## **RESOLUTION NO. 534**

## APPROVING THE ALBANY COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AND FARMLAND PROTECTION PLAN

Introduced: 12/3/18

By Conservation and Improvement Committee and Mr. Miller:

WHEREAS, The Department of Economic Development, Conservation and Planning has requested approval of the Albany County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Plan prior to submission to the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets, and

WHEREAS, The submission of the approved Agricultural and Farmland Protection Plan to the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets makes state funding available to assist and implement agricultural and farmland protection projects and enhances the viability of farming in Albany County through increased profitability and improved marketing of agricultural products, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature the Agricultural and Farmland Protection Plan is hereby approved, and that the County Executive is authorized to submit the County's Agricultural and Farmland Protection Plan, as filed with the Clerk of the Legislature, to the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said plan as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote – 12/3/18