Resolution No. 297 October 14, 2009

Request By The County Of Ulster, For Greenway Trail Designation Of The Sojourner Truth Ulster Landing County Park Trail System

The Public Works and Capital Projects Committee (Chairman Loughran and Legislators Decker, Donaldson, Hochberg, Fabiano, Felicello and Roberts), cosponsors: The Environmental Committee (Chairman Shapiro and Legislators Bischoff, Richard Parete, Rodriguez, Fabiano, Petit and Roberts), and multisponsors: Legislators Cahill and Robert Parete offer the following:

WHEREAS, this resolution has been submitted by the County Executive on behalf of the Department of Public Works (Buildings and Grounds) and the Department of the Environment, and

WHEREAS, the County of Ulster owns a community trail in the Sojourner Truth Ulster Landing County Park, which enhances the opportunity the public has to appreciate and support the preservation of the historic, scenic, cultural, recreational and natural resources, and

WHEREAS, Article 44 of the Environmental Conservation Law (ECL) directs the Greenway Conservancy for the Hudson River Valley, Inc., to designate trails for inclusion in the Hudson River Greenway Trail, and

WHEREAS, the County of Ulster requests that 0.9 miles of the Sojourner Truth Ulster Landing County Park trail be designated as a riverside connector trail as part of the Hudson River Greenway Trail System, and

WHEREAS, designation as part of the Hudson River Greenway Trail System will increase the County's competitive advantage in attracting grant funds for improvements at the park, and

WHEREAS, the Public Works and Capital Projects Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of the members voting approval, and

WHEREAS, the Environmental Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of members voting approval, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED that the Ulster County Legislature hereby requests designation of the Sojourner Truth Ulster Landing County Park trails as part of the Hudson River Greenway Trail System, and, be it further

RESOLVED, that upon adoption of this resolution, the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature shall distribute copies of same to the Towns of Ulster and Saugerties, to the Greenway Conservancy, and to Ulster County's New York State Legislative Representatives,

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and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 28 NOES: 0

(Absent: Legislators Briggs, Cummings, Sheeley,

Stoeckeler, and Zimet)

FINANCIAL IMPACT: NONE

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STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF ULSTER

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster have compared the foregoing resolution with the original resolution now on file in the office of said clerk, and which was adopted by said Legislature on the 14th Day of October, 2009, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this 16^{th} Day of October in the year Two Thousand and Nine.

|s| Mary L. Carey Mary L. Carey, Clerk Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this

Approved by the County Executive this

16th Day of October, 2009.

21st Day of October, 2009.

|s| Mary L. Carey Mary L. Carey, Clerk Ulster County Legislature |s| Michael P. Hein Michael P. Hein, County Executive