BARNSTABLE COUNTY

In the Year Two Thousand and Ten

Ordinance 10-10

To revise and amend the Barnstable County Home Rule Charter in accordance with Section 9-4 of the Barnstable County Home Rule Charter to change the date for organization to no later than the 15th of January.

Barnstable County hereby ordains:

Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary the county of Barnstable shall be governed by the provisions of the following revised home rule charter. If the revisions and amendments are accepted by the voters of Barnstable County at the State election held in the current year the county of Barnstable shall thereafter be governed by the provisions of this ordinance: to the extent that the provisions of this ordinance modify or are otherwise inconsistent with any special or general law the provisions of this act shall govern. The charter shall become effective upon its passage. In the event that this amendment to the charter is not approved by a majority of voters voting thereon, the Barnstable County Home Rule Charter as described in chapter 163 of the acts of 1988 and chapter 716 of the acts of 1989 and chapter 2 of the acts of 1990, as amended by the voters at the November election in 2000, shall remain in full force and effect.

ARTICLE 2 -- LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Delete: The assembly of delegates shall meet on the first business day in January of each odd numbered year for the purpose of organization and add language as shown in bold below.

Section 2 - 2. Organization; Speaker; Deputy Speaker; Clerk

(a) Organization – In the month of January following an election cycle, the Assembly of Delegates shall meet to organize no later than the 15th of the month.

Adopted by the Assembly of Delegates on June 2, 2010.

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Approved by the Board of Regional Commissioners

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Date 12:00 pm Time