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Inter-Departmental Memo

To: Michael C Pulitzer, Clerk of the Legislature

From: Peter J. Clines, Esq., Minority Counsel Lon Pool

CC: Hon. Richard Nicolello, Presiding Officer

Hon. Kevan Abrahams, Minority Leader

Date: September 19, 2018

Re: A LOCAL LAW TO AMEND ORDINANCE 543-1995, AS AMENDED BY

ORDINANCE NOS. 46-C-2000 AND 38-A-2014, IN RELATION TO THE BENEFITS

PROVIDED FOR CERTAIN NON-CONTRACT OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES.

Attached please find the above referenced proposed resolution which has been approved as to form per the Rules of the Legislature. Kindly distribute a copy to Presiding Officer Richard Nicolello along with our request that this item be placed on the next available legislative agenda.

Kindly provide a time stamped hard copy acknowledgement of your receipt.

Thank you.

Introduced by: Legislator Siela Bynoe

PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. -2018

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE NASSAU COUNTY LEGISLATURE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. A new subsection (iv) is hereby added to section 3.1 of Ordinance No. 543-1995, as amended by Ordinance Nos. 46-C-2000 and 38-A-2014, as follows:

(iv) For officers and employees of the County of Nassau that are not represented by a collective bargaining unit hired on or after January 1, 2018.

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 (10) days of vacation at the commencement of the second, third, and fourth

 anniversary year of employment. Each officer and employee shall take no fewer than

 five (5) consecutive days of vacation time during a calendar year.
 - (i) A maximum of five (5) days can be carried over to the next anniversary year of employment.
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- Section 2. A new subsection (iv) is hereby added to Section 3.7 of Ordinance No. 543-1995, as amended by Ordinance Nos. 46-C-2000 and 38-A-2014, as follows:
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- Section 3. A new subsection (e) is hereby added to Section 3.6 of Ordinance No. 543-1995, as amended by Ordinance Nos. 46-C-2000 and 38-A-2014, as follows:

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(i) Personal leave days shall be credited on the anniversary date of officers and employees pursuant to Section 3.15(a)(ii) of Ordinance No. 46-C-2000.

Section 5. 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.

Section 6. SEQRA Determination. 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.

Section 7. Effective Date. This local law shall take effect immediately.

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