Resolution No. 278 October 14, 2009

Accepting The Accounting Of Unpaid School Taxes For The 2009-2010 School Year, Directing Payment Of Same To The School Districts, And Directing Re-Levying Pursuant To Real Property Tax Law

The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Lomita and Legislators Cahill, Dart, Gregorius, Provenzano, Rodriguez, Cummings, Gerentine and Noonan) offers the following:

WHEREAS, this resolution has been submitted by the County Executive on behalf of the Department of Finance, and

WHEREAS, the County is required, pursuant to Section 1330 of the Real Property Tax Law, to advance to school districts (not including city school districts) the amounts of school taxes that are unpaid as of a date certain deadline, and

WHEREAS, the date certain deadline for payment of school taxes for the 2009-2010 school year is November 23, 2009, and

WHEREAS, all school tax payments not received by the end of the business day on November 23, 2009, must be reported as unpaid, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the accounts of unpaid school taxes for the 2009-2010 school year, reported to the Ulster County Commissioner of Finance and laid before this Board of Legislators pursuant to Section 1330(5) of the Real Property Tax Law, is hereby accepted, and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Ulster County Commissioner of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to pay to those officers charged by law with the custody of school district monies, the amount of the unpaid school taxes in accordance with the provisions of Section 1330(4) of the Real Property Tax law, and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the amounts of such unpaid taxes paid by the Ulster County Commissioner of Finance to those officers charged by law with the custody of school district monies, together with 7 per centum of the combined amount of principal plus accrued interest, be re-levied via the 2010 General Tax, upon the real property upon which the school taxes were originally imposed, and, be it further

RESOLVED, that when such re-levy (the unpaid tax, accrued interest, plus 7% on the sum of both) is collected, the same shall be returned to the Ulster County Commissioner of Finance to reimburse the County for the amount advanced and for the expense of collection,
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and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 28 NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislators Briggs, Cummings, Sheeley, Stoeckeler, and Zimet)

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
NONE

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STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF ULSTER

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster have compared the foregoing resolution with the original resolution now on file in the office of said clerk, and which was adopted by said Legislature on the 14th Day of October, 2009, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this 16th Day of October in the year Two Thousand and Nine.

Mary L. Carey, Clerk
Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this 16th Day of October, 2009.

Approved by the County Executive this 21st Day of October, 2009.

Mary L. Carey, Clerk
Ulster County Legislature

Michael P. Hein, County Executive