# Monroe County Clerk of the Legislature

David Grant Clerk



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#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Legislators, Directors, Staff and Media

FROM:

David Grant, Clerk of the Legislature

DATE:

April 7, 2023

RE:

Matters of Urgency - File No. 23-0100 - 23-0106

23-0100

Enacting a Local Law Entitled "Expanded Veterans and Cold War Veterans Tax Exemption" – As a Matter of Urgency – County Executive Adam J. Bello, President Sabrina LaMar, Majority Leader Steve Brew, Minority Leader Yversha Roman, County Legislators Blake Keller, Frank X. Allkofer, George J. Hebert, Jackie Smith, Tracy DiFlorio, Richard B. Milne, Sean McCabe, Kirk Morris, Mark Johns, Paul Dondorfer, Howard Maffucci, Sean M. Delehanty, Michael Yudelson, Susan Hughes-Smith, Dave Long, Maria Vecchio, John B. Baynes, Kathleen Taylor, Robert J. Colby, Rachel Barnhart, Mercedes Vazquez Simmons, Linda Hasman, Albert Blankley, Carolyn Delvecchio Hoffman, Ricky Frazier, William Burgess

23-0101

Enacting a Local Law Entitled "Expanded Volunteer Firefighter and EMS Tax Exemption" – As a Matter of Urgency – County Executive Adam J. Bello, President Sabrina LaMar, Deputy Majority Leader Paul Dondorfer, Minority Leader Yversha Roman, County Legislators Blake Keller, Jackie Smith, Tracy DiFlorio, Frank X. Allkofer, Richard B. Milne, Kirk Morris, Mark Johns, Howard Maffucci, Sean M. Delehanty, Steve Brew, Michael Yudelson, Susan Hughes-Smith, George J. Hebert, Dave Long, Maria Vecchio, John B. Baynes, Kathleen Taylor, Robert J. Colby, Rachel Barnhart, Mercedes Vazquez Simmons, Linda Hasman, Albert Blankley, Carolyn Delvecchio Hoffman, Ricky Frazier, William Burgess

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Home Rule Message for Senate Bill No. S.4135 Entitled "An Act to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the retirement of deputy sheriffs-civil in the county of Monroe" – As a Matter of Urgency – County Executive Adam J. Bello

- 23-0103 Home Rule Message for Assembly Bill No. A.3589 Entitled "An Act to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the retirement of deputy sheriffs-civil in the county of Monroe" As a Matter of Urgency County Executive Adam J. Bello
- 23-0104 Home Rule Message for Senate Bill No. S.6149 Entitled "AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to extending the authorization for the county of Monroe to impose certain sales and compensating use taxes" As a Matter of Urgency County Executive Adam J. Bello
- 23-0105 Home Rule Message for Assembly Bill No. A.6142 Entitled "AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to extending the authorization for the county of Monroe to impose certain sales and compensating use taxes" As a Matter of Urgency County Executive Adam J. Bello
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  Authorize a Contract with Schram Enterprises for the Provision of Consulting
  Services for the Planning and Execution of the Monroe County Veterans Day
  Parade As a Matter of Urgency County Executive Adam J. Bello

Per President Sabrina LaMar, the attached communications have been declared to be Matters of Urgency pursuant to Section 545-24(A)(3) of the Rules of the Monroe County Legislature and will be considered at the April 11, 2023 regular meeting of the Monroe County Legislature.

Attachments



Office of the County Executive Monroe County Legislature

April 6, 2023

To the Honorable Monroe County Legislature 407 County Office Building Rochester, New York 14614

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Enacting a Local Law Entitled "Expanded Veterans and Cold War Veterans

Tax Exemption"

Honorable Legislators:

Over the past few years, our local Veterans have been hit hard from the global pandemic. Back in 1997 and 2005, Monroe County took advantage of an alternative Veteran tax exemption under New York State Real Property Tax Law Section 458-a by increasing the maximum allowable exemption. The basic minimums under that State law are (a) \$12,000 for wartime Veterans, (b) \$8,000 for combat zone Veterans, and (c) \$40,000 for disabled Veterans, but subsection (d) allows for taxing jurisdictions to increase or decrease these amounts. Additionally, Cold War Veterans who do not qualify under Real Property Tax Law Section 458-a are also eligible for an exemption under Section 458-b. Under this local law, the maximum exemption allowed for Cold War Veterans is expanded to \$45,000 and for disabled Cold War Veterans to \$150,000.

While we have all been working to ensure our Veterans get the protections they need, there has been a dire need for much more growth and improvement. In 1997, the maximum exemptions in Monroe County under Section 458-a were raised to \$18,000, \$12,000, and \$60,000 and in 2005, the maximum exemptions were raised to \$60,000, \$24,000, and \$120,000.

One of our neighboring counties has already decided to take that next step in ensuring our veterans get the best services available. In 2022, Erie County raised their maximum exceptions to \$30,000, \$20,000, and \$100,000. Under state law, the maximum levels Monroe County can raise subsections (b) and (c) to are \$30,000 and \$150,000 respectively, and we seek to raise our exemption levels to that maximum allowable amount.

Utilizing this enabling legislation available to counties all across New York, we are looking to increase this under the current state law. This increase will allow Veterans of the past, present, and future to take advantage of this tax exemption. In a time where the worldwide pandemic has ended and normality has begun to set back in, anything and everything we can do to help our Veterans needs to be done.

#### The specific legislative actions required are to:

- 1. Hold a public hearing on the proposed Local Law
- 2. Enact a Local Law entitled "Expanded Veterans and Cold War Veterans Tax Exemption"

The legislative action requested in this referral is not an "Action" as that term is defined in 6 NYCRR 617.5(b), and is not subject to review under the State Environmental Review Act. This action will have no impact on the revenues or expenditures of the current Monroe County budget.

Respectfully Submitted,

Adam J. Bello Monroe County Executive

Sabrina LaMar Monroe County Legislature

President

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Yversha Roman Minority Leader District 26

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LOCAL LAW NO OF 2023
ENACTING A LOCAL LAW ENTITLED "EXPANDED VETERANS AND COLD WAR VETERANS TAX EXEMPTION"
BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, as follows:
Section 1. Increase in the Maximum Exemption Available Under the Alternative Veterans Exemption. Section 357-41 of the Monroe County Code is hereby amended as follows:
§ 357-41 Increase in exemption. Pursuant to-Chapter 256 of the Laws of 2005 New York State Real Property Tax Law § 458-a(d)(ii), the maximum exemption allowable in Subdivision 2(a), (b) and (c) of § 458-a of the Real Property Tax Law is increased to \$36,000\$45,000, \$24,000\$30,000 and \$120,000\$150,000, respectively.
Section 2. Increase in the Maximum Exemption Available for Cold War Veterans. Section 357-50(A) of the Monroe County Code is hereby amended as follows:
§ 357-50 Exemption granted; statutory authority.
A. Pursuant to-Chapter 655 of the Laws of 2007 New York State Real Property Tax Law § 458-b, the Cold War veterans exemption allowable in Paragraphs (a)(iii) and (b) of Subdivision 2 of § 458-b of the Real Property Tax Law is allowed. The maximum exemption allowable under Paragraphs (a)(ii) of Subdivision 2 of § 458-b of the Real Property Tax Law is increased to \$45,000 and the maximum exemption allowable under Paragraphs (b) of Subdivision 2 of § 458-b of the Real Property Tax Law is increased to \$150,000.
Section 3. Severability. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section, or part of this law or the application thereof to any person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such order or judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section or part of this law, or in its application to the person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance directly involved in the controversy in which such order or judgment shall be rendered.
Section 4. Effective Date. This local law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 27 of the New York Municipal Home Rule Law and the Monroe County Charter.
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### ACTION BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

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## Office of the County Executive **Monroe County Legislature**

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Enacting a Local Law Entitled "Expanded Volunteer Firefighter and EMS Tax Exemption" Subject:

Honorable Legislators:

By Local Law No. 2 of 2022, Your Honorable Body adopted a new Article XV under Chapter 357 of the Monroe County Code that provided for a 10% exemption of assessed value of real property for voluntary firefighters and ambulance workers for all County, part County, and special district purposes. This action followed enabling legislation enacted by New York State under § 466-k of Real Property Tax Law. Since the passage of Local Law No. 2 of 2022, the State has enacted further enabling legislation allowing counties to extend that exemption to unremarried spouses of volunteer firefighters or voluntary ambulance workers provided certain qualifications are met. These qualifications include: that the un-remarried spouse is certified by the agency, company, or department of which the decedent was a member; that the decedent had been an enrolled member for at least five years if killed in the line of duty or twenty years if they die of other causes; and that the decedent had been receiving the exemption prior to his or her death.

Volunteer firefighters and EMS technicians sacrifice not only time and safety for their communities, but sometimes even their lives in the line of duty. It is only right that should one die in the line of duty or after a lifetime of service, the survivors of such heroes receive the tax exemption that they earned through their volunteerism. Through this Local Law, Monroe County will be providing an additional form of thanks to the spouses of volunteer firefighters and EMS technicians. Despite the decline in the number of volunteer workers, those who continue to serve are dedicated and we must continue to find ways to provide our gratitude for their steadfast protection of our community.

#### The specific legislative actions required are:

- 1. Schedule and hold a public hearing.
- 2. Adopt the Local Law as attached.

The legislative action requested in this referral is not an "Action," as that term is defined in 6 NYCRR § 617.2(b), and is not subject to review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

This action will have no net impact on the revenues or expenditures of the current Monroe County budget.

We recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Respectfully Submitted,

Adam J. Bello

Monroe County Executive

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### ENACTING A LOCAL LAW ENTITLED "EXPANDED VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER AND EMS TAX EXEMPTION"

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, as follows:

- Section 1. Conformance with Real Property Tax Law § 466-a. Section 357-55 of the Monroe County Code is hereby amended as follows:
- § 357-55. Legislative Intent. The Real Property Tax Law has been amended by the addition of a new § 466-ka, which permits Monroe County to grant a partial tax exemption on real property owned by an enrolled member of an incorporated volunteer fire company, fire department, or incorporated voluntary ambulance service or such enrolled member and spouse. Said partial exemption is 10% of the assessed value of such property for all County, part County, and special district purposes.
- Section 2. Unremarried Spouses. Article XV of Chapter 357 of the Monroe County Code, entitled "Tax Exemption for Volunteer Firefighters and Volunteer Ambulance Workers," is hereby amended to add Sections 357-62 and 357-63:
- § 357-62. Un-remarried spouses of volunteer firefighters or volunteer ambulance workers killed in the line of duty. An un-remarried spouse of a deceased enrolled member of an incorporated volunteer fire company, fire department, or incorporated voluntary ambulance service is eligible for the exemption set forth in this Article if such member is killed in the line of duty provided, however, that:
  - A. Such un-remarried spouse is certified by the incorporated volunteer fire company, fire department or incorporated voluntary ambulance service as an un-remarried spouse of an enrolled member of such incorporated volunteer fire company, fire department or incorporated voluntary ambulance service who was killed in the line of duty; and
  - B. Such deceased volunteer had been an enrolled member for at least five years; and
  - C. Such deceased volunteer had been receiving the exemption prior to his or her death.
- § 357-63. Un-remarried spouses of deceased volunteer firefighters or volunteer ambulance workers. An un-remarried spouse of a deceased enrolled member of an incorporated volunteer fire company, fire department, or incorporated voluntary ambulance service is eligible for the exemption set forth in this Article provided, however, that:
  - A. Such un-remarried spouse is certified by the incorporated volunteer fire company, fire department or incorporated voluntary ambulance service as an un-remarried spouse of a deceased enrolled member of such incorporated volunteer fire company, fire department or incorporated voluntary ambulance service; and
  - B. Such deceased volunteer had been an enrolled member for at least twenty years; and
  - C. Such deceased volunteer and un-remarried spouse had been receiving the exemption for such property prior to the death of such volunteer.

Section 3. Severability. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section, or part of this law or the application thereof to any person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such order or judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section or part of this law, or in its application to the person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance directly involved in the controversy in which such order or judgment shall be rendered.

**Section 4**. **Effective Date.** This local law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 27 of the New York Municipal Home Rule Law and the Monroe County Charter.

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County Executive

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To The Honorable Monroe County Legislature 407 County Office Building Rochester, New York 14614

Subject:

Home Rule Message for Senate Bill No. S.4135 Entitled "An Act to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the retirement of deputy sheriffs-

civil in the county of Monroe"

Honorable Legislators:

This matter is being referred to Your Honorable Body at the request of Sheriff Todd K. Baxter.

I recommend that Your Honorable Body adopt a Home Rule Message in regard to the above bill that will change the retirement classification for Deputy Sheriffs-Civil Bureau to Retirement Plan 89-P and allow for retirement after twenty-five (25) years of creditable service.

The Civil Bureau is responsible for the service and enforcement of court orders, process of service, execution of civil judgments, and the collection and eventual sale of property seized (real property and personal property). Civil deputies are fully certified police officers having completed the same law enforcement academy as road deputies, as well as possessing the same powers of arrest and investigation. Both patrol and civil deputies are recorded on the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Police Registry.

Transitioning the Civil Bureau to the twenty-five (25) year retirement eligibility status will bring the Civil Bureau into step with both the Jail Bureau and Court Bureau, both of which are eligible for retirement at twenty-five (25) years, and help retain newly hired staff. In addition, as civil deputies retire, the Sheriff desires to incorporate road deputies into the Civil Bureau, enabling a more flexible use of Sheriff personnel.

The specific legislative action required is to adopt a Home Rule Message for Senate Bill No. S.4135 Entitled "An Act to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the retirement of deputy sheriffs-civil in the county of Monroe."

This is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR §617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Adoption of this Home Rule Message will have no impact on the revenues or expenditures of the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter receive favorable attention by Your Honorable Body.

Adam J. Bello

By Legislators
Intro. No
RESOLUTION NO OF 2023
REQUESTING THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IX OF THE CONSTITUTION TO ENACT INTO LAW SENATE BILL NO. S.4135 ENTITLED "AN ACT TO AMEND THE RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY LAW, IN RELATION TO THE RETIREMENT OF DEPUTY SHERIFFS-CIVIL IN THE COUNTY OF MONROE"
RESOLVED, that pursuant to Article IX of the Constitution, the Legislature of the County of Monroe does hereby request the enactment of legislation as follows:
Senate Bill No. S. 4135 Entitled "An act to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the retirement of deputy sheriffs-civil in the county of Monroe"
And be it further
RESOLVED, that this resolution shall take effect in accordance with Section C2-7 of the Monroe County Charter.
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RESOLVED, that pursuant to Article IX of the Constitution, the Legislature of the County of Monroe does hereby request the enactment of legislation as follows:
Assembly Bill No. A.3589 Entitled "An act to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the retirement of deputy sheriffs-civil in the county of Monroe"
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To The Honorable Monroe County Legislature 407 County Office Building Rochester, New York 14614

Subject:

Home Rule Message for Senate Bill No. S.6149 Entitled "AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to extending the authorization for the county of Monroe to impose certain sales and compensating use taxes"

#### Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body adopt a Home Rule Message in regard to the above bill which will amend Section 1210 of the Tax Law in relation to extending the period for the additional 1% County of Monroe sales tax rate and provide for the distribution of the additional 1% to the County of Monroe, the City of Rochester, and the various towns, villages and suburban school districts. Specifically, the proposed legislation extends the expiration date for the additional 1% County of Monroe sales tax from December 1, 2023 to November 30, 2026.

The net collections derived from the imposition of the additional 1% Monroe County sales tax for the period from December 1, 2023 to November 30, 2026 shall be allocated as follows (this distribution remains unchanged from the current legislation):

Jurisdiction	Percentage
Suburban School Districts	5.00%
Towns	3.00%
Villages	1.25%
County of Monroe and City of Rochester	90.75%

The amount allocated to the County of Monroe and the City of Rochester shall be distributed and allocated to each so that the combined total distribution and allocation to each from the sales tax revenues from the original 3% and the additional 1% shall result in the same total amount being distributed and allocated to the County of Monroe and the City of Rochester. This does not in any manner alter the sharing of the original 3%.

The specific legislative action required is to adopt a Home Rule Message for Senate Bill No. S.6149 Entitled "AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to extending the authorization for the county of Monroe to impose certain sales and compensating use taxes."

Adoption of this Home Rule Message will have no impact on the revenues or expenditures of the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter receive favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Adam J. Bello

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RESOLVED, that pursuant to Article IX of the Constitution, the Legislature of the County of Monroe
does hereby request the enactment of legislation as follows:
Senate Bill No. S.6149 entitled "AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to extending the authorization for the county of Monroe to impose certain sales and compensating use taxes"
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RESOLVED, that this resolution shall take effect in accordance with Section C2-7 of the Monroe
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To The Honorable Monroe County Legislature 407 County Office Building Rochester, New York 14614

Subject:

Home Rule Message for Assembly Bill No. A.6142 Entitled "AN ACT to amend the tax law, in relation to extending the authorization for the county of Monroe to impose certain sales and compensating use taxes"

#### Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body adopt a Home Rule Message in regard to the above bill which will amend Section 1210 of the Tax Law in relation to extending the period for the additional 1% County of Monroe sales tax rate and provide for the distribution of the additional 1% to the County of Monroe, the City of Rochester, and the various towns, villages and suburban school districts. Specifically, the proposed legislation extends the expiration date for the additional 1% County of Monroe sales tax from December 1, 2023 to November 30, 2026.

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County Executive

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To The Honorable Monroe County Legislature 407 County Office Building Rochester, New York 14614

Subject:

Authorize a Contract with Schram Enterprises for the Provision of Consulting

Services for the Planning and Execution of the Monroe County Veterans Day

Parade

### Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize a contract with Schram Enterprises in an amount not to exceed \$45,000 for the provision of consulting services for the planning and execution of the Veterans Day Parade for the period of May 1, 2023 through April 30, 2024, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one-year terms in the amount of \$45,000 per year.

This contract will support the planning and execution of the annual Monroe County Veterans Day Parade. The inaugural parade in 2022 was successful in honoring and celebrating Monroe County veterans with Schram Enterprises as the consultant. This contract will support the continued success of the parade.

A request for proposals was issued, with Schram Enterprises the sole respondent.

The specific legislative actions required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with Schram Enterprises, 45 Radford Way, Rochester, New York 14612, for the provision of consulting services for the planning and execution of the Veterans Day Parade in an amount not to exceed \$45,000 for the period May 1, 2023 through April 30, 2024, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one-year terms in the amount of \$45,000 per year.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

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Funding for this contract is included in the 2023 operating budget of the Veterans Service Agency, general fund 9001, funds center 7401010000, Veterans Service Agency. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

The records in the Office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that neither Schram Enterprises nor any of its principal officers, owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes. The principal officers of the company are:

Edward Schram Andre Schram

I recommend that this matter receive favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely

Adam J. Bello

By Legislators and
Intro. No
RESOLUTION NO OF 2023
AUTHORIZING CONTRACT WITH SCHRAM ENTERPRISES FOR PROVISION OF CONSULTING SERVICES FOR PLANNING AND EXECUTION OF MONROE COUNTY VETERANS DAY PARADE
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, as follows:
Section 1. The County Executive, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with Schram Enterprises, for the provision of consulting services for the planning and execution of the Veterans Day Parade in an amount not to exceed \$45,000 for the period of May 1, 2023 through April 30, 2024, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one-year terms in the amount of \$45,000 per year.
Section 2. Funding for this contract is included in the 2023 operating budget of the Veterans Service Agency, general fund 9001, funds center 7401010000, Veterans Service Agency.
Section 3. This resolution shall take effect in accordance with Section C2-7 of the Monroe County Charter.
Matter of Urgency File No. 23-0
ADOPTION: Date: Vote:
ACTION BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE
APPROVED: VETOED:
SIGNATURE: DATE:
EFFECTIVE DATE OF RESOLUTION: