

LOCAL LAW NO. 1-1971  
CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A Local Law Establishing an Industrial Development Commission

BE IT ENACTED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Chautauqua as follows:

*Section 1.* It is the purpose of this Local Law to promote the economic welfare of the people in the County of Chautauqua and to promote, attract, encourage and develop commerce and industry for the purpose of preventing unemployment and economic deterioration by the creation of an Industrial Development Commission which is hereby declared to be a governmental agency and to grant to such agency the rights and powers provided in this Local Law. The use of such rights and powers is a public purpose essential to the public interest, and for which public funds may be expended.

*Section 2.* The Board of Supervisors hereby establishes a five member Commission to be known as the Industrial Development Commission.

*Section 3.* The five-member Commission shall be appointed by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors with the approval of said Board. The Chairman of said commission shall be one of its members who shall be so designated by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors with the approval of said Board. The term of each member of the Commission shall be five years, and the term of one of the members shall expire annually, provided, however that the first appointments shall be made for the respective terms of five, four, three, two and one years. The Chairman shall be appointed for a term of one year. Any vacancy occurring in said commission shall be filled for the unexpired term by appointment in the manner above provided.

*Section 4.* The commissioner and the chairman of said commission shall receive no compensation for serving as commissioner or chairman of said commission. The commissioners and chairman shall be reimbursed for their expenses including mileage allowance as provided by the rules of the Board of Supervisors.

*Section 5.* The purposes of this commission are to assist a Chautauqua County Industrial Agency to be created and to promote, develop, encourage and assist commerce and industry in the County of Chautauqua and thereby advance the job opportunities, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of this county and to improve their standard of living and to carry out the aforesaid purposes. The commission shall have the power to do all things necessary or convenient to carry out its purposes and exercise the powers given in this local law together with the power to employ personnel as authorized by the Board of Supervisors.

*Section 6.* The County of Chautauqua is hereby authorized to appropriate and expend county funds in carrying out the purposes authorized herein.

*Section 7.* This local law shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors: 12/22/71

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