

Town of Pound Ridge

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TOWN CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned Town Clerk of the Town of Pound Ridge, Westchester County, New York, DO HEREBY CERTIFY AS FOLLOWS:

The Town Board of the Town of Pound Ridge at a public meeting duly called and held on March 4, 2025, adopted the following resolution, on motion by Councilperson Briggs, seconded by Councilperson Boak, all voting aye:

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Budapest Memorandum, signed on December 5, 1994, by Ukraine, Russia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, the United States of America, and the United Kingdom, Ukraine gave up its nuclear weapons in exchange for guarantees as to its territorial integrity; AND

WHEREAS, in violation of the Budapest Memorandum and international law, Russia attacked and invaded Ukraine, a sovereign and democratic nation; AND

WHEREAS, Russia has violated international law by intentionally targeting civilians and civilian infrastructure in Ukraine and by kidnapping thousands of Ukrainian children; AND

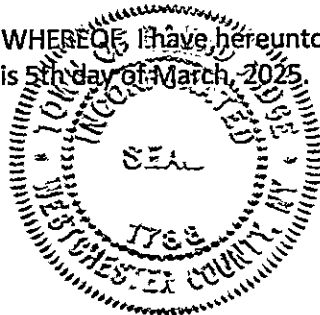
WHEREAS, Russia is a present threat to the democratic nations of Europe, our NATO allies, and the United States of America; AND

WHEREAS, Russia's threat to democratic nations, including the United States of America, will only increase if it is allowed to succeed with its invasion of Ukraine; AND

WHEREAS, the Trump administration has stated that it will withhold American aid and assistance to Ukraine in its existential fight against Russia; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Town of Pound Ridge calls upon Congressman Mike Lawler and Senators Chuck Schumer and Kirsten Gillibrand to stand with Ukraine, to voice their opposition to the Trump administration's withholding of aid and assistance to Ukraine, and to urge the Trump administration to honor America's commitment to its democratic ally Ukraine.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Town of Pound Ridge, New York this 5th day of March, 2025.



Erin Trostle
Town Clerk