

Intro. No. ____

RESOLUTION NO. ____ OF 2017

IN MEMORIAM

**EXPRESSING REGRET OF THE MONROE COUNTY LEGISLATURE ON
THE RECENT PASSING OF FORMER MONROE COUNTY LEGISLATOR
AND WEBSTER VILLAGE MAYOR WILBUR 'DEKE' BEH**

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monroe County Legislature hereby expresses its deep sympathy at the recent passing of former Monroe County Legislator and Webster Village Mayor Wilbur 'Deke' Beh; and

WHEREAS, Deke passed away April 19, 2017 at age 88; and

WHEREAS, Deke was a lifelong Webster resident. He was a pilot in the US Army during the Korean War. After serving, Deke went into banking and eventually became the President of First National Bank of Rochester; and

WHEREAS, Deke began his political career on the Webster Village Board. After this, he served in the Monroe County Legislature from 1969 to 1976. In 1993, Deke became Mayor for the Village of Webster. In his tenure as Mayor, he was an adamant supporter of the village's own water supply. He served as Village Mayor for two terms, stepping down from the position in 2001; and

WHEREAS, Deke is survived by his wife, Barbara; children, Lisa (John) Hill, Lynn Beh-Zahn, Timothy (Robyn) Beh, Kim (Randy) Ayles, Robin Heintzelman, Kyle Heintzelman, as well as 12 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews; and

WHEREAS, Deke will be remembered as a kind leader who worked tirelessly for his community, as well as a loving family man. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Legislature is hereby requested to forward a copy of this resolution to the bereaved family.

This resolution was adopted unanimously with each legislator rising in his or her place for a moment of silence.

File No. 17-00____



Monroe County Legislature
Office of the President

ANTHONY J. DANIELE
PRESIDENT

April 28, 2017

Diana M. Christodaro, Clerk
Monroe County Legislature
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Rochester, NY 14614

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Dear Ms. Christodaro:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me as President of the Monroe County Legislature by Section 545-24(A)(3) of the Rules of the Monroe County Legislature, I hereby declare the above matter of importance to be considered at the Tuesday, May 9, 2017 meeting of the Monroe County Legislature.

Please inform the members of the Legislature accordingly. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "A. Daniele", is written over a horizontal line.

Anthony J. Daniele
President
Monroe County Legislature