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Livingston County Names New Emergency Management Director

GENESE0, N.Y., Oct. 15, 2021 – Livingston County has named Andrew Brodell as the County’s new Director of Emergency Management.

Brodell comes to the County from Chautauqua County Emergency Services, where he worked with the Chautauqua County Technical Rescue Team, the Chautauqua Haz-Mat Team, and the Chautauqua Special Operations Team. His fire experience includes service with the Hamilton (NY) and Bemus Point (NY) Fire Departments.

In his new role with Livingston County, Brodell will ensure the Office of Emergency Management is prepared at all times to respond to and recover from all natural and man-made emergencies.

“I am quite excited to leverage my education and experience towards the betterment of such a unique system,” said Brodell. “As we look at the trends of the fire service and emergency management, I hope to take the best opportunities and bring them to our response community members to keep them trained, safe, and resilient.”

Brodell is a trained paramedic and holds national certifications as a flight and tactical paramedic. He is also a graduate of Colgate University and has earned a master’s degree in Homeland Security/Emergency Management from Northeastern University. In his spare time, the Bemus Point, N.Y., native enjoys practicing Brazilian jiu-jitsu and spending time with family in the Greater Rochester area.

“I believe Andrew’s breadth of experience and education will serve our County and its residents well,” said Livingston County Administrator Ian Coyle. “He’s going to be a great asset to our team and I hope everyone will join me in welcoming him to Livingston County.”

Before his selection, Brodell was vetted by County officials through a formal recruitment process. A selection panel made up of County Administration, EMS, Board of Supervisors' members, the County Deputy Fire Coordinator, and a member representative of the Livingston County Fire Chiefs Association recommended his nomination to the Livingston County Board of Supervisors.

“I would like to first thank the County for allowing a fire service representative be a part of this process,” said Livingston County Fire Chief’s Association Representative Dustin Geiger. “I’m looking forward to seeing where Mr. Brodell takes our County’s Emergency Services Department.”

For more information on Livingston County’s Office of Emergency Management, please call 585- 243-7160 or visit www.livingstoncounty.us/203/Emergency-Management-Office-of.

About Livingston County:

Founded in 1821, Livingston County, N.Y., is comprised of more than 61,000 residents in 17 towns located across 640 square miles of the Finger Lakes region.



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