

# A VIEW OF THE FALLS

**Office of the Mayor - Richard B. Milne**

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Dear Friends;

The following is an excerpt from a New York Conference of Mayors Publication:

"In November 2008, the New York Conference of Mayors launched a public education campaign to defend property taxpayers from tax shifts that may be pushed from the state onto cities and villages. The campaign delivers our unified message through a new NYCOM (New York Conference of Mayors) designed single-issue Web site, ([www.StopTheTaxShift.org](http://www.StopTheTaxShift.org)). State and local officials, the media and the public are able to utilize this site to understand the direct connection between state actions – e.g., state aid and state mandates – and New York's real property tax burden. Local officials and private citizens are also able to use the Web site to deliver this message directly to state leaders, legislators and opinion-makers. Help spread the word and persuade others to do the same."

Please visit the link to this web site; we (your local government officials) continue to educate ourselves as well to help better serve you, the residents that have voted us into office and entrusted us with the Villages well being.

Sincere Regards,  
Richard B. Milne  
Mayor, Village of Honeoye Falls