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Bayfield County, Wisconsin



**Ordinance To Extend Town Officer Terms In Response To Election Law Changes**

WHEREAS, the term of elected Town Offices (other than elected assessors) have previously begun on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday in April;

WHEREAS, town offices (other than assessors) elected in April 2012 and thereafter will now have their terms of office commence on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday in April due to recent state election law changes;

WHEREAS, this law change results in a week long "gap" between the end of the current terms of office for those offices elected in either 2010 or 2012 and thereafter and the start of the new terms of office for those offices elected in April 2012 or April 2013 and thereafter;

WHEREAS, 2011 Wis. Act AB 476 and SB 381 provides that a Town Board may enact an ordinance providing that the terms of any elective officers in the town who were elected or appointed to serve for terms expiring on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday in April 2012 or 2013 and thereafter may be extended to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday in April in the same year in which the terms would otherwise have expired;

THEREFORE, be it hereby ordained by the Town Board of the Town of Keystone, Bayfield County, that the terms of elected town offices which shall expire after 11:59 P.M. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of April in either April 2012 or April 2013 and thereafter shall be extended until the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of April in the same year in which the terms would otherwise have expired.

This Ordinance shall be effective upon publication or posting by the Town Clerk as required, pursuant to s. 60.80, Wis. Stat. Adopted this thirteenth day of March, 2012.

By the Town Board of the Town of Keystone, Bayfield County, Wisconsin

  
Town Chairperson

Attest  Town Clerk