Submitted by the County Executive and Introduced By Presiding Officer Norma Gonsalves

LOCAL LAW NO. 17 - 2014

A LOCAL LAW TO AMEND THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT LAW OF NASSAU COUNTY IN RELATION TO THE MANAGEMENT AND OPERATION OF A NASSAU COUNTY FIXED ROUTE TRANSIT AND PARATRANSIT BUS SYSTEM.

Passed by the Nassau County Legislature on November 17, 2014 Voting: ayes: 16 nayes: 0 abstained: 0

Became a law on November 20, 2014 with the approvel of the County Executive.

BE IT ENACTED by the County Legislature of the County of Nassau as follows:

Section 1. Section 209(3)(c) of the County Government Law of Nassau County is amended to read as follows:

- 3. Nassau County Bus Transit Committee
- c. The Transit Committee shall consist of nine members. The members of the Transit Committee shall be appointed by, and serve at the pleasure of, the County Executive. Two members appointed to the Transit

Committee shall be appointed on the recommendation of the Presiding Officer of the County Legislature and two members appointed to the Transit Committee shall be appointed on the recommendation of the Minority Leader of the County. Each appointee shall, at a minimum, be a Nassau County resident and have professional transportation experience, or other relevant experience, in the New York Metropolitan Transportation Council region. Under no circumstances shall any officer or employee of Nassau County or any entity the County has contracted with to operate the bus system established pursuant to subsection 2 of this section, or any subcontractor to such entity, service on the Transit Committee.

- § 2. Severability. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section, or part of this law or the application thereof to any person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such order or judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section or part of this law, or in its application to the person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance directly involved in the controversy in which such order or judgment shall be rendered.
- § 3. It is hereby determined, pursuant to the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, 8 N.Y.E.C.L. Section 0101 et seq. and its implementing regulations, Part 617 of 6 N.Y.C.R.R., and Section 1611 of the County Government Law of Nassau County, that the adoption of this local law is a "Type II"

Action within the meaning of Section 617.5(c)(20) and (27) of 6 N.Y.C.R.R., and, accordingly, is of a class of actions which do not have a significant effect on the environment; and no further review is required.

This local law shall take effect immediately. § 4.

County Executive

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