Intro No. 192

## LOCAL LAW NO. 5 OF 2020

## ENACTING A LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE MONROE COUNTY CHARTER TO CHANGE THE DATE FOR FILLING VACANCIES IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, as follows:

Section 1. Section C2-5 A. (2) of the Monroe County Charter is amended to read as follows:

A vacancy in the County Legislature shall be filled by appointment by the President of the County Legislature within 30 days of such vacancy. If such vacancy occurs before September 20 at least three months before the general election in any year, the appointee shall serve for the balance of that year, and a successor shall be elected at the general election held next after the occurrence of such vacancy for the unexpired portion of the term for which such appointment shall have been made or for a full term, as the case may be. If such vacancy occurs on or after September 20 less than three months before the general election in any year, unless the term will expire in the year in which the vacancy occurred, the appointee shall serve until the end of the following year, and a successor shall be elected at the general election held in the year next after the occurrence of such vacancy for the unexpired portion of the term for which such appointment shall have been made or for a full term, as the case may be. If such vacancy occurs on or after September 20 less than three months before the general election and the term expires in the year in which the vacancy occurs, the appointee shall serve for the balance of that year. If no candidate for said office has been duly elected at the general election in the year in which such vacancy occurs, said office shall again be deemed to be vacant as of the first day of January of the next succeeding year.

Section 2. This local law shall take effect in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Home Rule Law and the Monroe County Charter.

Committee of the Whole; April 29, 2020 - CV: 29-0

File No. 20-0142.LL

ADOPTION: Date: June 9, 2020

Vote: 28-0

ACTION BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

APPROVED:

EFFECTIVE DATE OF LOCAL LAW:

DATE: 7/9/2020

Added language is underlined. Deleted language is stricken.