

Warren County Board of Supervisors

RESOLUTION NO. 244 OF 2018

RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY SUPERVISORS STROUGH, LEGGETT, BRAYMER, WILD, MCDEVITT, DIAMOND, DICKINSON, GERAGHTY, MAGOWAN, SOKOL AND DRISCOLL

SUPPORTING NEW YORK STATE SENATE BILL S8210, AN ACT TO AMEND THE EXECUTIVE LAW, IN RELATION TO THE COST OF MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS OF VETERANS' SERVICE AGENCIES

WHEREAS, New York State Senate Bill S8210 (same as A10714), seeks to provide additional financial resources to County Veteran Service Agencies, and

WHEREAS, every County is mandated to have a Veteran Service Agency; however, the amount of funding provided to these agencies is minimal and limited to the funding received from State and County government, and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill S8210 amends Subdivision l of Section 359 of the Executive Law to remove the fifty percent cap on total expenditures for maintenance and operation that can be reimbursed by the State, while increasing the maximum reimbursement to Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000), and

WHEREAS, the Legislative & Rules Committee has recommended that Warren County support this legislation, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Warren County Board of Supervisors supports Senate Bill S8210/A10714, which seeks to provide additional financial resources to County Veteran Service Agencies, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to forward copies of this resolution to Governor Andrew M. Cuomo, Senator Elizabeth O'C. Little, Assemblyman Daniel G. Stec, the New York State Association of Counties and the Intercounty Legislative Committee of the Adirondacks.