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Act No. M-16 (H.742). Municipal government; municipal charters; Town of Milton; amendments

An act relating to approval of amendments to the charter of the Town of Milton

This act amends the charter of the Town of Milton to:

- make nonsubstantive technical amendments throughout the charter;
- authorize the Town to establish a system of police protection and to create and equip a Police Department;
- align the Town's criminal ordinance provisions with State law governing ordinances designated as criminal;
- eliminate the charter requirement for the election of a Moderator and instead provide for the appointment of the Moderator by the Selectboard;
- redesignate the Zoning Board of Adjustment as the Development Review Board;
- provide that the Town Manager and School District Superintendent may run for statewide office with approval of the Selectboard or Town School Board, respectively; and
- require the Selectboard to adopt Selectboard policies.

Effective Date: May 31, 2022