


# **Rensselaer County Legislature**

## **Clerk's Certification**

**I, Jessica L. Charette, Clerk of the Rensselaer County Legislature, do hereby CERTIFY that the attached is an official document of the Rensselaer County Legislature.**

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Rensselaer County Legislature of Troy, New York, this 9<sup>th</sup> day December, 2021.**

  
**Jessica L. Charette**  
**Clerk of the Legislature**  
**County of Rensselaer**  
**State of New York**

**Seal**

**RENSSELAER COUNTY LEGISLATURE  
SPECIAL MEETING**

Tuesday, November 30, 2021

Legislature called to order by Chairman Stammel at: 6:00 p.m.

Roll Call: Present: 15  
Absent: 4 (Burns, Doran, Fiacco, Tesman)

Invocation Please: Mr. Grant

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag Please: Mr. Grimm

**NOTICE OF CALL FOR SPECIAL MEETING**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, That pursuant to Rule No. 1C of the Rules of the Rensselaer County Legislature; I hereby call a Special Meeting of the Rensselaer County Legislature to be held on November 30, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. in the Legislative Chambers of the Rensselaer County Office Building, 1600 7th Avenue, Troy, New York.

The purpose of the meeting is to act upon:

**A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A BUDGET FOR THE COUNTY OF RENSSELAER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING ON JANUARY 1, 2022**

and any other legislation filed in accordance with Rule 16C of the Rules of the Rensselaer County Legislature.

Please notify all members of the special meeting under the provisions of this rule.

/M/Michael Stammel  
Chairman of the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. Herrington, duly seconded, the reading of the minutes of the Regular Meeting of November 9, 2021 was dispensed with and approved as printed.

**MEETING AGENDA**

**PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS:** (on file in Clerk's Office)  
**PRESENTATION OF COMMUNICATIONS:** (on file in Clerk's Office)  
**REPORTS OF COMMISSIONS:** (on file in Clerk's Office)  
**DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS:** (on file in Clerk's Office)  
**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES:** on file in Clerk's Office)  
**LOCAL LAWS:** None  
**INDEX OF RESOLUTIONS:** Attached  
**LEGISLATOR'S PRIVILEGE:**  
**ADJOURNMENT:** 6:11 p.m.

"Say NO to Drugs"

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# RENSSELAER COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Introduced by Legislator(s) Stammel

Sent To: \_\_\_\_\_ Committee \_\_\_\_\_ Date November 30, 2021

Resolution No. G/420/21

## RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A BUDGET FOR THE COUNTY OF RENSSELAER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING ON JANUARY 1, 2022

**WHEREAS**, This Resolution is filed with the Rensselaer County Legislature by the Rensselaer County Executive; and

**WHEREAS**, All provisions of the Rensselaer County Charter pursuant to Article 5, Section 503 have been complied with; and

**WHEREAS**, The Tentative Budget has been changed, altered and revised by the Rensselaer County Legislature in accordance with Section 5.03 of the Rensselaer County Charter and Section 358 of the New York State County Law; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Tentative Budget, as amended, is hereby adopted as the financial plan for the County of Rensselaer for fiscal year beginning January 1, 2022.

Resolution **ADOPTED** by the following Roll Call vote:

Ayes: 15  
Nays: 0  
Abstain: 0  
November 30, 2021

Clerk of the Legislature

Sent to County Executive 12/1/21

Received from County Executive 12/8/21

Janice L. Charito  
Clerk of the Legislature



Executive Action

Approved  Date 12/8/21

Disapproved \_\_\_\_\_  
Veto Message Attached and Returned to Clerk

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County Executive

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# RENSSELAER COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Introduced by Legislator(s) Stammel

Sent To: \_\_\_\_\_ Committee \_\_\_\_\_ Date November 30, 2021

Resolution No. G/421/21

## RESOLUTION FOR APPROPRIATION TO CONDUCT RENSSELAER COUNTY GOVERNMENT FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING ON JANUARY 1, 2022

**WHEREAS,** This Resolution is filed with the Rensselaer County Legislature by the Rensselaer County Executive; and

**WHEREAS,** The Rensselaer County Legislature has adopted the 2022 Tentative Budget as amended for Rensselaer County in accordance with Sections 356 and 360 of the County Law and Section 5.03 of the County Charter; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** That the amount as specified in such annual budget as amended, be, and hereby are, appropriated for the objects, purposes and funds specified for the conduct of County Government effective January 1, 2022.

Resolution **ADOPTED** by the following vote:

Ayes: 15

Nays: 0

Abstain: 0

**November 30, 2021**

Clerk of the Legislature

Sent to County Executive 12/1/21

Received from County Executive 12/8/21

Jessica L. Chauvet  
Clerk of the Legislature



Executive Action

Approved  Date 12/8/21

Disapproved \_\_\_\_\_  
Veto Message Attached and Returned to Clerk

[Signature]  
County Executive

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# RENSSELAER COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Introduced by Legislator(s) Patire, Wysocki, Stammel, Hoffman, Loveridge, Herrington, Bayly, Bendett, Casale, Fiacco, Grant, Peter, Tesman,

Sent To: Rules & Legislative Operations

Committee

Date November 30, 2021

Resolution No. P/422/21

## RESOLUTION ADJOURNING THE NOVEMBER 30, 2021 LEGISLATIVE MEETING IN MEMORY OF ROBERT RUDD BREESE

**WHEREAS,** It is customary for this Legislative Body to pay honor and respect to persons who have had a great impact and influence on the citizens of this county during their time on this Earth. We remember with deep respect and admiration the life of an individual whose singular example enriched the lives of his family, friends, and fellow citizens; and

**WHEREAS,** Attendant to such duty and fully in accord with its long standing tradition, it is the intent of this Legislative Body to express sincerest sorrow upon the death of Robert R. Breese which occurred on Saturday, the Twenty-fifth day of September, of the year Two Thousand and Twenty-one; and

**WHEREAS,** He was born on March 20, 1927 in Bennington, VT to the late Harry and Belle (Rudd) Breese; and;

**WHEREAS,** Robert was a proud WWII veteran, he was granted an early high school graduation from Bennington High, so he could enlist in the US Navy in 1944. He served on the USS Tarawa, the last aircraft carrier built for WWII, until the end of the war.

**WHEREAS,** Upon his discharge from the military he attended Cobleskill College and graduated with degree in Agriculture; and

**WHEREAS,** A life-long dairy farmer in Breese Hollow, he received the Conservation Farmer of the Year Award in 1963; and

**WHEREAS,** He was a member of the Hoosick Volunteer Fire Department, receiving the 65 year service award, a fire commissioner from 1995-2017 and a lifelong man of faith, serving as a vestryman at All Saints Church in Hoosick and most recently a member of St. Luke's Church in Cambridge.

**WHEREAS,** In Robert's spare time, he was also an avid reader, stamp collector and model train hobbyist; and

**WHEREAS,** Robert will be sorely missed by his wife Roberta (Shaw) Breese, son Robin (Beverly) Breese and daughter Bonnie Schipisch, 2 grandsons David & Garrett Breese and 4 great-grandchildren, Aidan, Orion, Alaina and Evelyn; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** That the members of the Rensselaer County Legislature adjourn this meeting in memory Robert Rudd Breese, and extend our deepest sympathy to his family, fully confident that his contributions to this community will live on to serve as a legacy to all; and, be it further

**RESOLVED,** That the Clerk of the Legislature is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this resolution suitably engrossed, to the family of Robert Rudd Breese.

**Resolution ADOPTED by the following vote:**

**Ayes: 15**  
**Nays: 0**  
**Abstain: 0**  
**November 30, 2021**