

Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$200,000.00 Entered Into By The County – Ulster County Soil & Water Conservation District – Department Of Finance

Referred to: The Economic Development, Planning, Education, Employment, Arts and Agriculture Committee (Chairwoman Sperry and Legislators Clinton, Corcoran, Hewitt, Litts, Stewart and Walls), and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gavaris and Legislators Collins, Hansut, Kovacs, Nolan, and Roberts)

Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, John Gavaris, and Deputy Chair Kevin A. Roberts offer the following:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section C-11(O) of the Ulster County Charter and Section A2-5(15) of the Administrative Code, the Ulster County Legislature shall have the power to approve the execution of certain contracts and amendments in the amount of \$50,000.00 or in excess of \$50,000.00 entered into by the County; and

WHEREAS, a contract for execution by the County with Ulster County Soil & Water Conservation District has been submitted for approval by the Ulster County Legislature, which is described below:

2024-388 - American Rescue Plan Act funding for: a) As partial funding for 'no-till drill', 'row mulcher', and/or lime spreading equipment which shall be made available for use on Ulster County farms (Project A); and b) As matching funds for existing Subrecipient administered grant programs, such as the NYS funded Climate Resilient Farming Grant or the Agricultural Environmental Management (AEM) programs, that benefit Ulster County farmers, where the programs promote soil health, climate resilient farming, or energy efficiency of farming (Project B). Funds are expressly allowed to be used as matching funds for the Subrecipient's local cover crop program, rotational grazing program, and irrigation water management programs.	100% Federal	Professional Services	6/1/24 - 9/1/26	\$200,000.00
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WHEREAS, said contract has been reviewed by Contract Management, County Attorney's Office, the Director of Purchasing, and the County Executive; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, the Ulster County Legislature has examined the contract, and hereby approves the contract in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney and Legislative Counsel,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:

NOES:

Resolution No. 379 July 16, 2024

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FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$200,000.00 – 2024/2025/2026 PREVIOUSLY AUTHORIZED APPROPRIATIONS