

Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute Contracts And Agreements With The New York State Department Of Economic Development To Allow The County Planning Board to Act As A Census Designated Affiliate – Department of Planning

Referred to: The Economic Development, Tourism, Housing, Planning and Transit Committee (Chairman Briggs and Legislators Allen, Archer, Bartels, Litts, Maio, and Maloney), and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gerentine and Legislators Allen, Belfiglio, Briggs, Gregorius, Maio, Maloney, and Richard Parete)

Chairman of the Economic Development, Tourism, Housing, Planning, and Transit Committee, Thomas J. Briggs, and Deputy Chairman James F. Maloney offer the following:

WHEREAS, this resolution has been submitted by the County Executive on behalf of the Department of Planning; and

WHEREAS, New York Labor Law §21(14) empowers the New York State Department of Labor (NYSDOL) to do all things necessary for the operation of the New York State Data Center (the "Center") in cooperation with the United States Bureau of the Census (the "Census Bureau") including cooperation with other State agencies, universities, regional organizations, boards, commissions and other entities in the dissemination of socio-economic information and data through the Center, in order to provide technical assistance to other State agencies, universities, regional organizations, boards, commissions and other entities as necessary; and

WHEREAS, the Center operates as part of a nationwide effort to improve public access to census data and to ensure complete and accurate national, state, and county level information is provided to the public; and

WHEREAS, the NYSDOL wishes to retain the services of the Ulster County Planning Department to act as a Census Designated Affiliate under this program and the Ulster County Planning Department wishes to perform said services; and

WHEREAS, Ulster County recognizes the importance of access and dissemination of data provided by NYSDOL to decisions related to economic development, grant applications, overall understanding of the County's demographic trends, and an accurate census count; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature is authorized to execute contracts and agreements, and any amendments thereto, with the New York State Department of Labor to provide for the Ulster County Planning Department to act as a Census Designated Affiliate under the NYSDOL guidelines,

Resolution No. 116 March 17, 2015

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and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 23 NOES: 0

Passed Committee: Economic Development, Tourism, Housing, Planning and
Transit on March 11, 2015

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on March 11, 2015

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$375.00 – BUDGETED 2015 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

(Annual Program Training Workshop Required for Affiliates)

STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF ULSTER

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the original resolution adopted by the Ulster County Legislature on the 17th Day of March in the year Two Thousand and Fifteen, and said resolution shall remain on file in the office of said clerk.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this 20th Day of March in the year Two Thousand and Fifteen.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk
Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this
20th Day of March, 2015.

Approved by the County Executive this
26th Day of March, 2015.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk
Ulster County Legislature

[s] Michael P. Hein
Michael P. Hein, County Executive