## TOWN OF NEWTON

## ORDINANCE 6816

WHEREAS, the Town of Newton desires to change the Town Clerk position from an elective office to an appointive office; and

WHEREAS, said Ordinance would take effect upon the expiration of the term of the incumbent officer; and

WHEREAS, a person appointed to the office of the Town Clerk shall serve for a term not to exceed three years which term is set by the Town Board; and

WHEREAS, not sooner than two years after said Ordinance is approved in a referendum, the Town Board may enact an Ordinance to return to a system of electing the Town Clerk.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Board of the Town of Newton hereby ordains that a referendum be submitted for the November 8, 2016 election which states as follows:

"Shall the person holding the office of Town Clerk in the

Town of Newton be appointed by the Town Board."

	YES	NO
Dated this 8 <sup>th</sup> day of June,	2016.	
		TOWN OF NEWTON
		Kevin Behnke, Chairman
		Denise Thomas., Supervisor
ATTEST:		Mark Knorr, Supervisor
Barbara Pankratz, Clerk		