



Onondaga County Legislature

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RESOLUTION NOS. 106 – 115

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

July 6, 2022

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PUBLIC HEARINGS

12:53 p.m. – Re: Renewal of Agricultural District No. 3, Towns of Camillus, Cicero, Clay, Elbridge, Lysander, Manlius and Van Buren

12:56 p.m. – Re: Proposed Inclusion of Viable Agricultural Lands Within Certified Agricultural Districts Pursuant to the New York State Agriculture and Markets Law

Listed below are the resolutions presented to the County Legislature at the July Session. The meeting was held at **1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 5, 2022.**

- A. CALL TO ORDER
- B. CALLING OF ROLL MEMBERS
- C. INVOCATION – **Ms. Kuhn**
- D. SALUTE TO THE FLAG – **Mr. Ryan**
- E. READING OF MINUTES
- F. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
- G. PRESENTATION OF COMMUNICATIONS
 - 1. **Gold Seal:**
 - a. Recognize and Honor Dr. Indu Gupta for Her Extraordinary Service and Leadership as Onondaga County Health Commissioner (Sponsored by Mr. Kinne)
 - 2. **Communications:**
 - a. 6.1.22 – Letter from County Executive J. Ryan McMahon, II – Re: Reappointment to the Region 7 Fish and Wildlife Management Board (Stephen Wowelko)
 - b. 6.10.22 – Letter from Chairman James J. Rowley – Re: Appointments to the Onondaga County Water Authority (Douglas R. Wickman, John V. Bianchini, Kenneth Gardiner)
 - c. 6.23.22 – Letter from Chairman James J. Rowley – Re: Appointment to the Onondaga County Water Authority (Anthony Geiss, Jr.)
 - 3. **Public Comment:**
- H. REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES
- I. REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES
- J. CALL OF RESPECTIVE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS (District No. 7)

9th DISTRICT – DR. CHASE, HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

- 1. **No. 106** Authorizing a 2022 Senior Household Stimulus Program in Onondaga County and Amending the 2022 County Budget (\$5,500,000) (17-0)

11th DISTRICT – MR. McBRIDE

- 2. **No. 107** 2022 Transfer Resolution (\$100,000) (17-0)

1st DISTRICT – MR. MAY, WAYS & MEANS

3. **No. 108** A Resolution Indicating the County of Onondaga's Ongoing Intent to Require a Contract for Payment in Lieu of Taxes for Solar and Wind Energy Systems Pursuant to Real Property Tax Law Section 487(9)(B) (17-0)
4. **No. 109** Approving and Directing the Correction of Certain Errors on Tax Bills (17-0)

2nd DISTRICT – MR. ROWLEY

5. **No. 110** Confirming Appointments to the Onondaga County Water Authority (Douglas R. Wickman, Anthony Geiss, Jr., John V. Bianchini, Kenneth Gardiner) (15-2 Knapp, Abbott)
6. **No. 111** Confirming Appointment of Tamara L. Barber as Deputy Clerk of the Onondaga County Legislature (17-0)
7. **No. 112** Calling for a Public Hearing Regarding Videoconferencing by Onondaga County Public Bodies Pursuant to New York State Open Meetings Law (August 2, 2022, 12:56 p.m.) (17-0)

3rd DISTRICT – MR. BURTIS, PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

8. **No. 113** Renewing with Modification Agricultural District No. 3, in the Towns of Camillus, Cicero, Clay, Elbridge, Lysander, Manlius and Van Buren (17-0)
9. **No. 114** Approving the Inclusion of Viable Agricultural Land within Certified Agricultural Districts Pursuant to Section 303-B of the New York State Agriculture and Markets Law (17-0)

6th DISTRICT – MS. ABBOTT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

10. **No. 115** Confirming Reappointment to the Region 7 Fish and Wildlife Management Board (Stephen Wowelko) (17-0)

K. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

L. ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE CHAIR

M. ADJOURNMENT

Respectfully submitted,



JAMIE McNAMARA, Clerk
Onondaga County Legislature

JULY 5, 2022 SESSION			ROLL CALL
LEGISLATOR	PRESENT:	ABSENT:	
1. MAY	✓		<i>Chairman Rowley called the meeting to order at 1:18 p.m.</i>
3. BURTIS	✓		
4. GUNNIP	✓		
5. CODY	✓		
6. ABBOTT	✓		
7. KUHN	✓		
8. RYAN	✓		
9. CHASE	✓		
10. OLSON	✓		
11. McBRIDE	✓		
12. KNAPP	✓		
13. BUSH	✓		
14. KELLY	✓		
15. KINNE	✓		
16. GARLAND	✓		
17. ERVIN	✓		
2. ROWLEY	✓		
TOTAL:	17	0	

LEGISLATURE CHAMBERS

ONONDAGA COUNTY, N.Y.

Presented By: Legislators Kinne, Rowley, May, Burtis, Gunnip, Cody, Abbott, Ryan, Chase, Olson, McBride, Knapp, Bush, Kelly, Kuhn, Garland and Ervin

The above-named members of the County Legislature of Onondaga County, New York, on the 5th day of July 2022, wishes to:

RECOGNIZE AND HONOR DR. INDU GUPTA FOR HER EXTRAORDINARY SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP AS ONONDAGA COUNTY HEALTH COMMISSIONER

WHEREAS, Dr. Indu Gupta has served honorably as Onondaga County Health Commissioner since November 2014 with the mission to protect and improve health of all Onondaga County residents; and

WHEREAS, the Onondaga County Health Department envisions a community of partners working together for the physical, social, and emotional well-being of all, while holding close the values of respect, excellence, accountability, collaboration, and health equity; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gupta has led a sustained, robust, and multi-pronged COVID-19 pandemic response, beginning in earnest with the first county-wide COVID-19 response meeting in February 2020 and continued with contact tracing programs, coordinating testing sites, supply distribution, massive vaccination efforts, and assistance in educating the public, all while responding to variants such as Delta and Omicron; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gupta helped her department achieve National Accreditation from the Public Health Accreditation Board, initiated programs to combat the opioid epidemic and the impact of tobacco use; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gupta helped build stronger collaborative community partnerships, built a legacy of transparency through a digital transformation, and secured long term increased funding from the NYS Department of Health, and served as a state-wide leader among county health commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the work of the department she led for nearly 8 years saved so many lives and improved quality of life, from harm reduction related to smoking, the use of opioids, STD infection to the COVID-19 pandemic, Dr. Gupta oversaw such broad and impactful work for Onondaga County; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that Legislators Kinne, and all the members of the Onondaga County Legislature, do hereby recognize and honor Dr. Indu Gupta for her extraordinary service and leadership as Onondaga County Health Commissioner.

I hereby certify that the foregoing was duly noted by the County Legislature of Onondaga County, New York. Witness my hand and seal of said Legislature.



Clerk, County Legislature
Onondaga County, N.Y.



County of Onondaga
Office of the County Executive

J. Ryan McMahon, II
County Executive

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June 1, 2022

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE ONONDAGA COUNTY LEGISLATURE:

Pursuant to the New York State Fish and Wildlife Management Act, Section 11-0501 of the Fish and Wildlife Law, I have reappointed, subject to confirmation of the County Legislature, the following individual as a member of the Region 7 Fish and Wildlife Management Board:

REAPPOINTMENT:

Stephen Wowelko
5829 Augsburg Circle
East Syracuse, NY 13057-3050

TERM EXPIRES:

December 31, 2023

Mr. Wowelko has been recommended to serve as the sportsmen's representative by the Onondaga County Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs.

Your confirmation of this reappointment would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "J. Ryan McMahon, II".

J. Ryan McMahon, II
County Executive

cc: Honorable Julie Abbott, Chair, Environmental Protection Committee
Katherine Felice, Law Department
Jamie McNamara, Clerk, County Legislature

Stephen Wowelko, M-EDP

5829 Augsburg Circle, East Syracuse, New York 13057-3050

e-mail: wowelko@juno.com

Phone (315) 506-2117

(315) 656-9358

Work Experience:

Iron Skillet Seasonings

Pro Staff

January 2016 – present

Ranstad Sourceright –

Xerox , Webster, NY 14580

October 2018, to April 2019

Senior Systems Engineer

Syracuse University

Information Technology Services, Computer Analyst

December, 1980 to 2013

Education: Le Moyne College, Syracuse, New York
Bachelor of Science - Biology

Fish and Wildlife Related Activities:

WIN – Women in Nature

Wild Game and Fish Cooking Workshop Instructor

January 2016 - present

2008-2015 – President Onondaga County Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs.

2001-2015 R7 DEC Fish and Wildlife Management Board, 2009 - Chairman,
2015, 2016 -Vice Chairman, Sportsman's Representative for Onondaga County
2017- 2021 - Chairman, Sportsman's Representative for Onondaga County.

2010 - Inducted into the New York State Outdoorsmen Hall of Fame, currently
serving as Past President on its Board of Directors.

02008 - Citizens Task Force on Deer Management for DEC Region 7F.

1998 - present, Friends of the Carpenter's Brook Fish Hatchery, President for 9
years, currently serving as VP. Raising over \$350,000 for hatchery
projects.

2005-2013, Sportsmen's Days at Carpenter's Brook Fish Hatchery, chairman.

2009 - Named as one of the Post Standard's Heroes of Conservation.

2010-present, New York State Conservation Council, Resolution Committee,
chairman. 2014-2018 Councilman (delegate) for Onondaga County.

2014 – Received Honeywell Hometown Hero Award for Conservation efforts.

2018 – Received CNY Recreation and Parks Society Distinguished Citizen
Award.



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June 10, 2022

TO: Brian May Chair of Ways & Means Committee
Ways & Means Committee Members

FROM: Jim Rowley, Chairman

RE: Appointments to the Onondaga County Water Authority

This is to advise that I am appointing and reappointing the following individuals to the Onondaga County Water Authority for terms indicated:

APPOINTMENT:

Douglas R. Wickman
7121 Totman Drive
Cicero, New York 13039

TERM EXPIRES:

July 1, 2025

Mr. Wickman is replacing Michael Lubber upon expiration of his term.

REAPPOINTMENTS:

John V. Bianchini
117 Academy Street
Manlius, New York 13104

TERM EXPIRES:

July 1, 2025

Kenneth Gardiner
6158 Weatherburn Circle
LaFayette, New York 13084

July 1, 2024

Mr. Wickman's, Mr. Bianchini's and Mr. Gardiner's resumes are attached for your review. These appointments will require confirmation of the full Legislature at its July 5, 2022 session

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

cc: Jamie McNamara, Clerk
All Legislators

DOUGLAS R. WICKMAN

Licensed Professional Engineer

7121 Totman Drive, Cicero N.Y. 13039

EXPERIENCE

Mr. Wickman has managed many public and private infrastructure-related projects for municipal, commercial, and industrial clients. Efforts typically involve planning, feasibility studies, design, cost estimating and construction services. Work on municipal projects has involved design and construction administration services for water distribution systems, sanitary sewers, storm sewers, and stormwater control facilities serving residential and commercial projects and industrial parks for the towns of Clay, Cicero, Tully, Fabius, Skaneateles, Salina and Onondaga, NY, the counties of Onondaga and Oswego, NY, the villages of North Syracuse, Central Square and Liverpool, NY., and the City of Syracuse.

For Onondaga County, work has included a Countywide Drainage Study to evaluate the condition of all inter-municipal water courses in the county. Drainage studies, master planning and design of drainage and flood control improvements for the Ley Creek, Meadowbrook and Bloody Brook watersheds. A drainage study of the Cold Brook watershed covering flooding problems in the City of Syracuse. Study, design, and construction administration of the Harbor Brook flood control facilities were also completed. For the City of Syracuse, work included analysis of the water transmission and distribution facilities. It also included computer modeling of the developing watersheds in the surrounding suburban towns. These models are used to help protect city residents from flooding due to increased rates and volumes of runoff resulting from land development.

Work for the Town of Clay involved general planning services, including masterplans for drainage and stormwater runoff for most of the developing portions of the town. As development has proceeded it has been consistent with the goals of the master plans, involving continual updates of the hydrological computer models that were used. General town board services included management of the repair and updates of all water, sewer, and drainage facilities, and environmental reviews of all significant commercial developments. These services for the Town of Clay spanned more than 35 years.

Work for the Town of Skaneateles primarily involved planning board engineering services. Experience has been primarily water quality related, assisting the town in efforts to protect the character of the community and the water quality of Skaneateles Lake. Skaneateles Lake is the water supply for the City of Syracuse and is unfiltered. These services for the Town of Skaneateles spanned almost twenty years.

Mr. Wickman was employed by C&S Engineers from 1970-2014, as staff engineer for the Town of Salina from 2017-2022 and is currently retired.

Education, BSCE, Syracuse University, 1970.

Registration, Professional Engineer in NY.

315-415-4030 wickmand@gmail.com



JOHN V. BIANCHINI

Partner

John V. Bianchini started his career in the financial services industry in 1986 after graduating from the State University of New York Institute of Technology in 1980 where he earned a Bachelor of Professional Studies degree with a major in marketing and a minor in finance.

John joined Pinnacle Investments in May of 2001. As a twenty-two year industry veteran and Partner at Pinnacle, John focuses on the development and retention of the firm's key relationships.

John's experience brings clients a wealth of knowledge about the investment products and services offered throughout the financial marketplace. He specializes in pension plans and employer-sponsored retirement programs stimulating employee participation and enhancing employee retention.

John is a Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA) General Securities Representative (Series 7), State Securities Agent (Series 63) and New York State Insurance Licensed for Life, Accident and Health.

John and his wife Janet reside in Fayetteville, New York with their sons John, Will and Michael.

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Kenneth C. Gardiner



Partner

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Kenneth C. Gardiner, CPA, CCIFP, CDA is the partner in charge of assurance services and quality control. He is responsible for overseeing audit and accounting services to the construction industry; he was the first person in upstate New York to be given the designation of Certified Construction Industry Financial Professional. Ken also provides services to architects and engineers, manufacturing companies, and has extensive experience with audits of employee benefit plans. He has been involved with consulting projects and auditing of Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) overhead rates. In addition, Ken has had direct responsibility for many consulting services provided to our clientele, including development of financial reporting systems. Ken is the partner-in-charge of our internal technology department and is responsible for maintaining the state-of-the-art equipment for the Firm.

Ken is committed to many industry and community organizations. He serves as Chairman and President of the Greater Syracuse Business Development Corporation (GSBDC), and as Treasurer of the Board for the McMahon/Ryan Child Advocacy Site. Ken is also the Treasurer of the Empire State Chapter of Associated Builders and Constructors (ABC) and the Empire State Merit Apprentice Alliance (ESMAA). Ken is a founding member of the Central New York State Chapter of Construction Financial Management Association (CFMA) and has served as the Secretary/Treasurer since its inception. He has been appointed Chairman of the New York State Society of CPA's Construction Contractors Committee and chairs its annual conference. Ken also serves on the Executive Board of CICPAC (Construction Industry CPA's and Consultants) and is a member of Optimists International of Lafayette, New York.

Academic and Professional Credentials

- Certified Construction Industry Financial Professional (CCIFP)
- Certified Public Accountant in New York and Pennsylvania (CPA)
- Certified Design Accountant (CDA)
- Bachelor of Science Degree, Accounting, Le Moyne College, 1981

Positions and Experience

- Partner, Dannible & McKee, LLP, Certified Public Accountants and Consultants
- Partner-in-charge of Assurance Services
- Partner-in-charge of Quality Control
- Partner-in-charge of Technology
- Partner-in-charge of Services to Construction Contractors
- Specialist in Employee Benefit Plans

Professional Affiliations

- American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA)
- New York State Society of Certified Public Accountants (NYSSCPA)
- NYSSPA Construction Contractors Committee, Chairman
- Central New York Construction Financial Management Association, Secretary, Treasurer
- Construction Industry CPA's and Consultants, Executive Board
- Empire State Chapter of Associated Builders & Contractors, Treasurer
- Empire State Merit Apprentice Alliance, Treasurer

Community Organizations

- Greater Syracuse Business Development Corporation, President
- McMahon/Ryan Child Advocacy Site, Treasurer

Publications and Seminars

- "New Accounting Rules Significantly Impacting Contractors," Dannible & McKee 2012 Construction Seminar, December 2012
- "2012 Accounting, Financial Reporting and Governance Update, Dannible & McKee 35th Annual Tax & Financial Planning Seminar, November 2012
- Conducts seminars annually on accounting updates for the construction industry



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June 23, 2022

TO: Brian May Chair of Ways & Means Committee
Ways & Means Committee Members

FROM: Jim Rowley, Chairman

RE: Appointment to the Onondaga County Water Authority

This is to advise that I am appointing the following individual to the Onondaga County Water Authority for the term indicated:

APPOINTMENT:

Anthony Geiss, Jr.
202 Crandon Terrace
Baldwinsville, New York 13027

TERM EXPIRES:

July 1, 2023

Mr. Geiss is replacing John Dougherty upon expiration of his term.

Mr. Geiss' resume is attached for your review. This appointment will require confirmation of the full Legislature at its July 5, 2022 session

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

cc: Jamie McNamara, Clerk
All Legislators

Anthony J. Geiss Jr.

Education

BS/1970 Engineering, Syracuse University

Registration

Profession Engineer New York State

Work Experience

1970-1999 O'Brien & Gere Engineers Inc.

1999-2015 Onondaga County water Authority

O'Brien & Gere Engineers Inc.

Design Engineer, Managing Engineer to Senior Design Consultant

Mr. Geiss was responsible for comprehensive plans, studies, designs, and construction review activities for municipal water and waste water, and industrial facilities. He is experienced in civil, electrical, and mechanical engineering.

His experience in the field of water resources included comprehensive studies, feasibility studies, rate studies, and construction review. Mr. Geiss has designed new or upgrades to over 30 water treatment plants in the Northeast working for Cities, Towns, Villages, Boards, Private Clients, and Authorities. He has supervised and preformed various studies in counties, towns, and cities to review overall water needs, existing capacities, and future requirements. Projects included water usage projections, preliminary facilities design, cost estimates, and project implementation.

Onondaga County Water Authority

Deputy Executive Director/Chief Engineer

Mr. Geiss was responsible for the Water Treatment Plant, Engineering, Operation & Maintenance, and Distribution Departments. This included developing budgets for the Authority, RFQ's, RFP's and contract review.

Mr. Geiss managed over \$700 million in construction projects including, multi tank construction projects, multi pumping station projects, and the addition/replacement of more than 500 miles of water main. He oversaw the upgrade of OCWA's water treatment plant that he designed 25

years earlier while with O'Brien & Gere. He was also responsible for developing and maintaining the 20 Year Plan for OCWA's facility maintenance and construction.

Another duty of Mr. Geiss was review of water system development. This included not only the new supply, distribution, and construction but also the taking over of existing Town and Village facilities. In some cases, OCWA was already supplying wholesale water to the municipalities but other included replacing existing sources with OCWA water.

Appointments/Memberships

- Current Chair Town of Van Buren Zoning/Planning Board, serving on various planning and zoning boards for the Town since 1981.
- Current Board Member Onondaga County Planning Federation, serving the last three years.
- Past Board Member Onondaga County Resource Recovery Agency, serving from 2017 to 2021
- Current Member of Central New York Track and Field and Cross-Country Officials Association, certified for high and college meets. Past Board President from 2015 to 2021.
- American Water Works Association, member since 1974, Chair of New York Section 1999-2000.

Contact Information

202 Crandon Terrace

Baldwinsville, New York 13027

Home 315-638-1092

Cell 315-391-0544

ajgeissjr@gmail.com

July 5, 2022 Session
Public Comment

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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Dr. Chase

RESOLUTION NO. 106

**AUTHORIZING A 2022 SENIOR HOUSEHOLD STIMULUS PROGRAM IN ONONDAGA COUNTY
AND AMENDING THE 2022 COUNTY BUDGET**

WHEREAS, over two years after the President's National Emergency Declaration for Coronavirus Disease, the COVID 19 pandemic continues to dramatically affect the public health, safety, livelihoods and financial security of the residents of Onondaga County, especially with respect to its vulnerable senior population; and

WHEREAS, the senior population is particularly affected financially by the pandemic considering the percentage of such population living on a fixed income amidst the highest rates of inflation since the 1980's, thereby disproportionately affecting senior households' ability to maintain a stable and sustainable livelihood within the comfort of their home; and

WHEREAS, Onondaga County has sought to ameliorate such impacts on the senior population by funding assistance programs, including, but not limited to, a COVID-19 phone help-line for homebound seniors and by providing grants to support their quality of life; and

WHEREAS, the County is now desirous of establishing a 2022 Senior Household Stimulus Program to further mitigate the disproportionate economic impacts felt by senior households in the County, and in furtherance of attendant County purposes, whereby all eligible senior households in Onondaga County, as defined below, shall receive two hundred dollars (\$200) in assistance; and

WHEREAS, the term "eligible senior households" shall mean those Onondaga County households receiving the New York State Enhanced STAR exemption for the 2022-2023 school year, with the Onondaga County Finance Department responsible for identifying all eligible senior households based upon available information and preparing, printing, and mailing said assistance to such eligible senior households; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the 2022 County budget is amended as follows:

REVENUES:

In Admin Unit 8200000000

Department of Adult and Long Term Care

In Speed Type #435000

In Account 590083 – Appropriated Fund Balance \$5,500,000

APPROPRIATIONS:

In Admin Unit 8200000000

Department of Adult and Long Term Care

In Speed Type #435000

In Account 668720 – Transfer to Grant Expenditures \$5,500,000

ADOPTED 7/5/2022

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of the legislation duly adopted by the County Legislature of Onondaga County on the 5th day of July 2022.



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Clerk, County Legislature

**JULY 5, 2022
SESSION**

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LEGISLATORS

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

EXCUSED:

No. 106

8. RYAN

1. MAY

7. KUHN

9. CHASE

10. OLSON

11. MCBRIDE

12. KNAPP

13. BUSH

14. KELLY

15. KINNE

16. GARLAND

17. ERVIN

3. BURTIS

4. GUNNIP

5. CODY

6. ABBOTT

2. ROWLEY

TOTAL:

17

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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Mr. McBride

RESOLUTION NO. 107

2022 TRANSFER RESOLUTION

RESOLVED, that the following transfer be made:

<u>FROM:</u>	<u>TO:</u>	<u>AMOUNT:</u>
Admin Unit 2500000000	Admin Unit 2500000000	
County Legislature	County Legislature	
Speed Type #150029	Speed Type #150029	
In Account 666500	In Account 668720	
Contingent Account	Transfer to Grant Expenditures	\$100,000

ADOPTED 7/5/2022



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Clerk, County Legislature

**JULY 5, 2022
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LEGISLATORS

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

EXCUSED:

No. 107

8. RYAN

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TOTAL:

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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Mr. May

RESOLUTION NO. 108

A RESOLUTION INDICATING THE COUNTY OF ONONDAGA'S ONGOING INTENT TO REQUIRE A CONTRACT FOR PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES FOR SOLAR AND WIND ENERGY SYSTEMS PURSUANT TO REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW SECTION 487(9)(B)

WHEREAS, pursuant to New York Real Property Tax Law § 487, a county may require a solar or wind energy system, as defined therein and meeting the requirements of subdivision four thereof, to enter into a contract for payments in lieu of taxes (PILOT) provided the county notify the owner or developer in writing of its intent to require a PILOT within sixty (60) days of receiving written notification; and

WHEREAS, New York Real Property Tax Law § 487(9)(b) allows for the adoption of a resolution by this Onondaga County Legislature indicating the County's ongoing intent to require PILOTS for such solar and wind energy systems, which resolution shall satisfy the aforesaid sixty (60) day notice requirement to owners or developers and no further action is required on the part of Onondaga County; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that this Resolution, effective immediately, shall serve as notice of the County of Onondaga's ongoing intent to enter into PILOT agreements for solar and wind energy systems within the County pursuant to New York Real Property Tax Law § 487(9)(b); and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to execute agreements and such other documents as may be reasonably necessary to implement the intent of this resolution.

ADOPTED 7/5/2022



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Clerk, County Legislature

**JULY 5, 2022
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LEGISLATORS

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NOES:

ABSENT:

EXCUSED:

No. 108

8. RYAN

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TOTAL:

17

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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Mr. May

RESOLUTION NO. 109

APPROVING AND DIRECTING THE CORRECTION OF CERTAIN ERRORS ON TAX BILLS

WHEREAS, the following named property owner has filed an application with the County Director of Real Property Tax Services for the correction of errors on the tax roll relative to their premises for tax year 2022; and

WHEREAS, the County Director of Real Property Tax Services, acting as agent of this Legislature, which is the tax levying body of this County, has investigated the circumstances of the claimed errors and has submitted his recommendation that the applications for the corrections be approved; and

WHEREAS, Section 554 of the Real Property Tax Law prescribes the procedure for correction of clerical errors, errors in essential fact, and certain unlawful entries on tax rolls; and

WHEREAS, Section 556 of the Real Property Tax Law prescribes the manner in which refunds shall be charged back to appropriate municipality; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the report of the County Director of Real Property Tax Services be and the same hereby is accepted; and, it is further

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of this Legislature be and he hereby is authorized and directed to mail a notice of approval to each applicant and order the collecting officers of the appropriate Towns or the Commissioner of Finance, as the case may be, to correct the respective taxes as follows:

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:</u>	<u>TAX MAP NUMBER:</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF TAX BILLED:</u>	<u>CORRECTED TAX:</u>
<u>CAMILLUS:</u> Sprint/Nextel PO Box 85022 Bellevue, WA 98015	054.-12-37.0/1	\$29,421.88	\$0
<u>MANLIUS:</u> State of New York Ofc Parks/Rec/Historic 625 Broadway Albany, NY 12238	091.-01-05.1	\$5,785.75	\$0
<u>STATE OF NEW YORK:</u> OPRHP 625 Broadway Albany, NY 12238	082.-01-35.1	\$15,517.38	\$0

ADOPTED 7/5/2022



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Clerk, County Legislature

**JULY 5, 2022
SESSION**

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LEGISLATORS

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

EXCUSED:

No. 109

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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Mr. Rowley, Ms. Gunnip

RESOLUTION NO. 110

CONFIRMING APPOINTMENTS TO THE ONONDAGA COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of the Public Authorities Law and appointments heretofore made to the Onondaga County Water Authority four vacancies occur due to the expiration of the term of the individuals named herein; and

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Onondaga County Legislature has designated and appointed such individuals to serve as members of the Onondaga County Water Authority, subject to confirmation of this Legislature; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Onondaga County Legislature hereby confirms the appointments of the following individuals to the Onondaga County Water Authority for the term specified:

APPOINTMENTS:

Douglas R. Wickman
7121 Totman Drive
Cicero, New York 13039

TERM EXPIRES:

July 1, 2025

Anthony Geiss, Jr.
202 Crandon Terrace
Baldwinsville, New York 13027

July 1, 2023

REAPPOINTMENTS:

John Bianchini
117 Academy Street
Manlius, New York 13104

TERM EXPIRES:

July 1, 2025

Kenneth Gardiner
6158 Weatherburn Circle
LaFayette, New York 13084

July 1, 2024

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Clerk, County Legislature

**JULY 5, 2022
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TOTAL:

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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Mr. Rowley

RESOLUTION NO. 111

CONFIRMING APPOINTMENT OF TAMARA L. BARBER AS DEPUTY CLERK OF THE
ONONDAGA COUNTY LEGISLATURE

RESOLVED, that the following person is hereby appointed Deputy Clerk of the Onondaga County
Legislature:

TAMARA L. BARBER
7721 Frayer Lane, Liverpool, NY 13090

ADOPTED 7/5/2022



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of the legislation duly adopted by the County Legislature
of Onondaga County on the 5th day of July 2022.

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Clerk, County Legislature

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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Mr. Rowley

RESOLUTION NO. 112

CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING VIDEOCONFERENCING BY ONONDAGA
COUNTY PUBLIC BODIES PURSUANT TO NEW YORK STATE OPEN MEETINGS LAW

WHEREAS, New York State Open Meetings Law, also referred to herein as New York State Public Officers Law, has been amended to authorize the expanded use of videoconferencing by public bodies to conduct meetings, under extraordinary circumstances, using remote access technology consistent with state law; and

WHEREAS, Open Meetings Law Section 103-a calls for a public hearing to be held authorizing the use of videoconferencing in accordance with statutory requirements set forth therein and any local law adopted pursuant thereto; and

WHEREAS, said proposed local law has been prepared and is on file with the Clerk of the Legislature; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that this Legislature hereby calls a public hearing on the use of videoconferencing, said hearing to be held on the 2nd day of August, 2022 at 12:56 PM in the Chambers of the Onondaga County Legislature, 401 Montgomery Street, Room 407 Court House, Syracuse, New York 13202.

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Clerk, County Legislature

**JULY 5, 2022
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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Mr. Burtis, Mr. Bush

RESOLUTION NO. 113

RENEWING WITH MODIFICATION AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT NO. 3, IN THE TOWNS OF
CAMILLUS, CICERO, CLAY, ELBRIDGE, LYSANDER, MANLIUS AND VAN BUREN

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 303-a of the New York State Agriculture and Markets Law, this Onondaga County Legislature adopted Resolution No. 122-2021 providing for notice of the eight-year review of Agricultural District No. 3 in the Towns of Camillus, Cicero, Clay, Elbridge, Lysander, Manlius and Van Buren; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 99-2022, this Onondaga County Legislature authorized a public hearing on said agricultural district renewal at the Onondaga County Courthouse on Tuesday July 5, 2022, and such hearing was duly noticed and held; and

WHEREAS, the Onondaga County Legislature has completed the eight-year review of Agricultural District No. 3, and has received from the Onondaga County Agriculture and Farmland Protection Board its report and recommendations regarding the agricultural viability of the district and regarding recommended modifications to the district; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of this Legislature to renew Agricultural District No. 3 with modifications as provided for herein; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the proposed action is an Unlisted action and this Legislature shall act as the Lead Agency for the purposes of the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA); and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Short Environmental Assessment Form for this project has been completed and reviewed and is on file with the Clerk of the Legislature; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that this Legislature hereby finds and declares a negative declaration under SEQRA in that there is no anticipated construction and no anticipated change in use, that the identified possible impacts, if any, on air quality and surface water quality will not be significant and there is little likelihood of significant adverse environmental impacts; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that in accordance with Agriculture and Markets Law, Section 303-a, said Agricultural District No. 3 in the Towns of Camillus, Cicero, Clay, Elbridge, Lysander, Manlius and Van Buren hereby is renewed with the modifications provided for herein; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the modifications to Agricultural District No. 3 are as follows and encompass the following parcels listed by town, owner, parcel number, and acreage:

RECOMMENDED ADDITIONS

TOWN	OWNER	TAX ID	ACRES*
CAMILLUS	DANIEL STANISTREET	022.-02-42.0	5.45
CAMILLUS Total			5.45
CICERO	FREDERICK WOZNICA JR	080.-02-10.0	15.07
CICERO Total			15.07

ELBRIDGE	RONALD METZ	028.-02-25.1	10.9
ELBRIDGE Total			10.9
LYSANDER	ROBERT E FLETCHER JR & GEORGIA T REAGAN	015.-05-04.1	19.65
LYSANDER	TIM REEVES / REEVES FARM	026.-03-13.1	60.15
LYSANDER Total			79.80
MANLIUS	MURACO STABLES LLC	099.-02-06.7	5.68
MANLIUS	EAGLE VILLAGE PROPERTIES LLC	116.-01-06.3	62.86
MANLIUS	EAGLE VILLAGE PROPERTIES LLC	116.-01-08.1	62.97
MANLIUS	EAGLE VILLAGE PROPERTIES LLC	116.-01-08.2	4.73
MANLIUS	EAGLE VILLAGE PROPERTIES LLC	116.-01-08.4	3.69
MANLIUS	MANLIUS FARMS LLC	117.-03-02.0	149.00
MANLIUS Total			288.93
GRAND TOTAL			400.15

* Calculated using a Geographic Information System, not Real Property Services (RPS) data.

* Note: One requested parcel, Elbridge Parcel 028.-02-39.0 is not recommended for addition to Agricultural District 3.

RECOMMENDED REMOVALS

TOWN	OWNER	TAX ID	ACRES*
CAMILLUS	OLYMPUS BROKERAGE CO, LTD	006.1.-02-04.0	3.01
CAMILLUS Total			3.01
ELBRIDGE	BRENDA L CRARY	042.-02-13.1	0.36
ELBRIDGE Total			0.36
LYSANDER	BUILD YOUR OWN HOME LLC	049.-03-03.3	1.46
LYSANDER	MARK A & AMY L HEBERT	064.-03-03.1	1.78
LYSANDER	ROBERT GEIGER	071.-02-47.3	1.84
LYSANDER	LIZA A TURNER	073.1.-01-28.4	1.38
LYSANDER	JOSEPH A & NICOLE M TARI	073.1.-07-06.0	1.11
LYSANDER	JOSEPH A JR & LAUREN BATTAGLIA	073.1.-07-08.0	0.92
LYSANDER Total			8.49
MANLIUS	TH KINSELLA, INC	091.-02-12.0	67.84
MANLIUS	TH KINSELLA, INC	091.-02-14.0	114.23
MANLIUS	LEONARD & MARY NITZBERG	100.-02-03.3	5.06
MANLIUS Total			187.13
VAN BUREN	HYACINTH LAND DEVELOPMENT LL	031.8.-01-03.0	0.25
VAN BUREN	HYACINTH LAND DEVELOPMENT LL	031.8.-01-04.0	0.23
VAN BUREN	MARION GARDEN APARTS, LLC	031.8.-01-17.0	6.89
VAN BUREN	HYACINTH LAND DEVELOPMENT LL	031.8.-01-20.0	0.35
VAN BUREN	HYACINTH LAND DEVELOPMENT LL	031.8.-02-02.2	3.59
VAN BUREN	ZADI & CESAR BARUJA	031.8.-03-03.0	0.28
VAN BUREN	RAYMOND G JR & EILEEN RICE	032.-02-01.0	3.25

VAN BUREN	CHRISTOPHER & LINDSEY C KRATZER	044.-02-09.2	5.33
VAN BUREN Total			20.17
GRAND TOTAL			219.16

*Calculated using a Geographic Information System, not Real Property Services (RPS) data.

and, be it further

RESOLVED, that should one or more of these parcels be subdivided prior to the expiration of said District, each of these subdivisions would automatically be considered a part of said District, and would remain in the District while it was in effect; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the district review plan shall be submitted to the Commissioner of the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets as provided for in Section 303-a of the Agriculture and Markets Law.

ADOPTED 7/5/2022



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Clerk, County Legislature

Short Environmental Assessment Form

Part 1 - Project Information

Instructions for Completing

Part 1 – Project Information. The applicant or project sponsor is responsible for the completion of Part 1. Responses become part of the application for approval or funding, are subject to public review, and may be subject to further verification. Complete Part 1 based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information.

Complete all items in Part 1. You may also provide any additional information which you believe will be needed by or useful to the lead agency; attach additional pages as necessary to supplement any item.

Part 1 – Project and Sponsor Information			
Name of Action or Project: Renewal of Agricultural District 3 in Onondaga County			
Project Location (describe, and attach a location map): Towns of Camillus, Cicero, Clay, Elbridge, Lysander, Manlius, Van Buren in Onondaga County (map attached)			
Brief Description of Proposed Action: Renewal with Modification (addition and deletion of parcels) of Agricultural District 3 in the Towns of Camillus, Cicero, Clay, Elbridge, Lysander, Manlius, and Van Buren in Onondaga County. It is recommended that 400.15 acres be added and 219.16 acres be removed per landowner requests, for a final Agricultural District 3 total of 49,677 acres, a net increase of 181 acres in the district. A full listing of added and deleted parcels may be found in the Onondaga County Agriculture & Farmland Protection Board 2022 Eight Year Review of Agricultural District 3 Report, and related County Legislature resolution.			
Name of Applicant or Sponsor: Onondaga County Legislature		Telephone: 315-435-2170 E-Mail: jamiemcnamara@ongov.net	
Address: Onondaga County Courthouse, Room 407, 401 Montgomery St			
City/PO: Syracuse		State: NY	Zip Code: 13202
1. Does the proposed action only involve the legislative adoption of a plan, local law, ordinance, administrative rule, or regulation? If Yes, attach a narrative description of the intent of the proposed action and the environmental resources that may be affected in the municipality and proceed to Part 2. If no, continue to question 2. See attached AFPB report.		NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Does the proposed action require a permit, approval or funding from any other government Agency? If Yes, list agency(s) name and permit or approval:		NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>
3. a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed action? _____ acres b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed? _____ acres c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous properties) owned or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor? _____ acres			
4. Check all land uses that occur on, are adjoining or near the proposed action: <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input type="checkbox"/> Rural (non-agriculture) <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Residential (suburban) <input type="checkbox"/> Forest <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic <input type="checkbox"/> Other(Specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Parkland			

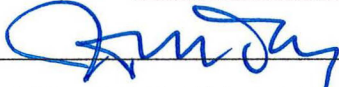
5. Is the proposed action, a. A permitted use under the zoning regulations? b. Consistent with the adopted comprehensive plan?	NO <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
6. Is the proposed action consistent with the predominant character of the existing built or natural landscape?	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
7. Is the site of the proposed action located in, or does it adjoin, a state listed Critical Environmental Area? If Yes, identify: _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
8. a. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels? b. Are public transportation services available at or near the site of the proposed action? c. Are any pedestrian accommodations or bicycle routes available on or near the site of the proposed action?	NO <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Does the proposed action meet or exceed the state energy code requirements? If the proposed action will exceed requirements, describe design features and technologies: _____ _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Will the proposed action connect to an existing public/private water supply? If No, describe method for providing potable water: _____ _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
11. Will the proposed action connect to existing wastewater utilities? If No, describe method for providing wastewater treatment: _____ _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. a. Does the project site contain, or is it substantially contiguous to, a building, archaeological site, or district which is listed on the National or State Register of Historic Places, or that has been determined by the Commissioner of the NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation to be eligible for listing on the State Register of Historic Places? b. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in or adjacent to an area designated as sensitive for archaeological sites on the NY State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) archaeological site inventory?	NO <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
13. a. Does any portion of the site of the proposed action, or lands adjoining the proposed action, contain wetlands or other waterbodies regulated by a federal, state or local agency? b. Would the proposed action physically alter, or encroach into, any existing wetland or waterbody? If Yes, identify the wetland or waterbody and extent of alterations in square feet or acres: _____ _____ _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	

14. Identify the typical habitat types that occur on, or are likely to be found on the project site. Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Shoreline <input type="checkbox"/> Forest <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural/grasslands <input type="checkbox"/> Early mid-successional <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input type="checkbox"/> Suburban		
15. Does the site of the proposed action contain any species of animal, or associated habitats, listed by the State or Federal government as threatened or endangered?	NO	YES
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16. Is the project site located in the 100-year flood plan?	NO	YES
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Will the proposed action create storm water discharge, either from point or non-point sources? If Yes,	NO	YES
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
a. Will storm water discharges flow to adjacent properties?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Will storm water discharges be directed to established conveyance systems (runoff and storm drains)? If Yes, briefly describe:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

18. Does the proposed action include construction or other activities that would result in the impoundment of water or other liquids (e.g., retention pond, waste lagoon, dam)? If Yes, explain the purpose and size of the impoundment:	NO	YES
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the location of an active or closed solid waste management facility? If Yes, describe:	NO	YES
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

20. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the subject of remediation (ongoing or completed) for hazardous waste? If Yes, describe:	NO	YES
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE IS TRUE AND ACCURATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE Applicant/sponsor/name: <u>Onondaga County Legislature</u> Date: <u>4/5/22</u> Signature: <u></u> Title: <u>Chairman</u>		

Project: Ag District Review

Date:

Short Environmental Assessment Form

Part 2 - Impact Assessment

Part 2 is to be completed by the Lead Agency.

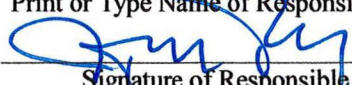
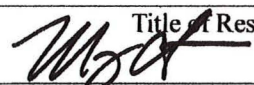
Answer all of the following questions in Part 2 using the information contained in Part 1 and other materials submitted by the project sponsor or otherwise available to the reviewer. When answering the questions the reviewer should be guided by the concept "Have my responses been reasonable considering the scale and context of the proposed action?"

	No, or small impact may occur	Moderate to large impact may occur
1. Will the proposed action create a material conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Will the proposed action result in a change in the use or intensity of use of land?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of the existing community?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Will the proposed action have an impact on the environmental characteristics that caused the establishment of a Critical Environmental Area (CEA)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Will the proposed action result in an adverse change in the existing level of traffic or affect existing infrastructure for mass transit, biking or walkway?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Will the proposed action cause an increase in the use of energy and it fails to incorporate reasonably available energy conservation or renewable energy opportunities?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Will the proposed action impact existing:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
a. public / private water supplies?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. public / private wastewater treatment utilities?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of important historic, archaeological, architectural or aesthetic resources?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Will the proposed action result in an adverse change to natural resources (e.g., wetlands, waterbodies, groundwater, air quality, flora and fauna)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Will the proposed action result in an increase in the potential for erosion, flooding or drainage problems?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Will the proposed action create a hazard to environmental resources or human health?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Short Environmental Assessment Form **Part 3 Determination of Significance**

For every question in Part 2 that was answered "moderate to large impact may occur", or if there is a need to explain why a particular element of the proposed action may or will not result in a significant adverse environmental impact, please complete Part 3. Part 3 should, in sufficient detail, identify the impact, including any measures or design elements that have been included by the project sponsor to avoid or reduce impacts. Part 3 should also explain how the lead agency determined that the impact may or will not be significant. Each potential impact should be assessed considering its setting, probability of occurring, duration, irreversibility, geographic scope and magnitude. Also consider the potential for short-term, long-term and cumulative impacts.

The proposed action is the renewal with modification of Agricultural District 3 in the Towns of Camillus, Cicero, Clay, Elbridge, Lysander, Manlius, and Van Buren in Onondaga County pursuant to AML 303-a. It is recommended that 400.15 acres be added and 219.16 acres be removed per landowner requests, for a final Agricultural District 3 total of 49,677 acres, a net increase of 181 acres in the district. The proposed action largely preserves and expands the agricultural district thereby preserving farmland, forests and idle land while benefiting the environment (groundwater recharge, open space, scenic viewsheds). As such, Onondaga County issues this negative declaration for purposes of Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law because the sale of the property is an Unlisted Action which will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.

<input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action may result in one or more potentially large or significant adverse impacts and an environmental impact statement is required.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.
Onondaga County Legislature _____ Name of Lead Agency James Rowley	_____ Date 7/5/22
_____ Print or Type Name of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	_____ Chairman
 _____ Signature of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	 _____ Title of Responsible Officer _____ Signature of Preparer (if different from Responsible Officer)

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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Mr. Burtis

RESOLUTION NO. 114

APPROVING THE INCLUSION OF VIABLE AGRICULTURAL LAND WITHIN CERTIFIED
AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 303-B OF THE NEW YORK STATE
AGRICULTURE AND MARKETS LAW

WHEREAS, Section 303-b of Agriculture and Markets Law provides land owners with an annual thirty day period to submit requests for the inclusion of predominantly viable agricultural lands within certified agricultural districts; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 71-2004, that thirty-day period began January 1, 2022, and ended January 30, 2022; and

WHEREAS, landowners have filed requests for inclusion of predominantly viable agricultural land within certified agricultural districts; and

WHEREAS, the County referred the requests to the Onondaga County Agriculture and Farmland Protection Board, and that Board has reviewed such requests and determined that such property would serve the public interest by assisting in maintaining a viable agricultural industry within the districts, and recommends such property for inclusion within the certified agricultural districts; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on Tuesday, July 5, 2022 at 12:55 p.m. relating to such requested inclusions; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the proposed action is an Unlisted action and this Legislature shall act as the Lead Agency for the purposes of the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA); and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Short Environmental Assessment Form for this project has been completed and reviewed and is on file with the Clerk of the Legislature; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that this Legislature hereby finds and declares a negative declaration under SEQRA in that there is no anticipated construction and no anticipated change in use, that the identified possible impacts, if any, on air quality and surface water quality will not be significant and there is little likelihood of significant adverse environmental impacts; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that based on the recommendation of the Agriculture and Farmland Protection Board and information provided through the public hearing, this Onondaga County Legislature hereby adopts and approves the inclusion of the requested viable agricultural land within certified Agricultural District No. 4; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that in accordance with Section 303-b of Agriculture and Markets Law the modifications to Agricultural Districts No. 4 are hereby described as follows, and include the following parcels listed by agricultural district, town, owner, parcel number, and acreage:

ONONDAGA COUNTY AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS 2022 RECOMMENDED ADDITIONS				
DISTRICT	TOWN	OWNER	PARCEL	ACRES*
4	LAFAYETTE	ELLY'S ACRES FARM, LLC	006.-02-18.0	52.32
District 4 Total				52.32
GRAND TOTAL				52.32
* Calculated using a Geographic Information System (GIS), not Real Property Services (RPS) data.				

and, be it further

RESOLVED, that should these parcels be subdivided prior to the expiration of said Districts, each subdivision would automatically be considered a part of said Districts, and would remain in the District while it is in effect; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of this Legislature is to submit a copy of this resolution, together with the report of the Onondaga County Agriculture and Farmland Protection Board including tax map numbers and maps for each parcel of land to be included in an agricultural district to the Commissioner of the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets.

ADOPTED 7/5/2022



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Clerk, County Legislature

Short Environmental Assessment Form

Part 1 - Project Information

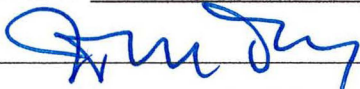
Instructions for Completing

Part 1 – Project Information. The applicant or project sponsor is responsible for the completion of Part 1. Responses become part of the application for approval or funding, are subject to public review, and may be subject to further verification. Complete Part 1 based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information.

Complete all items in Part 1. You may also provide any additional information which you believe will be needed by or useful to the lead agency; attach additional pages as necessary to supplement any item.

Part 1 – Project and Sponsor Information			
Name of Action or Project: Annual addition of viable agricultural lands to Agricultural Districts in Onondaga County			
Project Location (describe, and attach a location map): Various locations in Onondaga County - refer to County Legislature resolution and/or Report to the Legislature for full list and map of properties			
Brief Description of Proposed Action: Annual addition of viable agricultural lands to Agricultural Districts in Onondaga County. Addition of 52.32 acres in Ag District 4, Town of Lafayette.			
Name of Applicant or Sponsor: Onondaga County Legislature		Telephone: 315-435-2170 E-Mail: jamiemcnamara@ongov.net	
Address: Onondaga County Courthouse, Room 407, 401 Montgomery St			
City/PO: Syracuse		State: NY	Zip Code: 13202
1. Does the proposed action only involve the legislative adoption of a plan, local law, ordinance, administrative rule, or regulation? If Yes, attach a narrative description of the intent of the proposed action and the environmental resources that may be affected in the municipality and proceed to Part 2. If no, continue to question 2. See attached AFPB report.			NO <input type="checkbox"/>
			YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Does the proposed action require a permit, approval or funding from any other government Agency? If Yes, list agency(s) name and permit or approval:			NO <input type="checkbox"/>
			YES <input type="checkbox"/>
3. a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed action? _____ acres b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed? _____ acres c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous properties) owned or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor? _____ acres			
4. Check all land uses that occur on, are adjoining or near the proposed action: <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input type="checkbox"/> Rural (non-agriculture) <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Residential (suburban) <input type="checkbox"/> Forest <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic <input type="checkbox"/> Other(Specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Parkland			

5. Is the proposed action, a. A permitted use under the zoning regulations? b. Consistent with the adopted comprehensive plan?	NO <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
6. Is the proposed action consistent with the predominant character of the existing built or natural landscape?	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
7. Is the site of the proposed action located in, or does it adjoin, a state listed Critical Environmental Area? If Yes, identify: _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
8. a. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels? b. Are public transportation services available at or near the site of the proposed action? c. Are any pedestrian accommodations or bicycle routes available on or near the site of the proposed action?	NO <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Does the proposed action meet or exceed the state energy code requirements? If the proposed action will exceed requirements, describe design features and technologies: _____ _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Will the proposed action connect to an existing public/private water supply? If No, describe method for providing potable water: _____ _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
11. Will the proposed action connect to existing wastewater utilities? If No, describe method for providing wastewater treatment: _____ _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. a. Does the project site contain, or is it substantially contiguous to, a building, archaeological site, or district which is listed on the National or State Register of Historic Places, or that has been determined by the Commissioner of the NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation to be eligible for listing on the State Register of Historic Places? b. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in or adjacent to an area designated as sensitive for archaeological sites on the NY State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) archaeological site inventory?	NO <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
13. a. Does any portion of the site of the proposed action, or lands adjoining the proposed action, contain wetlands or other waterbodies regulated by a federal, state or local agency? b. Would the proposed action physically alter, or encroach into, any existing wetland or waterbody? If Yes, identify the wetland or waterbody and extent of alterations in square feet or acres: _____ _____ _____	NO <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	

14. Identify the typical habitat types that occur on, or are likely to be found on the project site. Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Shoreline <input type="checkbox"/> Forest <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural/grasslands <input type="checkbox"/> Early mid-successional <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input type="checkbox"/> Suburban		
15. Does the site of the proposed action contain any species of animal, or associated habitats, listed by the State or Federal government as threatened or endangered?	NO	YES
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16. Is the project site located in the 100-year flood plan?	NO	YES
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Will the proposed action create storm water discharge, either from point or non-point sources? If Yes,	NO	YES
a. Will storm water discharges flow to adjacent properties?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Will storm water discharges be directed to established conveyance systems (runoff and storm drains)? If Yes, briefly describe:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
_____ _____		
18. Does the proposed action include construction or other activities that would result in the impoundment of water or other liquids (e.g., retention pond, waste lagoon, dam)? If Yes, explain the purpose and size of the impoundment:	NO	YES
_____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the location of an active or closed solid waste management facility? If Yes, describe:	NO	YES
_____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the subject of remediation (ongoing or completed) for hazardous waste? If Yes, describe:	NO	YES
_____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE IS TRUE AND ACCURATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE Applicant/sponsor/name: <u>Onondaga County Legislature</u> Date: <u>7/5/22</u> Signature: <u></u> Title: <u>Chairman</u>		

Project: Ag District Addition

Date:

Short Environmental Assessment Form

Part 2 - Impact Assessment

Part 2 is to be completed by the Lead Agency.

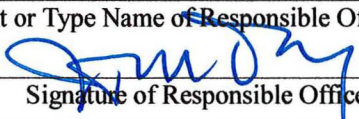
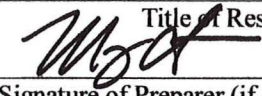
Answer all of the following questions in Part 2 using the information contained in Part 1 and other materials submitted by the project sponsor or otherwise available to the reviewer. When answering the questions the reviewer should be guided by the concept "Have my responses been reasonable considering the scale and context of the proposed action?"

	No, or small impact may occur	Moderate to large impact may occur
1. Will the proposed action create a material conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Will the proposed action result in a change in the use or intensity of use of land?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of the existing community?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Will the proposed action have an impact on the environmental characteristics that caused the establishment of a Critical Environmental Area (CEA)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Will the proposed action result in an adverse change in the existing level of traffic or affect existing infrastructure for mass transit, biking or walkway?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Will the proposed action cause an increase in the use of energy and it fails to incorporate reasonably available energy conservation or renewable energy opportunities?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Will the proposed action impact existing:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
a. public / private water supplies?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. public / private wastewater treatment utilities?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of important historic, archaeological, architectural or aesthetic resources?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Will the proposed action result in an adverse change to natural resources (e.g., wetlands, waterbodies, groundwater, air quality, flora and fauna)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Will the proposed action result in an increase in the potential for erosion, flooding or drainage problems?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Will the proposed action create a hazard to environmental resources or human health?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Short Environmental Assessment Form **Part 3 Determination of Significance**

For every question in Part 2 that was answered "moderate to large impact may occur", or if there is a need to explain why a particular element of the proposed action may or will not result in a significant adverse environmental impact, please complete Part 3. Part 3 should, in sufficient detail, identify the impact, including any measures or design elements that have been included by the project sponsor to avoid or reduce impacts. Part 3 should also explain how the lead agency determined that the impact may or will not be significant. Each potential impact should be assessed considering its setting, probability of occurring, duration, irreversibility, geographic scope and magnitude. Also consider the potential for short-term, long-term and cumulative impacts.

The proposed action is the addition of approximately 52 acres of land to Agricultural District 4 in the Town of Lafayette, Onondaga County, pursuant to AML 303-b. The proposed action preserves and expands the agricultural district thereby preserving farmland, forests and idle land while benefiting the environment (groundwater recharge, open space, scenic viewsheds). As such, Onondaga County issues this negative declaration for purposes of Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law because the sale of the property is an Unlisted Action which will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.

<input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action may result in one or more potentially large or significant adverse impacts and an environmental impact statement is required. Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.
Onondaga County Legislature	
Name of Lead Agency James Rowley	Date <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.2em;">7/5/20</div>
Print or Type Name of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Title of Responsible Officer
<div style="text-align: center;">  Signature of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  Signature of Preparer (if different from Responsible Officer) </div>

**JULY 5, 2022
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AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

EXCUSED:

No. 114

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1. MAY

7. KUHN

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10. OLSON

11. MCBRIDE

12. KNAPP

13. BUSH

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6. ABBOTT

2. ROWLEY

TOTAL:

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July 5, 2022

Motion Made By Ms. Abbott

RESOLUTION NO. 115

CONFIRMING REAPPOINTMENT TO THE REGION 7 FISH AND WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT
BOARD

WHEREAS, J. Ryan McMahon II, Onondaga County Executive, has duly reappointed and designated, pursuant to the New York State Fish and Wildlife Management Act and Section 11 – 0501 of the Environmental Conservation Law, subject to confirmation by the Onondaga County Legislature, the following individual to serve as a member of the Region 7 Fish and Wildlife Management Board:

REAPPOINTMENT:

Stephen Wowelko
5829 Augsburg Circle
East Syracuse, New York 13057-3050

TERM EXPIRES:

December 31, 2023

now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Onondaga County Legislature does hereby confirm reappointment of the above individual to serve as member of the Region 7 Fish and Wildlife Management Board for the term specified above.

ADOPTED 7/5/2022



I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of the legislation duly adopted by the County Legislature of Onondaga County on the 5th day of July 2022.

A blue ink signature, appearing to be "Jm", is written over a horizontal line.

Clerk, County Legislature

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*The meeting was
adjourned at 2:13 p.m.*