

**A RESOLUTION TO BE SUBMITTED
BY LEGISLATORS BURKE & GRANT**

RE: NFTA Pre-Tax MetroPerks Program

WHEREAS, the Niagara Frontier Transportation Authority offers a program called MetroPerk, which allows employees of subscriber organizations to purchase a metro pass with pre-tax dollars; and

WHEREAS, the program benefits employers by reducing their payroll taxes, for every \$1,000 reduced in payroll an employer stands to save around \$76 annually; and

WHEREAS, the program will offer employees nearly a 30% savings on the cost of a metro pass by using pre-tax dollars; and

WHEREAS, participating in MetroPerk could potentially increase ridership on the metro bus system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature encourage the Department of Personnel to subscribe to the NFTA's MetroPerks Program; and be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution be sent to the Erie County Executive, the Erie County Commissioner of Personnel, and the NFTA Board of Commissioners.

Fiscal Impact: None to County