STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

March 11, 2024

Introduced by Sen. SKOUFIS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Finance

AN ACT to ratify and confirm the creation of water district no. 14 of the town of Monroe and to authorize the issuance of bonds or notes by the town of Monroe to finance certain inter-fund borrowings by water district no. 14 from such town's general fund

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the establishment of water district number 14 within the town of Monroe, made up of the water system previously owned and operated by Orchard Hill Water Company and which has been owned and operated by the town of Monroe by mandate from the public service commission since 2013, is hereby ratified and confirmed. Said water district established pursuant to this act shall be funded, operated, expanded and otherwise controlled in accordance with the provisions of articles 12 and 12-A of the town law and the provisions of this act. To the extent that the provisions of this act shall in any way be in conflict with articles 12 and 12-A of the town law, the provisions of this act shall be controlling.

§ 2. The town of Monroe is authorized to issue bonds or notes in accordance with the local finance law to finance the costs of certain capital improvements made by such town at the time such town acquired the water system that is currently operated within water district number 14. The issuance of said bonds or notes shall not be subject to the approval of the state comptroller.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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