

Designating The Ulster County Department Of Tourism As The Official Tourism Promotion Agency Of Ulster County – Department Of Tourism

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)

Chairwoman of the Economic Development, Planning, Education, Employment, Arts and Agriculture Committee, Megan Sperry, and Deputy Chair Herbert Litts, III offer the following:

WHEREAS, this resolution has been submitted at the request of the County Executive on behalf of the Department of Tourism; and

WHEREAS, the New York State Legislature has appropriated funds in the SFY 2025 Budget to be available to tourism promotion agencies in New York State for advertising and promoting tourism; and

WHEREAS, designation as the official tourism promotion agency of Ulster County, pursuant to New York State Economic Development Law § 163, will allow the Department of Tourism to apply for and receive matching funds on behalf of the County; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Ulster County Legislature hereby designates the Ulster County Department of Tourism as the official tourism promotion agency for Ulster County to coincide with the New York State 2025 Fiscal Year beginning on April 1, 2024 and ending on March 31, 2025, thereby making it eligible to apply for and accept matching tourism promotion funds on behalf of Ulster County, and to represent Ulster County for the promotion of Tourism,

and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 22 NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislator Maloney)

Passed Committee: Economic Development, Planning, Education, Employment, Arts and Agriculture on September 3, 2024

Resolution No. 472 September 17, 2024

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Passed Committee: Ways and Means as amended on September 12, 2024

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$70,000.00 - ESTIMATED STATE FUNDING PER YEAR

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 September in the year Two Thousand Twenty-Four, 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 September in the year Two Thousand Twenty-Four.

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

Submitted to the County Executive this
20th Day of September 2024.

Approved by the County Executive this
27th Day of September 2024.

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

[s] Jen Metzger
Jen Metzger, County Executive