

**RESOLUTION R-2022-82
LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL**

*A Resolution by Luzerne County Council Declaring the Elected Position
of Luzerne County Council Member Robert Schnee Vacant due to his Election
to the Pennsylvania House of Representatives*

WHEREAS, Mr. Robert Schnee was successful in a special election to the Pennsylvania House of Representatives and thereby resigned his position as a Luzerne County Council member leaving the position vacant pursuant Sections 2.04.A. and 11.05 of the Luzerne County Home Rule Charter; and

WHEREAS, Section 11.06 of the Luzerne County Home Rule Charter provides that whenever facts or circumstances result in a vacancy in any County elective office or on any County authority, board or commission, County Council shall declare such seat vacant by resolution adopted by an affirmative vote of at least a majority of its current members and announce its intent to fill the vacant seat; and

WHEREAS, Luzerne County Council desires to declare Mr. Schnee's elected position of Luzerne County Council Member vacant effective the date of his resignation, April 13, 2022.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, Luzerne County Council declares the elected position of Luzerne County Council member vacant due to Mr. Robert Schnee's resignation in response to his election to the Pennsylvania House of Representatives; Luzerne County Council will seek to appoint an individual to complete Mr. Schnee's term that expires in January 2024 in accordance with Section 11.05 of the Home Rule Charter

This Resolution shall become effective upon adoption.

ADOPTED at a meeting of the Luzerne County Council held on April 26, 2022.

ROLL CALL VOTE (9-0)

YES: Bienias, Lescavage, Lombardo, McDermott, McGinley, Perry, Thornton, SJ Urban and Wolovich

LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL

By: Kendra Radle
Kendra Radle, Chair

Attest: Sharon Lawrence
Sharon Lawrence, Clerk of Council

By: John Lombardo
John Lombardo, Vice-Chair