

ASSEMBLY, No. 360

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED FEBRUARY 13, 1968

By Assemblymen CRANE, HOLLENBECK, DE KORTE and
COSTA

Referred to Committee on County and Municipal Government

AN ACT authorizing the creation by ordinance of the office of
municipal administrator, and supplementing chapter 46 of Title
40 of the Revised Statutes.

1 BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
2 *of New Jersey:*

1 1. The governing body of any municipality, may by ordinance
2 create the office of municipal administrator, to administer the busi-
3 ness affairs of the municipality to have such powers, and perform
4 such duties other than those required by law to be exercised by
5 the governing body itself or by another officer, board or body, and
6 receive such compensation, as the ordinance creating such office
7 shall provide and as may from time to time otherwise be directed
8 by the governing body by ordinance.

1 2. Appointment to the office of municipal administrator shall be
2 made by the mayor or chief executive officer of the municipality,
3 with the advice and consent of the governing body. In townships,
4 and in municipalities with a commission form of government, the
5 municipal administrator shall be appointed by majority vote of
6 the governing body. The term of office of the municipal administra-
7 tor shall be at the pleasure of the governing body.

1 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS TO
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ADOPTED APRIL 25, 1968

Amend page 1, section 2, after line 7, add new section 3 as follows:

“3. The municipal administrator may be removed by a $\frac{2}{3}$ vote of the governing body. The resolution of removal shall become effective 3 months after its adoption by the governing body. The governing body may provide that the resolution shall have immediate effect, provided, however, that the governing body shall cause to be paid to the administrator forthwith any unpaid balance of his salary and his salary for the next 3 calendar months following adoption of the resolution.”

Amend page 1, section 3, line 1, delete “3.”, insert “4.”.

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1 ***[3.]*** *4.* This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill
is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.