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## **Statement from Monroe County Clerk Jamie Romeo**

(June 24<sup>th</sup>, Rochester NY) - Below is a statement from Monroe County Clerk and former NYS Assemblywoman Jamie Romeo regarding the Supreme Court's Decision in Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization.

"As an Assemblywoman in 2019 I worked diligently to support the Reproductive Health Act, and proudly voted for it when it came to the floor. This critical law cemented Roe v. Wade into New York State law, guaranteeing that abortion access and womens healthcare are always available in our state, even in the face of today's appalling ruling ripping away an established constitutional right from millions of women and families. I have fought against regressive forces seeking to turn back the clock and carve away women's rights my entire career, and after today's unjust ruling I plan on fighting even harder tomorrow."