

County of Albany

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Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, May 23, 2023

6:30 PM

**Albany County Office Building
Room 710**

County Legislature

Call to Order

Roll Call

CURRENT BUSINESS:

197. REQUESTING THE NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE TO ENACT ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 7117/ SENATE BILL NO. 6762 TO CONTINUE A MORTGAGE RECORDING TAX IN ALBANY COUNTY

Sponsors: A. Joyce

198. REQUESTING THE NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE TO ENACT ASSEMBLY BILL NO. A.7009/SENATE BILL NO. S.6687 TO CONTINUE THE 6% HOTEL/MOTEL OCCUPANCY TAX IN ALBANY COUNTY

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Adjournment

RESOLUTION NO. 197

REQUESTING THE NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE TO ENACT ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 7117 / SENATE BILL NO. 6762 TO CONTINUE A MORTGAGE RECORDING TAX IN ALBANY COUNTY

Introduced: 5/8/23

By A. Joyce:

WHEREAS, Albany County's authority to collect a county recording tax on mortgage obligations on real property within the County expires on December 1, 2023, and

WHEREAS, Revenues from the recording tax help relieve the burdens placed on local property taxpayers, and

WHEREAS, Currently, bills entitled, "An act to amend chapter 405 of the laws of 2005 amending the tax law relating to authorizing the county of Albany to impose a county recording tax on obligations secured by a mortgage on real property, in relation to extending the effectiveness thereof" are before both houses of the New York State Legislature: in the Assembly Bill No. A.7117, and in the Senate, Bill No. S.6762, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature, pursuant to Article IX of the New York State Constitution and Section 2 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, that the County Legislature hereby requests the enactment of legislation by the Legislature of the State of New York as contained in Assembly Bill No. A.7117 and Senate Bill No. S.6762, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials; Senators Neil Breslin and Jacob Ashby; and Members of Assembly Patricia Fahy, John T. McDonald III, and Phillip G. Steck.

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Introduced: 5/8/23

By A. Joyce:

WHEREAS, Reauthorization of the 6% hotel and motel room occupancy tax in Albany County will serve to continue the funding mechanism for the Albany Convention Center project and improvements to the MVP Arena, and

WHEREAS, Reauthorization of the hotel/motel occupancy tax at 6% must be enacted by the State Legislature, and

WHEREAS, Currently, bills entitled, “An act to amend chapter 105 of the laws of 2009, amending chapter 693 of the laws of 1980 enabling the county of Albany to impose and collect taxes on occupancy of hotel or motel rooms in Albany county relating to revenues received from the collection of hotel or motel occupancy taxes, in relation to the effectiveness thereof; to extend the authorization of the county of Albany to impose and collect taxes on occupancy of hotel or motel rooms in Albany county” are before both houses of the New York State Legislature: in the Assembly, Bill A.7009, and in the Senate, Bill S.6687, now, therefore, be it

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