

TOWN OF HUME

ALLEGANY COUNTY LEGISLATOR
DISTRICT 1
7 COURT STREET
BELMONT, NY 14813

SEPTEMBER 23, 2026

Dear Allegany County Legislators,

We live in District 1, which includes Angelica, Belfast, Caneadea, Centerville, Hume, Rushford, and West Almont. We are asking you to support a county resolution recognizing Allegany County's 911 Dispatchers and supporting A.9162A/S.7635B.

Our dispatchers are human beings and at times do a very difficult job. They answer calls filled with fear, pain and heartbreak; they remain calm while guiding people through emergencies and help protect responders in the field. This kind of work takes a real emotional and physical toll. Supporting this resolution would not automatically adopt the retirement plan or commit Allegany County to participate. Local adoption would be a separate decision.

The resolution would show that our dispatchers' matter and that Allegany County supports preserving this option. Please stand with the people who answer our calls for help. Thank you for your time and service.

Sincerely,

Pauline M. Mason Supervisor
Pat Horn Hume Town Council

David Berkeley *Walter*
Hume Town Board and Community members.

David St. John

Debra L. Mason

Dennis Ricketts

James B. Thompson

Rosemarie Yei

Yamara S. Peet - Hume Town Council