

By Mr. Bertonazzi, a petition of Louis P. Bertonazzi and Paul Kollios (by vote of the town) for legislation to provide for the appointment of the town clerk in the town of Oxford. Local Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Three.

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TOWN CLERK IN THE TOWN OF OXFORD.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any general or special law to
2 the contrary, the Charter of the Town of Oxford is amended as
3 herein provided to provide that the town clerk of the Town of
4 Oxford shall be appointed by the town manager and approved
5 by the majority of the full board of selectmen of said Town, and
6 the person so appointed shall have all the powers and duties by
7 law vested in the office of town clerk. Any vacancy in such office
8 shall be filled in like manner, said town clerk to reside within the
9 Town of Oxford within six (6) months after being appointed, if
10 not already a resident.

1 SECTION 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section one,
2 the incumbent in the office of town clerk upon the effective date
3 of this act shall continue to hold said office and to perform the
4 duties thereof until the expiration of the term for which said
5 individual was elected and the appointment and qualification of
6 successor town clerk or until said individual otherwise vacates
7 such office.

1 SECTION 3. The Charter of the Town of Oxford is amended
2 as herein provided:

3 A. Strike from Section 4-1-1 of the Charter the words "a
4 town clerk".

5 B. Strike the first sentence of Section 4-6-1 of the Charter and
6 substitute therefor the following sentence, "A town clerk shall be
7 appointed by the town manager".

8 C. Add to Section 5-3-9 subsection (a) the words "a town clerk"
9 after the words "a town accountant".