

At a Regular Meeting of the Town Board of
the Town of North Greenbush held at 7:00
p.m. on January 13, 2022 at the Town
Offices

IN THE MATTER OF ADOPTING A TOWN OF NORTH GREENBUSH
CLIMATE RESILIANCE VISION FOR THE CLIMATE SMART
COMMUNITY PROGRAM

WHEREAS, in November 2019 the North Greenbush Town Board adopted the New York State Climate Smart Community Pledge and subsequently appointed a Climate Smart Committee and successfully implemented numerous actions designed to achieve a more sustainable community; and,

WHEREAS, the Town of North Greenbush continues to pursue New York State Certification as a Climate Smart Community to demonstrate its commitment to reducing greenhouse gas emissions, enhancing operational and energy efficiencies, reducing energy costs, and adapting to a changing climate while improving quality of life and saving taxpayer dollars; and,

WHEREAS, to further enhance the Climate Smart Community Certification process the Town, working with Cornell Cooperative Extension of Rensselaer County, prepared a Town Climate Resilience Vision after significant public input from residents, business, other stakeholders and town officials and staff; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of North Greenbush hereby adopts the Town of North Greenbush Climate Resilience Vision which will further enhance achieving a more sustainable community.

Councilwoman Merola moved, **Supervisor Bott** seconded and the Town Board voted as follows:

Councilwoman Hoffman	<u>AYE</u>
Councilman Rogers	<u>AYE</u>
Councilwoman Merola	<u>AYE</u>
Councilman Gordon	<u>AYE</u>
Supervisor Bott	<u>AYE</u>

RESOLUTION 2022-1-5