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**COMMON COUNCIL MEETING  
REGULAR SESSION**

**APRIL 9, 2025  
7:00 P.M.**

1. CALL THE ROLL OF MEMBERS BY THE CLERK
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
3. INVOCATION
4. GENERAL PUBLIC HEARING
5. RECOGNITION/APPRECIATION
6. READING OF MINUTES OF PRECEDING SESSION
7. PRESENTING OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS
  - a. Petitions
  - b. Communications
    - The Capitol Theatre financial report for quarter ended 12/31/24 has been received and filed in the City Clerk's Office.
8. NOTICES
9. REPORTS OF CITY OFFICIALS
10. REPORT OF COUNCILORS AND GENERAL CITY AFFAIRS
11. PRESENTATION OF REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
12. RESOLUTIONS
  - RES. NO. 50 ACCEPTING DONATION PRESENTED TO THE CITY OF ROME (\$500.00) BY CATALDO (KIT) NASHTON. **Mayor Lanigan**
  - RES. NO. 51 AUTHORIZING AN INTERFUND TRANSFER FROM THE WATER FUND INTO THE GENERAL FUND. **Adams**
  - RES. NO. 52 AUTHORIZING USE OF GENERAL FUNDS TO FUND THE FUTURE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT(S) CAPITAL RESERVE. **Adams**

- RES. NO. 53** AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO THE CAPITAL ACCOUNT (HGP) WOODHAVEN COMPLETE STREETS. **Andrews**
- RES. NO. 54** AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO THE CAPITAL ACCOUNT (HGI) CITY GREEN. **Andrews**
- RES. NO. 55** RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ROME WATER FILTRATION DEPARTMENT CHLORINE STORAGE BUILDING IS A TYPE II ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT. **Adams**
- RES. NO. 56** RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ROME ART AND COMMUNITY CENTER IS A TYPE II ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT. **Adams**
- RES. NO. 57** RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE PROPOSED RECONSTRUCTION AND RESURFACING OF CERTAIN ROADS IS A TYPE II ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT. **Adams**
- RES. NO. 58** RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE REPLACEMENT OF EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY OR APPARATUS FOR THE CITY'S WATER SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM IS A TYPE II ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT. **Adams**
- RES. NO. 59** RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE REPLACEMENT OF EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY OR APPARATUS FOR THE CITY'S SEWER SYSTEM IS A TYPE II ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT. **Adams**
- RES. NO. 60** AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO THE CAPITAL ACCOUNT (HGD) CITY HALL ELEVATOR CAPITAL PROJECT. **Adams**

### **13. ORDINANCES**

- ORD. NO. 9776** AUTHORIZING THE PLACEMENT OF TWO "HANDICAPPED PARKING" SPACES WITH AN OFF-LOADING SPACE BETWEEN THEM ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE 100 BLOCK OF WEST DOMINICK STREET. **Fazio**
- ORD. NO. 9777** BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$75,000 BONDS TO FINANCE THE COST OF IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ROME WATER FILTRATION DEPARTMENT CHLORINE STORAGE BUILDING. **Adams**
- ORD. NO. 9778** BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$30,000 BONDS TO FINANCE THE COST OF IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ROME ART AND COMMUNITY CENTER. **Adams**
- ORD. NO. 9779** BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$150,000 BONDS TO PAY THE COST OF RECONSTRUCTION OR RESURFACING OF CERTAIN ROADS FOR THE WATER FILTRATION DEPARTMENT. **Adams**

**ORD. NO. 9780** BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$475,000 BONDS TO FINANCE COSTS OF REPLACING EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY OR APPARATUS FOR THE CITY WATER SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM. **Adams**

**ORD. NO. 9781** BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$732,000 BONDS TO FINANCE COSTS OF REPLACING EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY OR APPARATUS FOR THE CITY SEWER SYSTEM. **Adams**

**ORD. NO. 9782** AUTHORIZING THE ASSIGNMENT OF OFFICE SPACE IN ROME CITY HALL TO GREENMAN-PEDERSON, INC. **Guiliano**

**14. LOCAL LAWS**

**15. TABLED LEGISLATION**

**16. VETOED LEGISLATION**

**17. ADJOURNMENT**

**RESOLUTION NO. 50**

**ACCEPTING DONATION PRESENTED TO THE  
CITY OF ROME (\$500.00) BY CATALDO (KIT) NASHTON.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, Cataldo (Kit) Nashton has contacted the City of Rome with the offer to donate \$500.00 for the RPD K-9 unit; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 25 of the Rome City Charter, the City of Rome Common Council may authorize the acceptance of donations made to the City of Rome on behalf of the City of Rome; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Common Council of the City of Rome, New York, that the donation of \$500.00 for the RPD K-9 unit, shall be gratefully accepted by the City of Rome; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Common Council hereby expresses its appreciation to Cataldo (Kit) Nashton for his donation.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

To: The Mayor of Rome

For you to bring Back the

K-9's For Rome Police is a

great thing to do. It should

not have been Removed.

I, Cataldo Nashton am making

a donation to this, to Bring

them Back. Rome P.D. need this

for what they do in their job,

and is a great helper for them

Thank you for this, and keep

up the good work for the city

Cataldo Nashton  
(KIT)

Designer Checks 1-800-626-7007 www.designerchecks.com

CATALDO A. NASHTON  
ID 984-727-096  
166 HILSON DRIVE  
ROME, NY 13440

60-7580/2213

5529

date March 18, 2025

Pay to the order of Home City Hall

Five hundred and 00/100 \$ 500.00

Dollars

AMERICU CREDIT UNION  
(800) 388-2000  
WWW.AMERICU.ORG

for K-9's

Cataldo Nashton

Security Features  
Emboss on Back

**RESOLUTION NO. 51**

**AUTHORIZING AN INTERFUND TRANSFER FROM THE WATER FUND INTO THE GENERAL FUND.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, Brian Adams, Treasurer for the City of Rome, has requested the transfer of \$40,000.00 from the 2025 Water Fund to the General Fund; now, therefore

BE RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Rome hereby authorizes pursuant to General Municipal Law §94, an interfund transfer from the Water Fund of profits into the General Fund, as follows:

<b>Increase</b>	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>\$40,000.00</b>
<b>Decrease</b>	<b>Water Fund</b>	<b>\$40,000.00 ;</b>
<b>And</b>		

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Rome Treasurer is directed to make such changes as may be necessary to effectuate the amendment authorized hereby and that same be consistent with the City’s policies and procedures, and any applicable law.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith \_\_ Anderson \_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

2025 - 2026 BUDGET

WATER

REVENUE

	2022 ACTUAL	2023 ACTUAL	2024 BUDGET	8/31/2024 ACTUAL	2024 ESTIMATED	2025 BUDGET	2026 PROJECTED
EW 1030	30,189	27,428	0	8,650	8,650	0	0
EW 2140	3,243,882	3,254,657	3,300,000	1,485,104	3,250,000	3,300,000	3,300,000
EW 2142	5,824,411	5,771,077	5,803,449	5,801,734	5,801,734	5,784,241	5,789,360
EW 214201	(7,429)	(7,613)	(7,500)	(6,681)	(6,681)	(7,500)	(7,500)
EW 2144	4,550	350	2,000	3,400	3,600	2,000	2,000
EW 214801	64,834	78,011	70,000	45,422	85,000	70,000	70,500
EW 214802	34,219	34,668	25,000	8,299	20,000	20,000	22,500
EW 214803	1,905	1,723	1,300	1,541	1,650	1,500	1,500
EW 2150	113,287	124,422	106,105	30,860	95,000	125,907	125,907
EW 2401	52,837	475,055	151,957	170,783	250,000	148,252	118,602
EW 2403	59,836	0	0	0	0	0	0
EW 2404	0	205,415	322,878	372,315	515,000	351,517	316,365
EW 2590	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EW 2655	162	72,657	10,000	0	0	10,000	10,000
EW 2701	0	2,078,558	0	(5,684)	(5,684)	0	0
EW 2710	363	1,226	0	9,470	9,470	0	0
EW 2770	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EW 277008	10,993	13,757	10,000	3,693	10,000	10,000	10,000
EW 3089	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EW	112,816	0	0	0	0	0	0
	9,546,856	12,131,392	9,795,189	7,928,904	10,046,318	9,815,917	10,131,313

APPROPRIATION SUMMARY

EW 1900	10,283	2,077	105,194	25,553	85,000	85,024	89,275
EW 1900	1,477,989	1,359,795	1,508,769	737,592	1,244,266	1,364,103	1,390,427
EW 8310	158,683	163,466	216,942	84,345	168,424	180,961	185,439
EW 8320	1,736,879	2,047,503	2,356,344	1,379,533	2,457,324	2,410,618	2,611,265
EW 8340	1,294,683	1,279,645	1,478,213	1,094,668	1,774,054	1,635,178	1,604,018
EW 9000	560,551	936,484	778,998	576,948	913,480	1,055,788	1,106,940
EW 9700	1,952,912	1,955,874	2,267,889	1,830,593	2,265,782	2,160,917	2,305,959
EW 9901	2,354,877	872,515	817,989	1,108,684	1,137,989	837,989	837,989
	9,546,856	8,617,358	9,530,338	6,837,915	10,046,318	9,730,578	10,131,313

*Budgeted Surplus*  
\$ 85,339

**RESOLUTION NO. 52**

**AUTHORIZING USE OF GENERAL FUNDS TO FUND  
THE FUTURE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT(S) CAPITAL RESERVE.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, Brian Adams, Treasurer for the City of Rome, has requested authorization to for the use of General Funds to fund the Future Construction Project(S) Capital Reserve; now, therefore

BE RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Rome hereby authorizes the use of General Funds to fund the Future Construction Project(S) Capital Reserve, as follows:

<b>AG 87805</b>	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>\$40,000.00</b>
<b>AG 911</b>	<b>Unassigned Fund Balance</b>	<b>\$40,000.00 ;</b>
<b>And</b>		

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Rome Treasurer is directed to make such changes as may be necessary to effectuate the amendment authorized hereby and that same be consistent with the City’s policies and procedures, and any applicable law.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_



**RESOLUTION NO. 53**

**AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO THE CAPITAL ACCOUNT (HGP) WOODHAVEN COMPLETE STREETS.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, Matthew Andrews, Deputy Director of Community and Economic Development for the City of Rome, has requested to amend the capital account (HGP) Woodhaven Complete Streets; now, therefore

BE RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Rome hereby authorizes an amendment, as follows:

<b>Source:</b>	<b>Current Amount:</b>	<b>Amended Amount:</b>	<b>Use:</b>
CPF	\$3,000,000.00	\$3,000,000.00	Design/Construction
Touring Routes 2022	\$0.00	<b>\$6,387.80</b>	Construction
Touring Routes 2023	\$0.00	<b>\$39,612.20</b>	Construction
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,000,000.00</b>	<b>\$3,046,000.00</b>	

; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Rome Treasurer is directed to make such changes as may be necessary to effectuate the amendment authorized hereby and that same be consistent with the City’s policies and procedures, and any applicable law.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith \_\_ Anderson \_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**RESOLUTION NO. 54**

**AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO THE CAPITAL ACCOUNT (HGI) CITY GREEN.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, Matthew Andrews, Deputy Director of Community and Economic Development for the City of Rome, has requested to amend the capital account (HGI) City Green; now, therefore

BE RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Rome hereby authorizes an amendment, as follows:

<b>Source:</b>	<b>Current Amount:</b>	<b>Amended Amount:</b>	<b>Use:</b>
DRI	\$400,000.00	\$400,000.00	Construction
ARPA	\$150,000.00	\$150,00.00	Construction
CDBG 2024	\$193,000.00	\$193,000.00	Construction
Main Street (CEDQ)	\$90,938.90	\$90,938.90	Construction
Main Street (HGG)	\$4,510.00	\$4,520.00	Construction
<b>Touring 2023</b>	<b>\$92,410.82</b>	<b>\$340,410.82</b>	<b>Construction</b>
Touring 2022	\$24,150.00	\$24,150.00	Construction
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$955,009.72</b>	<b>\$1,203,009.72</b>	

; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Rome Treasurer is directed to make such changes as may be necessary to effectuate the amendment authorized hereby and that same be consistent with the City’s policies and procedures, and any applicable law.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith \_\_ Anderson \_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**RESOLUTION NO. 55**

**RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE PROPOSED  
IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ROME WATER FILTRATION  
DEPARTMENT CHLORINE STORAGE BUILDING IS A TYPE II  
ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE  
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City") is considering undertaking the reconstruction and improvement of the Water Filtration Department chlorine storage building (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, as amended (the "SEQR Act") and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York, being 6 NYCRR Part 617, as amended (the "Regulations"), the Common Council desires to comply with the SEQR Act and the Regulations with respect to the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Project constitutes a "Type II Action" under 6 NYCRR 671.5(c)(2) and no further action under the SEQR Act and the Regulations is required.
2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith \_\_ Anderson \_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**RESOLUTION NO. 56**

**RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE PROPOSED  
IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ROME ART AND COMMUNITY CENTER  
IS A TYPE II ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE  
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City") is considering undertaking the reconstruction and improvement of the Rome Art and Community Center, including the repair and replacement of windows, (the "Projects"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, as amended (the "SEQR Act") and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York, being 6 NYCRR Part 617, as amended (the "Regulations"), the Common Council desires to comply with the SEQR Act and the Regulations with respect to each of the Projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Project constitutes a "Type II Action" under 6 NYCRR 671.5(c)(2) and no further action under the SEQR Act and the Regulations is required.
2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_

**RESOLUTION NO. 57**

**RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE PROPOSED  
RECONSTRUCTION AND RESURFACING OF CERTAIN ROADS IS A  
TYPE II ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE  
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City") is considering undertaking the reconstruction or resurfacing of certain access roads at the Water Filtration Department’s waste lagoons, not involving the addition of new travel lanes (the “Project”); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, as amended (the "SEQR Act") and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York, being 6 NYCRR Part 617, as amended (the "Regulations"), the Common Council desires to comply with the SEQR Act and the Regulations with respect to the Project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROME, NEW YORK AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Project constitutes a "Type II Action" under 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(5) and no further action under the SEQR Act and the Regulations is required.
2. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith \_\_ Anderson \_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**RESOLUTION NO. 58**

**RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE REPLACEMENT OF EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY OR APPARATUS FOR THE CITY’S WATER SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM IS A TYPE II ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City") is considering undertaking the replacement of equipment, machinery or apparatus for the City’s water supply and distribution system, (the "Projects"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, as amended (the "SEQR Act") and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York, being 6 NYCRR Part 617, as amended (the "Regulations"), the Common Council desires to comply with the SEQR Act and the Regulations with respect to each of the Projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Project constitutes a "Type II Action" under 6 NYCRR 671.5(c)(1) and no further action under the SEQR Act and the Regulations is required.
2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith \_\_ Anderson \_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**RESOLUTION NO. 59**

**RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT THE REPLACEMENT OF EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY OR APPARATUS FOR THE CITY'S SEWER SYSTEM IS A TYPE II ACTION FOR PURPOSES OF THE NEW YORK STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City") is considering undertaking the replacement of equipment, machinery or apparatus for the City's sewer system, (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, as amended (the "SEQR Act") and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York, being 6 NYCRR Part 617, as amended (the "Regulations"), the Common Council desires to comply with the SEQR Act and the Regulations with respect to the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Project constitutes a "Type II Action" under 6 NYCRR 671.5(c)(1) and no further action under the SEQR Act and the Regulations is required.
2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**RESOLUTION NO. 60**

**AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO THE CAPITAL ACCOUNT**  
**(HGD) CITY HALL ELEVATOR CAPITAL PROJECT.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, Brian Adams, Treasurer for the City of Rome, has requested to amend the capital account (HGD) City Hall Elevator Capital Project; now, therefore

BE RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Rome hereby authorizes an amendment, as follows:

<b><u>Source:</u></b>	<b><u>Current Amount:</u></b>	<b><u>Amended Amount:</u></b>
ARPA	\$193,000.00	\$193,000.00
Bonding	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00
Interfund	\$0.00	<b>\$13,000.00</b>
<b>Total</b>	\$393,000.00	<b>\$406,000.00</b>

; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Rome Treasurer is directed to make such changes as may be necessary to effectuate the amendment authorized hereby and that same be consistent with the City’s policies and procedures, and any applicable law.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_



**ORDINANCE NO. 9776**

**AUTHORIZING THE PLACEMENT OF TWO "HANDICAPPED PARKING" SPACES WITH AN OFF-LOADING SPACE BETWEEN THEM ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE 100 BLOCK OF WEST DOMINICK STREET.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, Linda Fazio, Third Ward Councilor for the City of Rome, New York, has requested the placement of two "handicapped parking" spaces, with an off-loading space between them on the north side of the 100 block of West Dominick Street; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of the Public Works, following a review of the conditions along said streets and in consideration of the requests made by local residents, recommends the placement of two "handicapped parking" spaces, with an off-loading space between them on the north side of the 100 block of West Dominick Street; and

WHEREAS, the placement of two "handicapped parking" spaces, with an off-loading space between them on the north side of the 100 block of West Dominick Street, alleviates the safety and parking concerns having been voiced by local residents; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED, that the placement of two "handicapped parking" spaces, with an off-loading space between them on the north side of the 100 block of West Dominick Street, be and is hereby permitted.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

RESOLVED, that the unanimous consent of this Common Council be, and the same hereby is given to the consideration of Ordinance No. 9776.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

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ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_



spaces closest to 148 W. Dominick Street would be best. This is a request from The Antonowicz Group due to their percentage of disabled clientele and we are on board with that. We will have to make the handicapped-compliant curb cuts once legislation passes. See below...



Thank you,

Tracy

**ORDINANCE NO. 9777**

**BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK,  
AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$75,000 BONDS TO  
FINANCE THE COST OF IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ROME WATER  
FILTRATION DEPARTMENT CHLORINE STORAGE BUILDING.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, all conditions precedent to the financing of the capital projects hereinafter described, including compliance with the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, have been performed, now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED, by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the total voting strength of the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City"), as follows:

Section 1. The City is hereby authorized to undertake the reconstruction and improvement of the Water Filtration Department chlorine storage building, at a maximum estimated cost of \$75,000 and to issue serial bonds in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$75,000 pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law to finance the estimated cost of the aforesaid specific object or purposes.

Section 2. It is hereby determined that the maximum estimated cost of the aforesaid specific objects or purposes is \$75,000, said amount is hereby appropriated therefor and the plan for the financing thereof shall consist of the issuance of not to exceed \$75,000 in serial bonds (the "Bonds") of the City authorized to be issued pursuant to this Ordinance; **PROVIDED, HOWEVER,** any federal or state grant funds received by the City for such objects or purposes shall be applied to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds or, to the extent obligations have not been issued under this Ordinance, to reduce the maximum principal amount of Bonds to be issued.

Section 3. It is hereby determined that the Rome Water Filtration Department Building is a "Class B" building as defined in Section 11(b) of the Local Finance Law, and the period of probable usefulness of the aforesaid specific object or purpose is fifteen (15) years, pursuant to subdivision 12 of paragraph (a)(2) of Section 11.00 of the Local Finance Law. The proposed maturity of the obligations authorized by this resolution will be in excess of five years.

Section 4. Pursuant to Section 107.00(d)(9) of the Local Finance Law, current funds are not required to be provided prior to issuance of the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of issuance of the Bonds.

Section 5. The temporary use of available funds of the City, not immediately required for the purpose or purposes for which the same were borrowed, raised or otherwise created, is hereby authorized pursuant to Section 165.10 of the Local Finance Law, for the capital purposes described in Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 6. The Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law and the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall be general obligations of the City, payable as to both principal and interest by a general tax upon all the real property within the City without legal or constitutional limitation as to rate or amount. The faith and credit of the City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, and provision shall be made annually in the budget of the City by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes to mature in such year, and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 7. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance and of the Local Finance Law, and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 21.00, 30.00, 50.00 and 56.00 to 63.00, inclusive, of the Local Finance Law, the power to authorize the issuance of and to sell bond anticipation notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of the Bonds herein authorized, including renewals of such notes, and the power to prescribe the terms, form and contents of the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes, and the power to sell and deliver the Bonds and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds, and the power to issue bonds providing for level or substantially level or declining annual debt service, is hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 8. This Ordinance is intended to constitute the declaration of the City's "official intent" to reimburse the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance with the proceeds of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized herein, as required by Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 9. The serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized to be issued by this Ordinance are hereby authorized to be consolidated, at the option of the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer, with the serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized by other Bond Ordinances previously or hereafter adopted by the Common Council for purposes of sale in to one or more bond or note issues aggregating an amount not to exceed the amount authorized in such ordinances. All matters regarding the sale of the bonds, including the date of the bonds, the use of electronic bidding, the consolidation of the serial bonds and the bond anticipation notes with other issues of the City and the serial maturities of the bonds are hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 10. The validity of the Bonds authorized by this Ordinance and of any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds may be contested only if:

(a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the City is not authorized to expend money; or

(b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Ordinance or a summary hereof are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty (20) days after the date of such publication; or

(c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 11. This Ordinance, or a summary of this Ordinance, shall be published in the official newspaper of the City for such purpose, together with a notice of the Clerk of the City in substantially the form provided in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law.

Section 12. The City Treasurer, as Chief Fiscal Officer of the City, is hereby authorized to enter into an undertaking for the benefit of the holders of the Bonds from time to time, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of the Bonds, requiring the City to provide secondary market disclosure as required by United States Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12.

Section 13. In the absence of the City Treasurer, the Deputy Treasurer of the City is hereby specifically authorized to exercise the powers delegated to the City Treasurer in this Resolution.

Section 14. This Ordinance is not subject to a mandatory or permissive referendum.

Section 15. The Council hereby determines that the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the regulations thereunder have previously been satisfied with respect to the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance.

Section 16. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

RESOLVED, that the unanimous consent of this Common Council be, and the same hereby is given to the consideration of Ordinance No. 9777.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ORDINANCE NO. 9777

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**ORDINANCE NO. 9778**

**BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK,  
AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$30,000 BONDS TO  
FINANCE THE COST OF IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ROME ART AND  
COMMUNITY CENTER.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, all conditions precedent to the financing of the capital projects hereinafter described, including compliance with the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, have been performed, now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED, by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the total voting strength of the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City"), as follows:

Section 1. The City is hereby authorized to undertake the reconstruction and improvement of the Rome Art and Community Center, including the repair and replacement of windows, at a maximum estimated cost of \$30,000 and to issue serial bonds in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$30,000 pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law to finance the estimated cost of the aforesaid specific object or purposes.

Section 2. It is hereby determined that the maximum estimated cost of the aforesaid specific objects or purposes is \$30,000, said amount is hereby appropriated therefor and the plan for the financing thereof shall consist of the issuance of not to exceed \$30,000 in serial bonds (the "Bonds") of the City authorized to be issued pursuant to this Ordinance; **PROVIDED, HOWEVER,** any federal or state grant funds received by the City for such objects or purposes shall be applied to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds or, to the extent obligations have not been issued under this Ordinance, to reduce the maximum principal amount of Bonds to be issued.

Section 3. It is hereby determined that the Rome Art and Community Center is a "Class C" building as defined in Section 11(c) of the Local Finance Law, and the period of probable usefulness of the aforesaid specific object or purpose is ten (10) years, pursuant to subdivision 12 of paragraph (a)(3) of Section 11.00 of the Local Finance Law. The proposed maturity of the obligations authorized by this resolution will be in excess of five years.

Section 4. Pursuant to Section 107.00(d)(9) of the Local Finance Law, current funds are not required to be provided prior to issuance of the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of issuance of the Bonds.

Section 5. The temporary use of available funds of the City, not immediately required for the purpose or purposes for which the same were borrowed, raised or otherwise created, is hereby authorized pursuant to Section 165.10 of the Local Finance Law, for the capital purposes described in Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 6. The Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law and the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall be general obligations of the City, payable as to both principal and interest by a general tax upon all the real property within the City without legal or constitutional limitation as to rate or amount. The faith and credit of the City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, and provision shall be made annually in the budget of the City by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes to mature in such year, and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 7. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance and of the Local Finance Law, and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 21.00, 30.00, 50.00 and 56.00 to 63.00, inclusive, of the Local Finance Law, the power to authorize the issuance of and to sell bond anticipation notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of the Bonds herein authorized, including renewals of such notes, and the power to prescribe the terms, form and contents of the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes, and the power to sell and deliver the Bonds and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds, and the power to issue bonds providing for level or substantially level or declining annual debt service, is hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 8. This Ordinance is intended to constitute the declaration of the City's "official intent" to reimburse the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance with the proceeds of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized herein, as required by Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 9. The serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized to be issued by this Ordinance are hereby authorized to be consolidated, at the option of the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer, with the serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized by other Bond Ordinances previously or hereafter adopted by the Common Council for purposes of sale in to one or more bond or note issues aggregating an amount not to exceed the amount authorized in such ordinances. All matters regarding the sale of the bonds, including the date of the bonds, the use of electronic bidding, the consolidation of the serial bonds and the bond anticipation notes with other issues of the City and the serial maturities of the bonds are hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 10. The validity of the Bonds authorized by this Ordinance and of any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds may be contested only if:



(a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the City is not authorized to expend money; or

(b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Ordinance or a summary hereof are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty (20) days after the date of such publication; or

(c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 11. This Ordinance, or a summary of this Ordinance, shall be published in the official newspaper of the City for such purpose, together with a notice of the Clerk of the City in substantially the form provided in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law.

Section 12. The City Treasurer, as Chief Fiscal Officer of the City, is hereby authorized to enter into an undertaking for the benefit of the holders of the Bonds from time to time, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of the Bonds, requiring the City to provide secondary market disclosure as required by United States Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12.

Section 13. In the absence of the City Treasurer, the Deputy Treasurer of the City is hereby specifically authorized to exercise the powers delegated to the City Treasurer in this Resolution.

Section 14. This Ordinance is not subject to a mandatory or permissive referendum.

Section 15. The Council hereby determines that the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the regulations thereunder have previously been satisfied with respect to the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance.

Section 16. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

RESOLVED, that the unanimous consent of this Common Council be, and the same hereby is given to the consideration of Ordinance No. 9778.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ORDINANCE NO. 9778

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**ORDINANCE NO. 9779**

**BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK,  
AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$150,000 BONDS TO PAY THE COST OF  
RECONSTRUCTION OR RESURFACING OF CERTAIN ROADS FOR THE WATER  
FILTRATION DEPARTMENT.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, all conditions precedent to the financing of the capital project hereinafter described, including compliance with the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, have been performed, now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED, by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the total voting strength of the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York, as follows:

Section 1. The City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City") is hereby authorized to undertake the reconstruction or resurfacing of certain access roads at the Water Filtration Department's waste lagoons, with flexible pavement of a type described in Local Finance Law Section 11(a)(20)(b), at an estimated maximum cost of \$150,000 and to issue an aggregate \$150,000 in serial bonds pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law to finance the estimated costs of the aforesaid class of objects or purposes.

Section 2. It is hereby determined that the maximum estimated cost of the aforesaid specific objects or purposes is \$150,000, said amount is hereby appropriated therefor and the plan for the financing thereof shall consist of the issuance of \$150,000 in serial bonds (the "Bonds") of the City authorized to be issued pursuant to this Ordinance; **PROVIDED, HOWEVER,** any federal or state grant funds received by the City for such objects or purposes shall be applied to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds or, to the extent obligations have not been issued under this Ordinance, to reduce the maximum principal amount of Bonds to be issued.

Section 3. It is hereby determined that the period of probable usefulness of the aforesaid specific objects or purposes is ten (10) years pursuant to paragraph 20(b) of Section 11.00(a) of the Local Finance Law.

Section 4. Pursuant to Section 107.00(d)(9) of the Local Finance Law, current funds are not required to be provided prior to issuance of the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of issuance of the Bonds.

Section 5. The temporary use of available funds of the City, not immediately required for the purpose or purposes for which the same were borrowed, raised or otherwise created, is hereby authorized pursuant to Section 165.10 of the Local Finance Law, for the capital purposes described in Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 6. The Bonds and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law and the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall be general obligations of the City, payable as to both principal and interest by a general tax upon all the real property within the City without legal or constitutional limitation as to rate or amount. The faith and credit of the City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, and provision shall be made annually in the budget of the City by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes to mature in such year, and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 7. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance and of the Local Finance Law, and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 21.00, 30.00, 50.00 and 56.00 to 63.00, inclusive, of the Local Finance Law, the power to authorize the issuance of and to sell bond anticipation notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of the Bonds herein authorized, including renewals of such notes, and the power to prescribe the terms, form and contents of the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes, and the power to sell and deliver the Bonds and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds, and the power to issue bonds providing for level or substantially level or declining annual debt service, is hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 8. This Ordinance is intended to constitute the declaration of the City's "official intent" to reimburse the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance with the proceeds of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized herein, as required by Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 9. The serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized to be issued by this Ordinance are hereby authorized to be consolidated, at the option of the City's Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer, with the serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized by other Bond Ordinances previously or hereafter adopted by the Common Council for purposes of sale in to one or more bond or note issues aggregating an amount not to exceed the amount authorized in such ordinances. All matters regarding the sale of the bonds, including the date of the bonds, the use of electronic bidding, the consolidation of the serial bonds and the bond anticipation notes with other issues of the City and the serial maturities of the bonds are hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 10. The validity of the Bonds authorized by this Ordinance and of any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds may be contested only if:

(a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the City is not authorized to expend money; or

(b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Ordinance or a summary hereof are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty (20) days after the date of such publication; or

(c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 11. This Ordinance, or a summary of this Ordinance, shall be published in the official newspapers of the City for such purpose, together with a notice of the Clerk of the City in substantially the form provided in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law.

Section 12. The City Treasurer, as Chief Fiscal Officer of the City, is hereby authorized to enter into an undertaking for the benefit of the holders of the Bonds from time to time, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of the Bonds, requiring the City to provide secondary market disclosure as required by Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12.

Section 13. In the absence of the City Treasurer, the Deputy Treasurer of the City is hereby specifically authorized to exercise the powers delegated to the City Treasurer in this Resolution.

Section 14. This Ordinance is not subject to a mandatory or permissive referendum.

Section 15. The Council hereby determines that the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the regulations thereunder have previously been satisfied with respect to the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance.

Section 16. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

RESOLVED, that the unanimous consent of this Common Council be, and the same hereby is given to the consideration of Ordinance No. 9779.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ORDINANCE NO. 9779

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**ORDINANCE NO. 9780**

**BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK,  
AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$475,000 BONDS TO  
FINANCE COSTS OF REPLACING EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY OR APPARATUS FOR  
THE CITY WATER SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, all conditions precedent to the financing of the capital project hereinafter described, including compliance with the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, have been performed, now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED, by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the total voting strength of the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City"), as follows:

Section 1. The City is hereby authorized to undertake the replacement of equipment, machinery or apparatus for the City's water supply and distribution system, at an estimated maximum cost of \$475,000, and to issue serial bonds, the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$475,000, pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law to finance the estimated costs of the aforesaid class of objects or purposes.

Section 2. It is hereby determined that the maximum estimated cost of the aforesaid specific objects or purposes is \$475,000, said amount is hereby appropriated therefor and the plan for the financing thereof shall consist of the issuance of not to exceed \$475,000 in serial bonds (the "Bonds") of the City authorized to be issued pursuant to this Ordinance; **PROVIDED, HOWEVER,** any federal or state grant funds received by the City for such objects or purposes shall be applied to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds or, to the extent obligations have not been issued under this Ordinance, to reduce the maximum principal amount of Bonds to be issued.

Section 3. It is hereby determined that the period of probable usefulness of the aforesaid class of objects or purposes is forty (40) years, pursuant to subdivision 1 of paragraph (a) of Section 11.00 of the Local Finance Law. The proposed maturity of the Bonds will be in excess of five (5) years.

Section 4. Pursuant to Section 107.00(d)(9) of the Local Finance Law, current funds are not required to be provided prior to issuance of the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of issuance of the Bonds.

Section 5. The temporary use of available funds of the City, not immediately required for the purpose or purposes for which the same were borrowed, raised or otherwise created, is hereby authorized pursuant to Section 165.10 of the Local Finance Law, for the capital purposes described in Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 6. The Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law and the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall be general obligations of the City, payable as to both principal and interest by a general tax upon all the real property within the City without legal or constitutional limitation as to rate or amount. The faith and credit of the City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, and provision shall be made annually in the budget of the City by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes to mature in such year, and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 7. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance and of the Local Finance Law, and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 21.00, 30.00, 50.00 and 56.00 to 63.00, inclusive, of the Local Finance Law, the power to authorize the issuance of and to sell bond anticipation notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of the Bonds herein authorized, including renewals of such notes, and the power to prescribe the terms, form and contents of the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes, and the power to sell and deliver the Bonds and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds, and the power to issue bonds providing for level or substantially level or declining annual debt service, is hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 8. This Ordinance is intended to constitute the declaration of the City's "official intent" to reimburse the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance with the proceeds of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized herein, as required by Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 9. The serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized to be issued by this Ordinance are hereby authorized to be consolidated, at the option of the City's Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer, with the serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized by other Bond Ordinances previously or hereafter adopted by the Common Council for purposes of sale in to one or more bond or note issues aggregating an amount not to exceed the amount authorized in such ordinances. All matters regarding the sale of the bonds, including the date of the bonds, the use of electronic bidding, the consolidation of the serial bonds and the bond anticipation notes with other issues of the City and the serial maturities of the bonds are hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 10. The validity of the Bonds authorized by this Ordinance and of any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds may be contested only if:



(a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the City is not authorized to expend money; or

(b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Ordinance or a summary hereof are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty (20) days after the date of such publication; or

(c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 11. This Ordinance, or a summary of this Ordinance, shall be published in the official newspaper of the City for such purpose, together with a notice of the Clerk of the City in substantially the form provided in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law.

Section 12. The City Treasurer, as Chief Fiscal Officer of the City, is hereby authorized to enter into an undertaking for the benefit of the holders of the Bonds from time to time, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of the Bonds, requiring the City to provide secondary market disclosure as required by United States Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12.

Section 13. In the absence of the City Treasurer, the Deputy Treasurer of the City is hereby specifically authorized to exercise the powers delegated to the City Treasurer in this Resolution.

Section 14. This Ordinance is not subject to a mandatory or permissive referendum.

Section 15. The Council hereby determines that the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the regulations thereunder have previously been satisfied with respect to the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance.

Section 16. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

RESOLVED, that the unanimous consent of this Common Council be, and the same hereby is given to the consideration of Ordinance No. 9780.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ORDINANCE NO. 9780

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**ORDINANCE NO. 9781**

**BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY, NEW YORK,  
AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT TO EXCEED \$732,000 BONDS TO  
FINANCE COSTS OF REPLACING EQUIPMENT, MACHINERY OR APPARATUS FOR  
THE CITY SEWER SYSTEM.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, all conditions precedent to the financing of the capital project hereinafter described, including compliance with the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, have been performed, now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED, by the affirmative vote of not less than two-thirds of the total voting strength of the Common Council of the City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "City"), as follows:

Section 1. The City is hereby authorized to undertake the replacement of equipment, machinery or apparatus for the City's sewer system, at an estimated maximum cost of \$732,000, and to issue serial bonds, the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$732,000, pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law to finance the estimated costs of the aforesaid class of objects or purposes.

Section 2. It is hereby determined that the maximum estimated cost of the aforesaid class of objects or purposes is \$732,000, said amount is hereby appropriated therefor and the plan for the financing thereof shall consist of the issuance of not to exceed \$732,000 in serial bonds (the "Bonds") of the City authorized to be issued pursuant to this Ordinance; **PROVIDED, HOWEVER,** any federal or state grant funds received by the City for such objects or purposes shall be applied to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds or, to the extent obligations have not been issued under this Ordinance, to reduce the maximum principal amount of Bonds to be issued.

Section 3. It is hereby determined that the period of probable usefulness of the aforesaid class of objects or purposes is thirty (30) years, pursuant to subdivision 4 of paragraph (a) of Section 11.00 of the Local Finance Law. The proposed maturity of the Bonds will be in excess of five (5) years.

Section 4. Pursuant to Section 107.00(d)(9) of the Local Finance Law, current funds are not required to be provided prior to issuance of the Bonds or any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of issuance of the Bonds.

Section 5. The temporary use of available funds of the City, not immediately required for the purpose or purposes for which the same were borrowed, raised or otherwise created, is hereby authorized pursuant to Section 165.10 of the Local Finance Law, for the capital purposes described in Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 6. The Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law and the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, shall be general obligations of the City, payable as to both principal and interest by a general tax upon all the real property within the City without legal or constitutional limitation as to rate or amount. The faith and credit of the City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds, and provision shall be made annually in the budget of the City by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes to mature in such year, and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 7. Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance and of the Local Finance Law, and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 21.00, 30.00, 50.00 and 56.00 to 63.00, inclusive, of the Local Finance Law, the power to authorize the issuance of and to sell bond anticipation notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of the Bonds herein authorized, including renewals of such notes, and the power to prescribe the terms, form and contents of the Bonds, and any bond anticipation notes, and the power to sell and deliver the Bonds and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds, and the power to issue bonds providing for level or substantially level or declining annual debt service, is hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 8. This Ordinance is intended to constitute the declaration of the City's "official intent" to reimburse the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance with the proceeds of the Bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized herein, as required by Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 9. The serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized to be issued by this Ordinance are hereby authorized to be consolidated, at the option of the City's Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer, with the serial bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized by other Bond Ordinances previously or hereafter adopted by the Common Council for purposes of sale in to one or more bond or note issues aggregating an amount not to exceed the amount authorized in such ordinances. All matters regarding the sale of the bonds, including the date of the bonds, the use of electronic bidding, the consolidation of the serial bonds and the bond anticipation notes with other issues of the City and the serial maturities of the bonds are hereby delegated to the City Treasurer, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the City.

Section 10. The validity of the Bonds authorized by this Ordinance and of any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the Bonds may be contested only if:

(a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the City is not authorized to expend money; or

(b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Ordinance or a summary hereof are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty (20) days after the date of such publication; or

(c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 11. This Ordinance, or a summary of this Ordinance, shall be published in the official newspaper of the City for such purpose, together with a notice of the Clerk of the City in substantially the form provided in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law.

Section 12. The City Treasurer, as Chief Fiscal Officer of the City, is hereby authorized to enter into an undertaking for the benefit of the holders of the Bonds from time to time, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of the Bonds, requiring the City to provide secondary market disclosure as required by United States Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12.

Section 13. In the absence of the City Treasurer, the Deputy Treasurer of the City is hereby specifically authorized to exercise the powers delegated to the City Treasurer in this Resolution.

Section 14. This Ordinance is not subject to a mandatory or permissive referendum.

Section 15. The Council hereby determines that the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the regulations thereunder have previously been satisfied with respect to the expenditures authorized by this Ordinance.

Section 16. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

RESOLVED, that the unanimous consent of this Common Council be, and the same hereby is given to the consideration of Ordinance No. 9781.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ORDINANCE NO. 9781

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_

**ORDINANCE NO. 9782**

**AUTHORIZING THE ASSIGNMENT OF OFFICE SPACE  
IN ROME CITY HALL TO GREENMAN-PEDERSON, INC.**

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

WHEREAS, Joseph Guiliano, Commissioner of Public Works for the City of Rome, has requested the assignment of vacant office space in the Community and Economic Development department in Rome City Hall to Greenman Pederson, Inc., for the administration and construction inspection for the NYSDOT sponsored Wheels to Heels project (RFB-2024-028R), for a period beginning on May 1, 2025 and ending on October 31, 2025; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Common Council of the City of Rome, New York, that vacant office space in the Community and Economic Development department in Rome City Hall is hereby assigned to Greenman Pederson, Inc., for the administration and construction inspection for the NYSDOT sponsored Wheels to Heels project (RFB-2024-028R), for a period beginning on May 1, 2025 and ending on October 31, 2025.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

By Councilor \_\_\_\_\_:

RESOLVED, that the unanimous consent of this Common Council be, and the same hereby is given to the consideration of Ordinance No. 9782.

Seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_.

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ORDINANCE NO. 9782

AYES & NAYS: Sparace \_\_ Mortise \_\_ Fazio \_\_ Smith\_\_ Anderson\_\_ Dursi \_\_ Sbaraglia \_\_

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_

DEFEATED \_\_\_\_