



DUTCHESS COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Condolence: Michael R. Osterhoudt

Resolution 2025049

The Dutchess County Legislature offers the following and moves its adoption:

WHEREAS, On February 16, 2025, the Dutchess County Legislature learned with great sadness and regret of the recent death of Michael R. Osterhoudt at the age of 68, and

WHEREAS, Michael was born on December 7, 1956, in Rhinebeck, New York, son to Mary Jane (Kilmer) Osterhoudt and the late Wallace E. Osterhoudt, Sr., and

WHEREAS, Michael graduated from Red Hook High School in 1976 and worked as a Machine Equipment Operator with the Dutchess County Highway Department, and

WHEREAS, On September 30, 1989, Michael married the love of his life Karen A. Studer, in Poughkeepsie, New York and their marriage was a testament to true partnership and enduring love for over 35 years, and

WHEREAS, Michael was an avid outdoorsman and a member and Past President of the Red Hook Rod & Gun Club, and

WHEREAS, Michael is survived by his mother Mary Jane Osterhoudt, his wife Karen, his daughters Julia Ferris, Alexandria Osterhoudt, and Jessica Osterhoudt, his grandchildren Ava Rae Ferris and Chase Joseph Osterhoudt, his sister Jocelyn Coon, his brother David Osterhoudt, and nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, and extended family and friends, and

WHEREAS, Michael is predeceased by his brother Wallace Osterhoudt, Jr., and

WHEREAS, Michael's passing will be mourned by his family, friends and colleagues throughout Dutchess County, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature, on behalf of all the people of Dutchess County, does hereby extend its deepest sympathy and sincere condolences to the family and friends of the late Michael R. Osterhoudt, and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the meeting of the Dutchess County Legislature be adjourned in memory of the late Michael R. Osterhoudt.

STATE OF NEW YORK

COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

SS:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, have compared the foregoing resolution with the original resolution now on file in the office of said clerk, and which was adopted by said Legislature on the 10th day of March 2025, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 10th day of March 2025



Leigh Wager
LEIGH WAGER, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE