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Stratton to be Sworn In for Second Term on January 1

***Mayor, Four City Council Members Will Take Oath of Office at
City Hall Ceremony on New Year's Day***

WHAT: Mayor Brian U. Stratton will be sworn in for a second term as Mayor of the City of Schenectady in a special ceremony at the beginning of the 2008 Organizational Meeting of the Schenectady City Council.

Four individuals will also take the oath of office for Schenectady City Council:

Margaret ("Peggy") King	elected to four-year term
Denise M. Brucker	reelected to four-year term
Joseph Allen	reelected to four year term
Thomas Della Sala	elected to four-year term

WHEN: **1:00 pm, Tuesday, January 1, 2008**

WHERE: Schenectady City Hall, City Council Chamber, 105 Jay Street, Schenectady.

DETAILS: Mayor Brian U. Stratton, who was reelected to a second four-year term on November 6, will be joined by family members and friends for the ceremony. City Court Judge Christine M. Clark will administer the Oath of Office to Mayor Stratton. Mayor Stratton appointed Clark to the City Court in 2004 following the election of Judge Karen Drago to County Court. Judge Clark won election to a 10-year term in 2005.

Mayor Stratton won reelection this year with 71 percent of the vote, the largest percentage received by any Schenectady mayor since the city returned to the strong mayor form of government in 1978.

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