

RESOLUTION NO. 142

REQUESTING THE ALBANY COUNTY CLERK TO WORK WITH THE LEGISLATURE TO CREATE A COUNTY WIDE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

Introduced: 4/14/14
By Mr. Commisso:

WHEREAS, By Resolution No. 43 for 2012, this Honorable Body established a Charter Review Commission to evaluate potential changes to the Albany County Charter, and

WHEREAS, The Commission, on January 22, 2014, submitted its findings to the County and made recommendations including that the Legislature would benefit by developing an administrative code to organize the local laws and resolutions, and

WHEREAS, The hard work that resulted in that recommendation warrants the attention of this Honorable Body and further that the benefit of an administrative code would not only clarify matters regarding legislation, but should be applied County wide, and

WHEREAS, The Albany County Clerk has great expertise in and is responsible for the filing of important legal documents, the safe storage and the efficient retrieval of those documents, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the Albany County Clerk is requested to work with the Legislature to develop and implement a County wide administrative code, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That in the development of the Albany County Administrative Code consideration must be given to include information that makes the code a central location for the public to have an easily accessible resource that includes every aspect of Albany County government, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is hereby directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 4/14/14