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Short Title: City of Monroe/Supervision of Attorney. (Local)

Sponsors: Senator Tucker (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF MONROE TO REMOVE THE  
3 PROVISION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO HAVE DIRECT  
4 SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY OVER THE CITY ATTORNEY.  
5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:  
6 SECTION 1. Section 4.8 of the Charter of the City of Monroe, being S.L. 2000-35,  
7 reads as rewritten:  
8 "Section 4.8. **Council-Manager Relationship.** The Council shall hold the City Manager  
9 responsible for the proper management of the affairs of the City and he or she shall keep the  
10 Council informed of the conditions and needs of the City and shall make such reports and  
11 recommendations as may be requested by the Council or as he or she may deem necessary. The  
12 City Manager shall have the authority to appoint and remove all officers, department heads, and  
13 employees in the administrative service of the City, except those provided in this Charter to be  
14 appointed and removed by the Council. The City Manager shall have direct supervisory  
15 authority over the ~~City Attorney~~, City Clerk, Chief of Police, and Tax Collector in the  
16 performance of their respective duties and responsibilities. Neither the Mayor, the City  
17 Council, nor any member thereof shall direct the conduct or activities of any City employee,  
18 directly or indirectly, except through the City Manager."  
19 SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.

