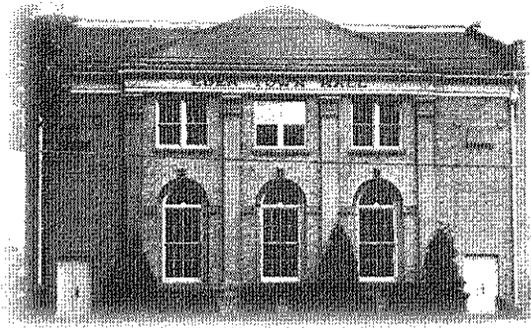


Town of Eden



Mary Jo Hultquist
Eden Town Clerk • Eden Tax Collector

April 15, 2011

Citizens Advisory Commission
On County Legislative Reapportionment
Adam Perry, Chair
C/o Erie County Legislative Chambers
92 Franklin Street – 4th Floor
Buffalo, New York 14202

Erie County Legislature
Robert Graber, Clerk
92 Franklin St. – 4th Floor
Buffalo, New York 14202

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed with your letter is a copy of a resolution adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Eden at a Regular Meeting held on April 13, 2011.

The Eden Town Board urges your support of this legislation.

Sincerely,


Mary Jo Hultquist
Eden Town Clerk

Cc: Glenn R. Nellis, Supervisor

Enclosure

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Resolution No. 5-2011

STATE OF NEW YORK :
COUNTY OF ERIE : ss:
TOWN OF EDEN :

I, Mary Jo Hultquist, Town Clerk of the Town of Eden, Erie County, New York, do hereby certify that a Regular Meeting of the Town Board of the aforesaid town, held on the 13th day of April, 2011 at the Eden Town Hall, 2795 East Church Street, Eden, New York, the following resolution was adopted,

MOTION was made by Supervisor Nellis to approve the adoption of the following resolution:

Supervisor Nellis read the following resolution:

RESOLUTION REAPPORTIONMENT OF ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

WHEREAS, the Erie County Legislature is constitutionally required to reapportion its districts in 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Erie County Legislature has voted to downsize from 15 to 11 members based on strong public support of this action; and

WHEREAS, by remaining intact within one legislative district a town, such as Eden, will more likely have its community-wide interest represented by a legislature who knows they are solely responsible for representing the Town of Eden.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Eden does hereby request that Erie County Advisory Committee on Reappointment and the Erie County Legislature respect and adhere to the public policy of New York State in not dividing towns within Erie county with a population of no more than 91,904, being 110% of the size of an average county legislative district; and be it further

RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Eden does hereby request that any such final plan adhere to such policy and not divide the Town of Eden between or among different legislative districts but maintain the Town of Eden wholly within the boundaries of a single county legislative district; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Town Board does hereby extend an invitation to the Committee to conduct a public hearing to hear the opinions of the residents of the Town of Eden; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a local hearing in the Town of Eden can be conducted at the Town Hall (or local high school) and this Board will cooperate by assisting in making arrangements to conduct such a public hearing; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution shall be immediately communicated to the Erie County Citizens Advisory Commission on Reapportionment and to the Erie County Legislature for consideration in the upcoming deliberations on the Legislative Reapportionment Plan for 2011.

Seconded by Councilwoman Pew; All "Ayes"; Motion carried.

I do further certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original Minutes of the Town Board Meeting of the Town Board of the said Town held on the 13th day of April, 2011 and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript from said original Minutes and the whole thereof, and that the resolutions duly adopted by the said Town Board are on file in my office.

I do further certify that the members of the Eden Town Board on April 13, 2011 were as follows: Supervisor: Glenn R. Nellis; Councilwoman: Mary Lou Pew; Councilman: Edward Krycia, Jr.; Councilman: Vincent V. Vacco; and Councilman: Richard S. Ventry.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF; I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the said Town of Eden, Erie County, New York, the 15th day of April, 2011.

Seal


Town Clerk, Town of Eden, NY