Town of East Hampton

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Middlesex County, Connecticut

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Ordinance No. 2021.02

An Ordinance Amending Article III of Chapter 130 of the Code of the Town of East Hampton Regarding Board of Finance Term Limits

WHEREAS, the Code of the Town of East Hampton provides for term limits for certain bodies of the Town including the Board of Finance, which is limited to service of two consecutive terms, and;

WHEREAS, the term limit for the Board of Finance is ambiguous as it relates to whether a person who was appointed to serve a portion of a vacant term and was then elected to a term is allowed under the Code to consecutively be elected an additional term, and;

WHEREAS, the Town Council desires to remove ambiguity by amending the Code to provide as follows.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to Section 2.4 of the Town of East Hampton Charter, the Town Council of the Town of East Hampton does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1: Section 130-7 of the Code of the Town of East Hampton regarding Implementation of four-year terms and term limits is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

§ 130-7 Implementation of four-year terms; term limits.

Commencing with the Town election in November 1989, one member shall be elected to a four-year term. All other members elected and serving as of November 1989, shall continue in office until their terms expire so that three members shall be elected to four-year terms in November 1991, and four members shall be elected to four-year terms in November 1993. No member shall be elected to more than two consecutive terms.

Section 2: This ordinance is effective immediately upon its adoption and publication in accordance with Connecticut Statutes.

Approved this _____ day of _____, 2021.

TOWN COUNCIL

ATTEST

James Brown, Chairperson

Kelly Bilodeau, Town Clerk