



## ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Jerome D. Schad, Chair  
Peggy A. LaGree, Vice Chair  
Michele M. Iannello, Treasurer

FROM: Terrence D. McCracken, Secretary to the Authority

DATE: July 14, 2025

SUBJECT: Support of State Legislation to Strengthen Cybersecurity across New York State's Municipal

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This past April, Chair Schad and Sabrina Figler represented the Authority at AWWA's Fly-In annual event in Washington, D.C. One of AWWA's legislative priorities was to support a collaborative approach to cybersecurity in the water sector. On June 27, 2025, New York Governor Kathy Hochul signed into law S.7672A/A.6769A, legislation to strengthen cybersecurity across New York State's municipalities. This legislation builds on previous actions and investments to build a more resilient, safer and secure digital environment.

I am requesting that the Board approve sending a resolution of support to Governor Hochul expressing our commitment to strengthening cybersecurity for the water sector, municipalities and New York State.

A resolution has been included for your consideration at the meeting of July 23, 2024. Thank you for your consideration.

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Date: 7/15/2025

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Comptroller

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Administration

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Distribution

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Human Resources

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Director of IT

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Director of Production

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Director of Water Quality

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Executive Engineer

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

General Counsel (Legal)



Date: 7/14/2025

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**APPROVED FOR BOARD RESOLUTION:**

Secretary to the Authority



Date: 7/15/2025

**Remarks:** \_\_\_\_\_

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