



NEW YORK STATE SENATOR

Peter Oberacker

## Statement Regarding Remington Arms

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**ONEONTA – 11/09/21** – Senator Peter Oberacker (R/C-Schenevus) today commented on the announcement of Remington Arms’ planned expansion in Georgia.

**“The Remington Arms Ilion workforce is the company’s greatest asset. I have met many of the employees and I know they are dedicated professionals who want to support their families and continue a long-standing, multi-generational tradition – making high quality firearms right here in the Mohawk Valley. I stand ready to work with local officials to ensure commitments made to rejuvenate the birthplace of Remington are kept.**

**“New York State policies under one party Democrat rule, which are unkind to businesses in general and have directly singled out gun makers, play a substantial role in Remington’s decision to look to a more welcoming state for expansion. Earlier this year, I spoke out against irrational legislation**

**that holds firearm manufacturers responsible for the illegal actions of others. At the time, I said on the senate floor that personal accountability, manufacturing jobs, and the Second Amendment would all be diminished. Sadly, that prediction is coming true.”**