

Warren County Board of Supervisors

Proclamation

WHEREAS, In March 1968, Lake George resident Robert “Bob” Blais answered the call for residents willing to serve as Village of Lake George trustee, winning election to his first public office, and

WHEREAS, Three years later, Bob was asked to run for mayor of the Village of Lake George, hoping to revitalize a tourism-based economy that was struggling at the time, and

WHEREAS, 52 years after he was elected Mayor, Bob Blais has done just that and more, wrapping up a career of remarkable achievements in Lake George, Warren County and the region that will live on for generations to come, and

WHEREAS, Mayor Blais prioritized maintaining Lake George’s status as a family vacation destination, preserving quality of life and helping to bring and keep attractions and businesses that welcome those of all ages, and

WHEREAS, After decades of being Mr. Lake George, Mayor Blais leaves office as the longest tenured Mayor in the United States, and

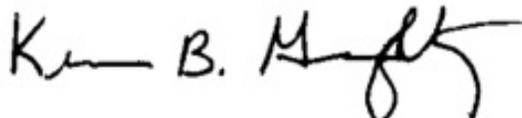
WHEREAS, Words alone cannot convey the gratitude owed to Mayor Bob Blais for the countless hours of work he has put in to make Lake George and Warren County a better place to live for its residents and workers, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that I, Kevin B. Geraghty, Chairman of the Warren County Board of Supervisors, upon a majority vote of the Board of Supervisors, do hereby proclaim March 17, 2023 to be

“MAYOR BOB BLAIS DAY”

in Warren County, and thank Mayor Blais for his decades of public service while wishing him all the best for a healthy, happy and well-earned retirement.

DATED: MARCH 17, 2023



**KEVIN B. GERAGHTY, CHAIRMAN
WARREN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**