

TO: Montgomery County Legislators

FROM: Matthew L. Ossenfort, Montgomery County Executive



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RE: Montgomery County Industrial Development Agency Board of Directors and Capital Resource Corporation Vacancy

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Recently, John Snyder has resigned from the Montgomery County Industrial Development Agency Board of Directors and Capital Resource Corporation.

Following discussion with IDA Director Kenneth Rose, it is our shared recommendation that Laurie L. Weingart fill that vacancy. Mrs. Weingart is a resident of St. Johnsville and since 2007 has been employed as a licensed real estate broker and owner of Krutz Properties.

Krutz Properties is located in Canajoharie and recently opened two new offices in St. Johnsville and Mayfield. Mrs. Weingart oversees 16 real estate agents who are independent contractors for Krutz Properties. Mrs. Weingart, along with her employees, specialize in helping their clients/ customers find homes and focus on high ethical standards.

Mrs. Weingart is a lifelong resident of this region. She graduated from Canajoharie High School in 1990 and went on to receive a bachelor's degree in Healthcare Administration and Nursing Science. She and her husband have two children. Her son is a freshman in high school and her daughter is a freshman at the Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT).

Mrs. Weingart is a dedicated community member. She has served as a member of the Fulton County Multiple Listing Service and the Canajoharie-Palatine Chamber of Commerce. She currently sits as a board member for Music on Mainstreet.

We have tried to comprise and maintain that the County's IDA Board of Directors and Capital Resource Corporation has a geographic balance and representation from across the county. Replacing Mr. Snyder with Mrs. Weingart would maintain that balance. I believe Laurie would be a great addition to the board and I hope that the County Legislature will sponsor a resolution to appoint her as such.

If any of the members of the County Legislature should like to discuss Mrs. Weingart's credentials, I will make myself and Mr. Rose available to do so.

Thank you for your consideration on this matter.