



COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

MARCUS J. MOLINARO
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 3 of 2015

I hereby issue the following Executive Order creating the Dutchess County Agricultural Advisory Committee.

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Plan was adopted by the Dutchess County Legislature on March 9, 2015, in Resolution No. 2015059, and

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Plan recommends the creation of an Agricultural Advisory Committee to, among other things, report to and advise the County Executive on issues and policies regarding agriculture and agri-business; to facilitate implementation of programs outlined in said Plan; and to provide organization and leadership in carrying out the vision of said Plan, and

WHEREAS, Section 3.02(e) of the Dutchess County Administrative Code vests the County Executive with the authority to appoint committee members to assist him in the exercise of his executive functions and in the planning, formulation and administration of executive policies and programs, now, therefore, it is

RESOLVED, that Dutchess County Agricultural Advisory Committee is hereby created and shall include five (5) members who shall be local representatives from agri-businesses within the County and who shall serve at the pleasure of the County Executive by letter appointment, and the following ex-officio members may also be appointed by the County Executive:

- One (1) representative from Dutchess County Legislature;
- One (1) representative from Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board;
- One (1) representative from Dutchess County Cornell Cooperative Extension;
- One (1) representative from Dutchess County Soil and Water Conservation District;
- One (1) representative from a local land conservancy organization;
- One (1) representative from Hudson Valley Agri-Business Development Corporation; and
- One (1) representative from Department of Planning and Development.

Made this the 14th day of August 2015 at the office of the County Executive, 22 Market Street, Poughkeepsie, New York.

MARCUS J. MOLINARO
Dutchess County Executive