

Resolution introduced by Supervisors Monroe, Girard, Sokol, Wood, Frasier, Westcott and Strough

## SUPPORTING ASSEMBLY BILL 9619/SENATE BILL 7273, AN ACT TO AMEND THE ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION LAW IN RELATION TO AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES, SPREAD PREVENTION AND PENALTIES

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill 9619/Senate Bill 7273, entitled "AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law in relation to aquatic invasive species, spread prevention and penalties", adds a new Section 9-1710 to the environmental conservation law to include, among other provisions, a prohibition against launching or attempting to launch a watercraft from a boat launching site, fishing access site or any other site from which watercraft may be launched, or leaving from these sites with any plant or animal, or parts thereof, visible to the human eye, in, on, or attached to any part of a watercraft, including live wells, the motor, rudder, anchor or other appurtenants; any equipment or gear; or the trailering or any other device used to transport or launch a watercraft that may come into contact with the water, unless a written permit is obtained from the NYSDEC, and further provides for civil penalties for any person who violates Section 9-1710, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Warren County Board of Supervisors hereby expresses support for Assembly Bill 9619/Senate Bill 7273, 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; Governor Andrew M. Cuomo; Senator Elizabeth O'C. Little; and Assemblyman Daniel G. Stec.