

VILLAGE OF OTTER LAKE
ELECTION ORDINANCE
ORDINANCE NUMBER 28

An ordinance to provide for biennial village elections; to provide four-year terms of office for village officials; and to provide for the extension of certain terms of office in order to achieve the staggering of terms as provided for in section 5 of chapter 11 of public act 255 of 1998.

THE VILLAGE OF OTTER LAKE ORDAINS:

- Section 1. **BIENNIAL ELECTIONS.** Commencing with the Village election in 2004, all elections for Village office shall be held in even numbered years.
- Section 2. **PRESIDENT TERM OF OFFICE.** The term of office for the Village President shall be four years, commencing with the Village election in 2004.
- Section 3. **CLERK TERM OF OFFICE.** The term of office for the Village Clerk shall be four years, commencing with the Village election in 2004.
- Section 4. **TREASURER TERM OF OFFICE.** The term of office for the shall be four years, commencing with the Village election in 2006. At the 2004 Village election, the Village Treasurer shall be elected for a two year term.
- Section 5. **TRUSTEE TERMS OF OFFICE.** The terms of office of the six Village Trustees shall be four years, commencing with the Village elections in 2004 and 2006. Three trustees shall be elected in 2004. The other three trustees shall be elected in 2006.
- Section 6. **EXTENSION OF CERTAIN TRUSTEE TERMS OF OFFICE:** The terms of office of the three Village Trustees elected for two year terms in 2003 are hereby extended until 2006. Those three trustee positions shall then be elected for four year terms commencing with the election to be held in 2006.

The undersigned Clerk of the village of Otter Lake hereby certifies that this ordinance was duly adopted by the Otter Lake village Council at a meeting held on the 5th day of May, 2003. Ordinance will take effect 20 days after date of adoption.

Joan A. Skias
Joan Skias, clerk