GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 1653

Short Title: Broadway Mayoral Terms.

(Local)

Sponsors: Representatives Cox and Davis.

Referred to: Local Government I.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1 2 AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF BROADWAY TO ALLOW THE MAYOR TO BE ELECTED IN THE SAME YEARS AS TWO 3 4 TOWN COMMISSIONERS. 5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts: Section 1. Section 3 of the Charter of the Town of Broadway, being Chapter 6 7 548 of the 1947 Session Laws, as amended by Chapter 789 of the 1949 Session Laws and Chapter 416 of the 1997 Session Laws, reads as rewritten: 8 "Sec. 3. At the time of the holding of the next general election following ratification 9 of this Act, and thereafter, there shall be elected in the Town of Broadway in accordance 10 with the provisions of Article 3 of Chapter 160 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, 11 as amended, the following officers: A mayor and five town commissioners. The mayor 12 shall be elected for a four-year term. In 2001, the Mayor shall be elected for a two-year 13 term. In 2003 and quadrennially thereafter, the Mayor shall be elected for a four-year 14 term. In 1997, the three persons receiving the highest numbers of votes for town 15 commissioner are elected to four-year terms, and the two persons receiving the next 16 highest numbers of votes for town commissioner are elected to two-year terms. In 1999 17 and quadrennially thereafter, two town commissioners are elected to four-year terms. In 18 19 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 20

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