LOCAL LAW NO. 3 OF 2015
COUNTY OF OTSEGO, NEW YORK

A LOCAL LAW AUTHORIZING OTSEGO COUNTY TO
INSERT INFORMATION INTO THE TAX BILL FOR COUNTY PURPOSES

BE IT ENACTED, by the Board of Representatives of the County of Otsego as follows:

SECTION 1. Legislative Intent. Section 922 of the Real Property Tax Law provides the form and content of the town and county tax bill to be mailed by the collecting officer in each town and showing the amount of taxes due on each party, and, by local law, additional information can be included with the county tax bill. Otsego County receives revenue on transactions performed at the Otsego County Department of Motor Vehicles in the City of Oneonta and the Village of Cooperstown. Mail in renewal forms from the NYS Department of Motor Vehicles are preprinted with a central processing office address and a notice stating they must be renewed by mail, but, in fact, renewals can be done locally, thus preserving revenue for the County. It is important that Otsego County residents are notified that it is still possible to renew locally and that by doing so, it will help reduce county taxes.

SECTION 2. The appropriate County officials are hereby authorized to include information notifying county residents that they may renew Department of Motor Vehicle transactions locally, thus keeping a
percentage of the revenue in Otsego County, and other additional explanatory material regarding same, and said information will be distributed as a separate enclosure inserted into the tax bill mailing, or as a notice printed on the tax bill.

SECTION 3. This local law shall take effect immediately upon the date it is filed in the office of the Secretary of State in accordance with Section 27 of the Municipal Home Rule Law of the State of New York.

This Local Law is being offered by the Public Safety and Legal Affairs Committee.
RESOLUTION NO. 244-20150902

RESOLUTION - ADOPTING A LOCAL LAW FOR THE YEAR 2015
(A LOCAL LAW AUTHORIZING OTSEGO COUNTY TO
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FOR COUNTY PURPOSES)

LINDBERG, POWERS, GELBSMAN, MCCARTY, QUACKENBUSH

WHEREAS, there was duly presented to the Board of Representatives of the County of Otsego at a regular meeting duly held in the Meeting Room of the Board of Representatives in the Otsego County Office Building, Cooperstown, New York on August 5, 2015, a local law for the year 2015 entitled "A Local Law Authorizing Otsego County to Insert Information into the Tax Bill for County Purposes"; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was duly held on the proposed Local Law in the Meeting Room of the Board of Representatives in the Otsego County Office Building, 197 Main Street, Cooperstown, New York on the 2nd day of September, 2015 at 9:45 a.m., at which time all interested persons were heard; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that a local law of the County of Otsego for the year 2015, as above set forth, be and the same is hereby adopted.
STATE OF NEW YORK:
COUNTY OF OTSEGO:

I, Carol D. McGovern, Clerk of the Board of Representatives of Otsego County, New York, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have compared the foregoing copy of resolution with the original resolution on file in my office and that the same is a true and complete copy thereof as duly adopted by said Board of Representatives while in session on the 2nd day of September, 2015.

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of the Board of Representatives of Otsego County, New York, this 2nd day of September, 2015.

(SEAL)

Glace, Board of Representatives
Otsego County, New York