by resolution subject to permissive referendum may abolish the office of Village Justice to take effect upon the expiration of the current term of such office, and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees has investigated the effectiveness and has considered the financial prudence of abolishing said office and those resultant from the town justices assuming the functions previously performed by the village justice; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees finds that the needs of the Village for the prosecution of violations under the Village Code can be handled effectively by the Town Court.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Office of Village Justice be, and the same hereby is, abolished upon the expiration of the current term ending on April 6, 2014, subject to the Village of Buchanan and the Town of Cortlandt entering into an Intermunicipal Agreement for the disposition of revenue theretofore generated by the Office of Village Justice, said agreement to be approved by the respective boards of the Town and Village on or before the thirtieth (30) day after adoption of this resolution, and

**BE IF FURTHER RESOLVED** that this resolution is adopted subject to permissive referendum, and the Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to publish and post notice of such adoption in accordance with law; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** This resolution will be effective upon the date of the expiration of the period for referendum, or upon a referendum vote supporting the abolition of the office of the Village Justice.

Upon Roll Call Vote:

Mayor Sean Murray \_\_\_\_\_

Trustee Richard Funchion \_\_\_\_\_

Trustee Duane Jackson \_\_\_\_\_

Trustee Theresa Knickerbocker \_\_\_\_\_

Trustee Nicolas Zachary \_\_\_\_\_

Vote: Resolution carried by a vote of \_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_.

STATE OF NEW YORK            )  
COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER    )

I, KEVIN HAY, Village Administrator of the Village of Buchanan, do hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of a Resolution adopted by the Village Board of the Village of Buchanan at a meeting of said Board held January 6, 2014

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KEVIN HAY – Village Administrator/Clerk