



**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: December 4, 2013

Sponsored by Council Members: Berg, Webb, Motsavage, Matzo, Rennia, Mihalko, Papastrat

Introduced by Committee: Employees

RESOLUTION

entitled

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MAYORAL
APPOINTMENT OF PHILIP T. KREY TO THE
POSITION OF CITY ENGINEER FOR A TERM
OF SIX YEARS BEGINNING ON JANUARY 1,
2014, PURSUANT TO LOCAL LAW 13-1**

WHEREAS, the City Charter C-12, *Terms of office*, provides that the position of City Engineer is for a two year term; and

WHEREAS, on August 22, 2012, the Common Council of the City of Binghamton passed Local Law No. 12-2 of 2102, to amend the City Charter to provide for the position of City Engineer to be appointed by the Mayor, subject to approval of City Council, for a six year term beginning on January 1, 2013, and that such Local Law would be subject to “approval of the electors at a general election of state or local government officers to be held on November 6, 2012”; and

WHEREAS, the stated purpose for such Local Law was, “the Council of the City of Binghamton believes that the position of City Engineer, which provides oversight and planning for City projects and currently the repair and remediation of the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Treatment Plant, requires unique professional skills and consistency”; and

WHEREAS, Local Law No. 12-2 of 2012, was inadvertently omitted from the general election held on November 6, 2012; and

WHEREAS, on March 20, 2013, the Common Council of the City of Binghamton passed Local Law No. 13-1 of 2103, to re-affirm Local Law No. 12-2 of 2012, to amend the City Charter to provide for the position of City Engineer to be appointed by the Mayor, subject to approval of City Council, for a six year term beginning on January 1, 2014, and that such Local Law would be subject to “approval of the electors at a general election of state or local government officers to be held on November 5, 2013”; and

WHEREAS, the City Council repeated the purpose for such Local Law was, “the Council of the City of Binghamton believes that the position of City Engineer, which provides oversight and planning for City projects and currently the repair and remediation of the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Treatment Plant, requires unique professional skills and consistency”; and

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WHEREAS, the electors approved the amendment to the City Charter as proposed in Local Law No. 13-1 of 2013; and

WHEREAS, Law No. 13-1 of 2013 was properly filed with the Secretary of State on November 22, 2013; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has appointed Philip T. Krey, subject to approval by City Council, as the City Engineer for a six year term beginning on January 1, 2014; and

WHEREAS, City Council wishes to approve such appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby resolve as follows:

RESOLVED that pursuant to Local Law No. 13-1 of 2013, City Council hereby approves the Mayor's appointment of Philip T. Krey as the City Engineer for a term of six years beginning on January 1, 2014.

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy
of the legislation adopted by the Council
of the City of Binghamton at a meeting
held on 12/4/13. Approved by the
Mayor on 12/5/13.



Introductory No. R13-109

Permanent No. R13-100

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The within Resolution was adopted by the Council of
the City of Binghamton.

DECEMBER 4, 2013
Date
Douglas Holmes
City Clerk

DECEMBER 5, 2013
Date Presented to Mayor
12/5/13
Date Approved
Michael R. Ry
Mayor

	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Motsavage	✓			
Mihalko				✓
Rennia	✓			
Webb	✓			
Papastrat	✓			
Matzo	✓			
Berg	✓			
Total	6	0	0	1

Code of the City of Binghamton

Adopted Defeated

6 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Abstain 1 Absent