

**VILLAGE OF BUCHANAN  
RESOLUTION CHANGING THE DATE FOR THE  
VILLAGE ELECTION FROM MARCH TO NOVEMBER**

Introduced by: \_\_\_\_\_

Seconded by: \_\_\_\_\_

Dated:

**WHEREAS**, The Village of Buchanan currently holds elections every year on the third Tuesday of March for Village Trustees and every two years for the Village Mayor; and

**WHEREAS**, holding Village elections on the same date as the general elections may result in a stronger turn-out, especially during a Presidential year or other major elections; and

**WHEREAS**, holding Village elections on the same date as the general elections would save the village from having to pay for an additional election and allow for board training and participation in the budget process; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 15-104(1)(c) of the New York State Election Law, the Village Board of Trustees of a Village may, by resolution subject to permissive referendum, change the date of the Village elections from the third Tuesday in March to the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, to correspond with general elections.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Village election shall be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, the same date as the general election, starting in the year 2022; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this Resolution is subject to **Permissive Referendum** as provided in Article 9 of the New York State Village Law; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the term of any Village official whose term would otherwise expire shall be extended until the beginning of the new term of office for such official following the general election; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**; the Village Board of Trustees authorizes the Village Clerk to take such action as may be necessary to effectuate the terms of this Resolution.

Upon Roll Call Vote:

Mayor Theresa Knickerbocker \_\_\_\_\_

Trustee Anthony Capicotti \_\_\_\_\_

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

Trustee Sean Murray \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

STATE OF NEW YORK            )  
  )SS.:  
COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER    )

I, CYNTHIA KEMPTER, Village Clerk 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 July , 2021.

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Cynthia Kempter, Village Clerk