

RESOLUTION NO. 289

ADOPTING THE PROPOSED MODIFICATIONS TO THE ALBANY COUNTY AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS

Introduced: 7/13/15

By Messrs. Reilly, Bullock, Cotrofeld, Feeney, Mackey, Clenahan and Domalewicz:

WHEREAS, Section 303 of the Agriculture and Markets Law mandates the annual review of agricultural districts, and

WHEREAS, In connection with such review a proposal for the modification of all Agricultural Districts has been submitted by the Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board, and

WHEREAS, The recommendations include adding 235.14 acres of actively viable farm land in the towns of Bethlehem, Guilderland, Knox, New Scotland, and Westerlo, and

WHEREAS, In conducting such review, Section 303 of the Agriculture and Markets Law requires this Honorable Body to hold a public hearing, which public hearing was held in the Legislative Chambers at the County Courthouse, Albany, New York for the purpose of receiving the comments of any interested persons regarding the proposed modifications, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the proposed modifications to the Albany County Agricultural Districts submitted by the Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board and filed with the Clerk of the Legislature are hereby approved and adopted, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of the modifications shall be submitted to the New York State Commissioner of Agriculture and Markets along with a certified copy of this resolution, 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. 7/13/15