**TOWN OF PENDLETON** 6570 Campbell Boulevard Lockport, NY 14094



Supervisor Joel Maerten Councilman Wolfgang Buechler Councilman Joseph Hickman Councilman David Leible Councilman Scott Lombardo

At the meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Pendleton, Niagara County, New York, held in the Board Room at the Town of Pendleton Town Hall, 6570 Campbell Boulevard, Lockport, New York, 14094 at 7:00 p.m. on February 12, 2024.

## **Resolution Authorizing Temporary Closure of the Town Hall**

**WHEREAS**, a solar eclipse, which is a rare event, will be visible in the Town of Pendleton and surrounding areas on April 8, 2024; and

**WHEREAS**, an extraordinary number of eclipse viewers are predicted to be in the area on this date and plans are being prepared by local agencies to deal with the increase in people and traffic in the area on this date; and

**WHEREAS,** reports from previous eclipse events have documented the extraordinary pressure on traffic systems in the areas where the full eclipse is visible; and

**WHEREAS**, there is potential for an extraordinary amount of traffic and people in the Town Park on this date, impeding the operations of the Town Hall; and

**WHEREAS,** it is prudent to be prepared to close the Town Hall on April 8, 2024 to minimize potential disruptions to Town Hall operations, should conditions necessitate this decision.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Town Board of the Town of Pendleton on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February 2024 that the Supervisor is authorized to close the Town Hall, at his discretion, April 8, 2024. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

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