

**Adopting Anti-Discrimination Policies in Accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, As Amended and Associated Grievance Procedures**

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, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability in programs and activities conducted by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) or by grantees that receive financial assistance from HUD; and

WHEREAS, Part 8 of Title 24 of the Code of Federal Regulations (24 CFR) requires adoption of grievance procedures to address complaints of those who feel they may have been discriminated against on the basis of disability and also requires the provision of notice of said grievance procedures; and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of Ulster County not to discriminate against any individual, person, or group on the basis of disability and the intent of Ulster County to address any complaints that may arise pursuant to Section 504; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED that the does hereby adopt the Anti Discrimination Policies in Accordance with SECTION 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and Associated Grievance Procedures as filed with the Clerk of the Legislature providing for the prompt and equitable resolution of complaints alleging any action prohibited by Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services regulations implementing the Act,

and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 22      NOES: 0  
(Legislator Briggs left at 7:46 PM)

**Resolution No. 341      September 15, 2015**

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Passed Committee: Economic Development, Tourism, Housing, Planning, and Transit on September 1, 2015

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on September 9, 2015

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

**\$300.00 – APPROXIMATE ADVERTISING COSTS**

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 15<sup>th</sup> Day of September 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 17<sup>th</sup> Day of September in the year Two Thousand and Fifteen.

|s| Victoria A. Fabella  
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk  
Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this  
17<sup>th</sup> Day of September, 2015.

Approved by the County Executive this  
24<sup>th</sup> Day of September, 2015.

|s| Victoria A. Fabella  
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk  
Ulster County Legislature

|s| Michael P. Hein  
Michael P. Hein, County Executive