## Warren County Board of Supervisors Resolution No. 142 of 2011

Resolution introduced by Supervisors Bentley, Thomas, Monroe, Girard, Sokol, McCoy and Wood

## SUPPORTING LEGISLATION AMENDING THE CURRENT SOCIAL SERVICE LAW AND REQUIRING ALL RECIPIENTS OF HOMELESS OR TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE TO ENROLL AND SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE COURSES OFFERED BY CORNELL COOPERATIVE EXTENSION

WHEREAS, the purpose of assisting the homeless through the Department of Social Services is to provide emergency or temporary housing on a short-term basis, and

WHEREAS, Cornell Cooperative Extension offers programs which are designed to assist people in need and teach them how to become independently sufficient, and

WHEREAS, it would be practical to require the homeless assistance recipients to partake of courses through Cornell Cooperative Extension aimed at bettering their situation and encouraging them to become more self-sufficient and productive members of society, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Warren County Board of Supervisors supports legislation amending current Social Service Law that would require all recipients of homeless or temporary assistance to enroll and successfully complete courses offered by Cornell Cooperative Extension, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to forward copies of this resolution to the New York State Association of Counties; Inter-County Legislative Committee of the Adirondacks; Governor Andrew M. Cuomo; Senator Elizabeth O'C. Little; and Assemblywoman Teresa Sayward.