

Establishing Capital Project No. 385 – Rehabilitation Of The Sauer Bridge (PVI) No. 70, Town Of Saugerties – Department Of Public Works (Highways & Bridges Division)

Referred To: The Public Works and Capital Projects Committee (Chairman Fabiano and Legislators Maloney, Roberts, Briggs and Parete) and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gerentine and Legislators Harris, Maio, Maloney, Gregorius, Provenzano and Rodriguez)

Chairman of the Public Works & Capital Projects Committee, Dean J. Fabiano, and Deputy Chairman John Parete offer the following:

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

WHEREAS, the Ulster County Commissioner of Public Works requests funds for rehabilitation of the Sauer Bridge (Ulster County Bridge No. 70) on Glasco Turnpike, over the Esopus Creek in the Town of Saugerties (BIN# 3346850); and

WHEREAS, the Sauer Bridge superstructure has recently deteriorated to the point where it will soon be unsafe for the traveling public, and it is now necessary to request funds for rehabilitation; and

WHEREAS, the Sauer Bridge is listed on the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) under PIN #8759.88 with a date to begin the engineering design phase in 2015 and a date to begin construction in 2018; and

WHEREAS, a delay of five years to the commencement of the construction of the project will jeopardize the safety of the travelling public, and therefore the project should be removed from the TIP; and

WHEREAS, the Ulster County Department of Public Works intends to contract with an outside bridge contractor for the design and the rehabilitation of the Sauer Bridge during the current construction season by establishing a Capital Project; and

WHEREAS, based upon examination by the Ulster County Legislature, the County's funding of this Project constitutes a Type II action as defined under Section 4.5.6 of the County of Ulster's State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA) Type II List, which was adopted pursuant to Resolution No. 118 dated April 20, 2010; and

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WHEREAS, Ulster County has determined that this funding action does not pose a significant potential environmental impact and may be progressed as a Type II action in accordance with 6 NYCRR Part 617 of SEQRA, and does not require any further determination or procedure under SEQRA; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that Capital Project No. 385, Rehabilitation of the Sauer Bridge, is hereby established; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the 2013 Capital Fund Budget be amended as follows:

	<u>INCREASE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
H4-0385-2911 (Appr. #)	Construction	\$1,700,000.00
H4-0385-2962 (Appr. #)	Engineering	\$300,000.00
H3-0385-5710 (Rev. #)	Serial Bonds	\$2,000,000.00

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 20 NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislators Briggs and Fabiano)
(Legislator Harris left at 9:25PM/ returned at 9:28PM)

Passed Committee: Public Works & Capital Projects on March 6, 2013

Passed Committee: Ways & Means on March 12, 2013

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
\$2,000,000.00 – COUNTY DOLLARS – SERIAL BOND

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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 19th Day of March, 2013, 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 21st Day of March in the year Two Thousand and Thirteen.

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

Submitted to the County Executive this
21st Day of March, 2013.

Approved by the County Executive this
26th Day of March, 2013.

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

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