Sullivan County



Legislation Text

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Narrative of Resolution:

Request an extension of NYS Tax Law Section 1210 (33) which authorized an increase to the three percent rate If Resolution requires expenditure of County Funds, provide the following information:

Amount to be authorized by Resolution: Click or tap here to enter text.

Are funds already budgeted? Choose an item.

Specify Compliance with Procurement Procedures:

RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, REQUESTING AN EXTENSION OF NEW YORK STATE TAX LAW §1210 (33) WHICH AUTHORIZED AN INCREASE TO THE THREE PERCENT RATE AUTHORIZED BY STATE TAX LAW FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING DECEMBER 1, 2023 AND ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 2026, FOR A TOTAL SALES TAX RATE OF 8.00%, 4.00% OF WHICH WOULD BE REVENUE FOR SULLIVAN COUNTY

WHEREAS, pursuant to New York State Tax Law §1210 (33) the New York State Legislature authorized Home Rule Legislation that approved an increase in sales tax in the County of Sullivan by a one half percent (½%) from seven percent (7%) to seven and one half percent (7½%) and an additional one half percent (½%) from seven and one half percent (7½%) to eight percent (8%), four percent (4%) of which would be revenue for Sullivan County, and

WHEREAS, both of the one-half of one percent increases in the sales tax are set to sunset or expire on November 30, 2023, and

WHEREAS, the Sullivan County Legislature desires to extend the current sales tax rate until November 30, 2026, and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Sullivan County Legislature hereby requests that the New York State Legislature adopt Home Rule Legislation extending the expiration of New York State Tax Law §1210 (33) which raised the sales tax in the County of Sullivan by a one half percent (½%) from seven percent (7%) to seven and one half percent (7½%) and an additional one half percent (1/2%) from seven and one half percent (7½%) to eight percent (8%), four percent (4%) of which would be revenue for Sullivan County, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Sullivan County Legislature hereby requests that the Sullivan County Sales Tax rate contained in New York State Tax Law §1210 (33) that is scheduled to sunset on November 30, 2023, be extended to sunset or expire on November 30, 2026, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Sullivan County Legislature is hereby directed to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the Honorable Kathy Hochul, Governor of New York State; the

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Honorable Aileen M. Gunther, Assemblywoman representing the 100th Assembly District and Honorable. Peter Oberacker representing the 51st Senatorial District.