

RESOLUTION NO.

- 2025

WHEREAS, the Honorable George Latimer was elected to the office of County Executive, for a term to expire on December 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable George Latimer was elected to serve as a member of the United States House of Representatives effective January 3, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable George Latimer, has resigned from the office of County Executive, effective January 2, 2025; and

WHEREAS, upon the resignation of the Honorable George Latimer, a vacancy was created in the office of County Executive; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 110.51(2) of the Laws of Westchester County, whenever a vacancy in the office of County Executive occurs more than nine (9) months prior to the regular expiration of the County Executive's term of office, the office shall be filled for the remainder of the unexpired term at a special election, to be called by the Board of Legislators; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 110.51(2) of the Laws of Westchester County, pending the results of that special election, and certification thereof, the Board of Legislators shall designate the head of a department of the County or any qualified elector of the County, other than a member of the Board of Legislators, to serve as County Executive;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that a vacancy in the office of the County Executive has occurred as of January 3, 2025, which is more than nine (9) months prior to December 31, 2025, the regular expiration of the County Executive's term of office; and be it further

RESOLVED that the Westchester County Board of Legislators has called for a special election to fill the office of County Executive pursuant to Section 110.51(2) of the Laws of Westchester County to be held on February 11, 2025; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Westchester County Board of Legislators hereby appoints **Kenneth W. Jenkins**, a qualified elector of the County, to serve as County Executive, pending the results of the special election, and certification thereof; and

RESOLVED, that **Kenneth W. Jenkins** service shall commence immediately, and such service shall terminate at such time as the Westchester County Board of Elections certifies the results of the special election; and

RESOLVED, that **Kenneth W. Jenkins** shall take their oath of office with the Westchester County Clerk as soon as practicable; and

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Board of Legislators is hereby directed to transmit this resolution to the Westchester County Clerk forthwith.

Dated: _____, 2025
White Plains, New York