RESOLUTION NO. 87-85

ADOPTING LOCAL LAW NO. 5 FOR THE YEAR 1985

By Mr. Smith, Chairman, Community Services Committee

WHEREAS, a public hearing has been held on April 8, 1985, regarding Local Law No. 5 for the year 1985, and

WHEREAS, prior notification of such local law was provided to the members of the St. Lawrence County Legislature,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Local Law No. 5 for the year 1985 is hereby adopted.

LOCAL LAW NO. 5 FOR THE YEAR 1985

A LOCAL LAW ADOPTING THE REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO ASSIST PERSONS WHO ARE PHYSICALLY DISABLED

Be it enacted by the Board of Legislators of the County of St. Lawrence as follows:

Section 1. The purpose of this local law is to exempt from real property taxes property owned by certain physically disabled persons as authorized by Section 459 of the New York State Real Property Tax Law.

Section 2. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 459 of the New York State Real Property Tax Law, an improvement to any real property used solely for residential purposes as a one, two, or three family residence shall be exempt from taxation to the extent of any increase in value attributable to such improvement if such improvement is used for the purpose of facilitating and accommodating the use and accessibility of such real property by (a) a resident owner of the real property who is physically disabled, or (b) a member of the resident owner's household who is physically disabled, if such member resides in the real property.

Section 3. Such exemption shall apply to improvements constructed on or after January 2, 1984.

Section 4. This local law shall apply to assessment rolls prepared on the basis of taxable status dates occurring on or after January 1, 1986.

Section 5. This local law shall take effect immediately upon its filing with the Secretary of State.

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Mr. Smith made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 87-85, seconded by Mrs. Bradley, and carried by the roll call vote as shown below:

		YES	<u>NO</u>	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
District 1	Legislator McNeil	4.7			
District 2	Legislator Donald Smith	4.4			
District 3	Legislator Carey	4.9			
District 4	Legislator Otto	4.5			•
District 5	Legislator Sheridan	5.3	•		•
District 6	Legislator James Smith	4.8			
District 7	Legislator Moore	4.9			
District 8	Legislator Greco	3.9			
District 9	Legislator Dunham	4,9			
District 10	Legislator Livingston	5.2			
District 11	Legislator Hayden	4.1			,
District 12	Legislator Morrill	4.9		•	
District 13	Legislator Sanford	5,1			
District 14	Legislator Bradley	4.9			
District 15	Legislator LaBaff	4.8			
District 16	Legislator Purvis	4.8			
District 17	Legislator Burns	3.8			
District 18	Legislator Rishe	3.8			
District 19	Legislator Miller	3.3			
District 20	Legislator Viskovich	4.3			
District 21	Legislator Charles Smith			4.3	
District 22	Legislator LePage	4.4			
YES	95.7				
NO	0				
ABSENT	4.3				
ABSTAIN _	<u>0</u>				
TOTAL 1	00.0				