

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NO. 3-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW 13-22 PROVIDING FOR A
MANAGEMENT SALARY PLAN FOR COUNTY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES
(re: CORONER SUPERVISOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH)

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

Section 1. Purpose.

The purpose of this Local Law is to amend the Management Salary Plan set forth in Local Law 13-22, and as amended, to set the salary for Coroner Supervisor for Department of Health.

Section 2. Salary Levels.

The title of Coroner Supervisor for Department of Health shall be placed in Range 5 (\$53,674 - \$82,248) of the 2024 Management Salary Plan.

Section 3. Severability.

In the event any provisions or part of this Local Law shall for any reason be adjudged invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of the Local Law.

Section 3. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall become effective upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsors: Legislator Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NO. 4-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW 13-22 PROVIDING FOR A
MANAGEMENT SALARY PLAN FOR COUNTY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES
(re: LAW GRADUATE FOR CHAUTQUA COUNTY LAW DEPARTMENTS)

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

Section 1. Purpose.

The purpose of this Local Law is to amend the Management Salary Plan set forth in Local Law 13-22, and as amended, to set the salary for Law Graduate for the Chautauqua County Law Departments including, County Attorney, Public Defender and District Attorney.

Section 2. Salary Levels.

The title of Law Graduate for the Chautauqua County Law Departments shall be placed in Range 10 (\$70,676 - \$108,563) of the 2024 Management Salary Plan.

Section 3. Severability.

In the event any provisions or part of this Local Law shall for any reason be adjudged invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of the Local Law.

Section 3. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall become effective upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsors: Legislator Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NUMBER 5-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW 7-07 REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW SECTION
459-C “PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES AND LIMITED INCOMES” REAL PROPERTY
TAX EXEMPTION

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

Section I. Purpose.

Pursuant to New York Real Property Tax Law Section 459-c, the County adopted as Local Law 7-07 a fifty per centum exemption from real property taxes for persons with disabilities and limited incomes. The purpose of this local law is to amend the income levels the exemption authorized pursuant to Section 459-c of the Real Property Tax Law.

Section II. Maximum Allowable Income.

Pursuant to Section 459-c(5) (a), of the New York Real Property Tax Law, the maximum income allowable for the exemption for the income tax year immediately preceding the date of making the application for the exemption shall be fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00)

Section III. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall take effect March 1, 2024.

Sponsors: Legislators Parker and Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NO. 6-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW 13-22 PROVIDING FOR A
MANAGEMENT SALARY PLAN FOR COUNTY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES
(re: County Historian)

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

Section 1. Purpose.

The purpose of this Local Law is to amend the Management Salary Plan set forth in
Local Law 13-22, and as amended, to set the salary for the County Historian.

Section 2. Salary Levels.

The title of County Historian shall be placed as a Management Designated Flat Salary of
\$30,000.

Section 3. Severability.

In the event any provisions or part of this Local Law shall for any reason be adjudged
invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate
the remainder of the Local Law.

Section 4. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall become effective upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsor: Legislator Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NUMBER 7-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY CHARTER
(Amending Section 4.05)

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

Section I. Amendments to County Charter.

A. Section 4.05 of the Chautauqua County Charter is hereby amended as follows:

Section 4.05 Salary Commission

Not later than April 1, 2027, and at least every four (4) years thereafter, there shall be appointed a bi-partisan County Salary Commission to review and recommend the salaries of all elected officials except those whose salaries are established, directly or indirectly, by State Law. The salary of all officers elected for a fixed term shall not be increased or diminished between the date of such election and the expiration of such term except (1) in accordance with a schedule adopted prior to the time such officer was elected to office which provides higher or lower rates of compensation during said term, or (2) as otherwise mandated by the County Charter, state or federal laws, rules or regulations. Said Commission shall be composed of seven (7) citizens appointed by the County Legislature.

The Commission shall recommend to the County Executive and County Legislature, on or before November 1, 2027, and at least every four (4) years thereafter, salary adjustments for elected offices at least one (1) year prior to the general election in which that office is scheduled to be filled.

Section II. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsors: Legislator Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NUMBER 8-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY CHARTER (Amending Section 4.06)

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

Section I. Amendments to County Charter.

A. Section 4.06 of the Chautauqua County Charter is hereby amended as indicated:

~~Section 4.06 – Salaries of the County Executive, County Sheriff, and County Clerk~~

~~_____The annual salaries of the County Executive, County Sheriff, and County Clerk shall be as follows commencing on the date indicated:~~

~~_____County Executive: _____ January 1, 2018: \$92,500.00~~

~~_____County Sheriff: _____ January 1, 2019: \$85,000.00~~

~~_____County Clerk: _____ January 1, 2018: \$55,500.00~~

Section II. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsors: Legislator Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NO. 9-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

ESTABLISHING SALARY LEVEL FOR CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY EXECUTIVE

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

1. Salary Level for County Executive. Effective January 1, 2026, the annual salary of the County Executive shall be increased by \$16,210.00.

2. Effective Date. This Local Law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsors: Legislator Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NO. 10-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

ESTABLISHING SALARY LEVEL FOR CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY CLERK

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

1. Salary Level for County Clerk. Effective January 1, 2026, the annual salary of the County Clerk shall be increased by \$17,880.00
2. Effective Date. This Local Law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsors: Legislator Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NO. 11-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

ESTABLISHING SALARY LEVEL FOR CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY SHERIFF

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

1. Salary Level for County Sheriff. Effective January 1, 2027, the annual salary of the County Sheriff shall be increased by \$10,355.00.

2. Effective Date. This Local Law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsors: Legislator Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NO. 12-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW 7-99 ESTABLISHING SALARY LEVELS FOR
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY LEGISLATORS

BE IT ENACTED, by the Chautauqua County Legislature, as follows:

1. Purpose.

The Purpose of this local law is to establish the salary for County Legislators effective January 1, 2026, and provide additional compensation for the chairman, majority and minority leaders, assistant majority and minority leaders, assistant majority and assistant minority leaders, committee chairmen, and ranking members of committees in recognition of the additional time and effort required for such positions.

2. Salary Levels.

Effective January 1, 2026, the annual salary for County Legislators shall be \$14,732.00. The following positions shall receive the listed annual compensation in addition to the regular salary:

Chairman of the Legislature	\$8000
Majority Leader	\$1000
Minority Leader	\$1000
Assistant Majority Leader	\$ 500
Assistant Minority Leader	\$ 500
Each Committee Chairman	\$1000
Each Ranking Member of Committees	\$ 250

3. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsors: Legislator Scudder

LOCAL LAW
INTRODUCTORY NUMBER 13-24
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY CHARTER
(Amending Section 4.07)

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

Section I. Amendments to County Charter.

A. Section 4.07 of the Chautauqua County Charter is hereby amended as follows:

Section 4.06 Annual Cost of Living Adjustment to the Salaries of the County
Executive, County Legislators', County Sheriff, and County Clerk

In the absence of a local law or charter law in effect on or before July 1 that specifically designates the salary of the County Executive, County Legislators', County Sheriff, or County Clerk ~~for the following calendar year commencing in 2019~~, the existing annual salary of the County Executive, County Legislators', County Sheriff, or County Clerk (as the case may be) shall be increased in the following calendar year by a percentage equal to any percentage increase in the United States Department of Labor CPI-U for the prior calendar year.

Section II. Effective Date.

This Local Law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsors: Legislator Scudder