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## **HOUSE BILL No. 6037**

December 2, 2014, Introduced by Rep. Price and referred to the Committee on Local Government.

A bill to amend 1966 PA 293, entitled

"An act to provide for the establishment of charter counties; to provide for the election of charter commissioners; to prescribe their powers and duties; to prohibit certain acts of a county board of commissioners after the approval of the election of a charter commission; to prescribe the mandatory and permissive provisions of a charter; to provide for the exercise by a charter county of certain powers whether or not authorized by its charter; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies,"

by amending sections 7 and 17 (MCL 45.507 and 45.517).

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 7. (1) Upon the passage of the resolution, the county clerk, within 3 business days, shall transmit a certified copy thereof OF THE RESOLUTION to the clerk of each city, village, and
- 4 township in his OR HER county.
  - (2) The BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2015, THE county clerk shall publish

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- 1 a notice of election, and TOGETHER WITH the proposition and office
- 2 to be voted upon, in at least 1 newspaper having general
- 3 circulation in the county. The BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2015, THE first
- 4 publication shall be not less than 10 days prior to BEFORE the
- 5 election. The BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2015, THE county clerk shall also
- 6 cause a notice of election, together with the proposition and
- 7 office to be voted upon, to be posted in 2 or more conspicuous
- 8 places in each precinct within the county. Upon BEFORE JANUARY 1,
- 9 2015, UPON the request of the county clerk, the posting shall be
- 10 done by the clerk of the local unit of government. BEGINNING
- 11 JANUARY 1, 2015, THE COUNTY CLERK SHALL, NOT LESS THAN 10 DAYS
- 12 BEFORE THE ELECTION, PROVIDE TIER A PUBLIC NOTICE WITH A LINK OF
- 13 THE NOTICE OF ELECTION, TOGETHER WITH THE PROPOSITION AND OFFICE TO
- 14 BE VOTED UPON, AS SET FORTH IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT PUBLIC NOTICE
- 15 ACT.
- 16 Sec. 17. (1) Upon the passage of the resolution by the charter
- 17 commission fixing the date for the submission and election, the
- 18 county clerk, within 3 business days, shall transmit a certified
- 19 copy of the resolution, together with a copy of the proposed
- 20 charter, to the clerk of each city, village, and township within
- 21 his OR HER county.
- 22 (2) The BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2015, THE county clerk shall cause
- 23 the proposed charter to be published in at least 1 newspaper having
- 24 general circulation within the county. The BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2015,
- 25 THE charter shall be published not less than 2 weeks nor OR more
- 26 than 4 weeks prior to BEFORE the election. BEGINNING JANUARY 1,
- 27 2015, THE COUNTY CLERK SHALL, NOT LESS THAN 2 WEEKS OR MORE THAN 4

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- 1 WEEKS BEFORE THE ELECTION, PROVIDE TIER A PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE
- 2 PROPOSED CHARTER AS SET FORTH IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT PUBLIC NOTICE
- 3 ACT.
- 4 (3) The county clerk shall also cause to be published a notice
- 5 of election in accordance with TO BE PROVIDED AS SET FORTH IN
- 6 section 7.
- 7 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 8 unless Senate Bill No. \_\_\_\_ or House Bill No. 5560 (request no.
- 9 03796'13) of the 97th Legislature is enacted into law.