

# Warren County Board of Supervisors

## RESOLUTION NO. 231 OF 2024

**RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY SUPERVISORS STROUGH, CONOVER, WILD, DRISCOLL, MADAY, GERACI AND THOMAS**

### **RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF AND ENCOURAGING NEW YORK STATE FUNDING FOR THE ELDERWOOD AT NORTH CREEK NURSING HOME**

WHEREAS, community-based nursing homes provide essential care and services to our society's most vulnerable members who often lack the ability to pay, and

WHEREAS, New York State is proposing massive cuts to Medicare/Medicaid funding for nursing homes in the 2024-2025 budget that includes \$500 million in cuts to nursing homes, freezing the Medicaid operating rate, and an additional \$400 million in unidentified cuts to nursing home reimbursement rates, and

WHEREAS, the Elderwood at North Creek nursing home is one of a few remaining nursing homes in the Adirondacks which serves our elderly residents and is on the verge of closing operations as not enough money is being received from New York State to reimburse for the costs of care provided by New York State, and

WHEREAS, the Legislative, Rules & Governmental Operations Committee has recommended that the Warren County Board of Supervisors support and encourage New York State to provide more funding to the Elderwood at North Creek nursing home to allow the facility to continue operations, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Warren County Board of Supervisors hereby supports and encourages New York State to provide more funding to the Elderwood at North Creek nursing home to allow the facility to continue operations, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to forward copies of this resolution to the New York State Association of Counties, Governor Kathy Hochul, Senator Dan Stec and Assemblyman Matthew Simpson.