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Short Title: Broadway Staggered Terms.

(Local)

Sponsors: Representatives Hall and Davis.

Referred to: Ways and Means.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO PROVIDE STAGGERED TERMS FOR THE TOWN OF BROADWAY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. Section 3 of the Charter of the Town of Broadway, being Chapter 548 of the Session Laws of 1947 as amended by Chapter 789 of the Session Laws of 1949, reads as rewritten:

"Sec. 3. At the time of the holding of the next general election following ratification of this Act, and ~~biennially~~ thereafter, there shall be elected in the Town of Broadway in accordance with the provisions of Article 3 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, as amended, the following officers: ~~A mayor, five town commissioners, and a town constable.~~ A mayor and five town commissioners. The mayor shall be elected for a four-year term. In 1997, the three persons receiving the highest numbers of votes for town commissioner are elected to four-year terms, and the two persons receiving the next highest numbers of votes for town commissioner are elected to two-year terms. In 1999 and quadrennially thereafter, two town commissioners are elected to four-year terms. In 2001 and quadrennially thereafter, three town commissioners are elected to four-year terms. The mayor and the five town commissioners so elected shall constitute the governing body of the Town of Broadway, and such governing body may appoint such

- 1 other officers and employ such assistants as the governing body of the town may deem
2 necessary for the better governance of the town."
3 Section 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.