



TOWN OF GRAFTON

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Introduced by Councilman Lewandusky

Resolution #64 of 2023

RESOLUTION DECLARING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2023 IN GRAFTON NY AS A MONTH OF REMEMBRANCE

WHEREAS, This year marks the Twenty-second Anniversary of September 11, 2001 when four U.S. planes hijacked by terrorists crashed into the World Trade Center, the Pentagon and a field in Pennsylvania killing nearly 3,000 people in a matter of hours; and

WHEREAS, It is important that these horrific acts are never forgotten but more importantly, it is vital that America's ability to unite so quickly afterwards in order to aid and comfort those hurting is forever remembered; and

WHEREAS, When these dreadful attacks took place, many valiant people from across the nation, including many in Grafton NY, rushed to offer help, assistance and comfort, which included firefighters, police officers, ambulance crews, emergency services dispatchers, doctors, nurses, emergency service workers and ordinary citizens; and

WHEREAS, In honor of the Twenty-first Anniversary of the September 11th attacks, it is our duty as a Nation and a County to promise to always keep in memory the legacy of those who have died and those who have suffered; and

WHEREAS, Our nation has only become stronger and more patriotic since the attacks and it is important that we continue to show our patriotism and appreciation for the brave men and women who are overseas; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Grafton Town Board does hereby pause in its deliberations for a moment of silence in honor of the many victims of the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Town of Grafton does hereby declare the month of September in Grafton as a month of remembrance to pay tribute to the outstanding sacrifice and service these men and women provide to our communities in times of personal, community and national tragedy, disaster, and mishap.

Motion made by Councilman Lewandusky, seconded by Councilwoman Deschaine

Motion Carried 5 - 0

Roll Call:

Councilman Beaudry - Yea

Councilwoman Deschaine - Yea

Councilman Lewandusky - Yea

Councilman Hoyt - Yea

Supervisor Gundrum - Yea

Adopted: September 11, 2023