

REGULAR MEETING  
OF THE  
DUTCHESS COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Monday, April 13, 2026, 6:30 p.m.

The Chair of the Legislature called the meeting to order at 6:33 p.m.

PRESENT: 22      ALEXANDER, ARNOFF, ATKINS, BRENDLI, DARROW, DRAGO,  
GILES, HOUSE, JOHNSON, KAUL, KEARNEY, LAWLER, MCHOUL,  
METZGER, MUNN, POLASEK, RHODES, ROLISON, SHAH,  
TRESKA, VALDÉS SMITH, WINSBY

ABSENT: 3      CASWELL, FAUST, REDL

PRESENT/LATE: 0

QUORUM PRESENT

**Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, Invocation by Rabbi Jeffrey Stombaugh from Vassar Temple, followed by a moment of silent meditation**

**PROCLAMATIONS**

Proclamation recognizing Fair Housing Month presented by Chair Valdés Smith and Legislator Brendli

Proclamation recognizing Autism Acceptance Month presented by Legislator Arnoff

Proclamation recognizing Jane Bolin presented by Majority Leader Atkins and Legislator Shah

Proclamation recognizing Earth Day presented by Legislators Kaul and Winsby

**PRESENTATIONS**

Dutchess County Board of Health Awards presented by Dr. Melissa Nelson-Perron, MD, FACEP, FAAEM, Board President

REV250 presentation by Will Tatum, Dutchess County Historian

### **Privilege of the Floor with respect to printed agenda items**

Matt Dodson of the City of Poughkeepsie spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution on the NY MELT Act and in favor of the proposed Gas Tax Holiday, while noting a need for fare-free buses.

Mike Schade of Fishkill spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution on the NY MELT Act.

Keith Williams of the City of Poughkeepsie spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution on the NY MELT Act and in favor of the proposed Gas Tax Holiday, while noting a need for fare-free buses.

Chris Hughes of Wappingers Falls spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution on the NY MELT Act and in favor of the proposed Gas Tax Holiday, while noting a need for fare-free buses.

Danny Nost of Beacon spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution on the NY MELT Act.

Sarah Kennedy of the City of Poughkeepsie spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution on the NY MELT Act.

Councilman Daniel Atonna of the City of Poughkeepsie spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution on the NY MELT Act.

Tom Sisson spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution to provide additional insurance to probation officers.

Don McNeil of the City of Poughkeepsie spoke against the proposed Gas Tax Holiday, suggesting instead the County use additional tax revenue on other programs or initiatives.

Jayce Childs of Wappingers Falls spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution to provide additional insurance to probation officers.

Anna Sienty of Hopewell Junction spoke in favor of the Memorializing Resolution to provide additional insurance to probation officers.

### **Approval of Prior**

Majority Leader Atkins reported that he attended a Youth Board and Coordinating Council meeting and will provide further updates on future initiatives.

Legislator Drago reported that a child care forum scheduled for April 21 has been postponed and that he will provide further information on rescheduling in the future.

Legislator Arnoff reported that a letter she presented on the Lethality Assessment Program (LAP) Assessment bill in the Assembly has been signed by all Legislators present at the meeting.

# Attendance Sheets

District	Last Name	Present	Absent	Present/Late
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Alexander	X		
District 2 - LaGrange, Pleasant Valley & Town of Poughkeepsie	Arnoff	X		
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins	X		
District 8 - City and Town of Poughkeepsie	Brendli	X		
District 21 - East Fishkill	Caswell		X	
District 7 - Hyde Park and Pleasant Valley	Darrow	X		
District 19 - North East, Stanford, Pine Plains, Milan & Red Hook	Drago	X		
District 15 - Wappinger	Faust		X	
District 13 - East Fishkill and Wappinger	Giles	X		
District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House	X		
District 10 - City of Poughkeepsie	Johnson	X		
District 6 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Kaul	X		
District 11 - Clinton, Pleasant Valley, and Rhinebeck	Kearney	X		
District 4 - Hyde Park and Town of Poughkeepsie	Lawler	X		
District 17 - Town and Village of Fishkill	McHoul	X		
District 12 - East Fishkill	Metzger	X		
District 20 - Red Hook, Tivoli, and Rhinebeck	Munn	X		
District 3 - LaGrange	Polasek	X		
District 1 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Redl		X	
District 18 - City of Beacon and Fishkill	Rhodes	X		
District 23 - Pawling, Beekman and East Fishkill	Rolison	X		
District 5 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Shah	X		
District 22 - Beekman and Union Vale	Tresca	X		
District 16 - Fishkill and Beacon	Valdés Smith	X		
District 14 - Wappinger and Town of Poughkeepsie	Winsby	X		
<b>Present:</b>	<u>22</u>	<b>Total:</b>	22	
<b>Absent:</b>	<u>3</u>		3	
<b>Vacant:</b>	<u>0</u>			0

Date: 4/13/26

LEGISLATIVE BOARD MEETING (SIGN IN SHEET)

APRIL 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026 @ 6:30PM

NAME	TOWN OF RESIDENCE
Dana Gavin	City of Poughkeepsie
Tom Sisson	COUNTY EMPLOYEE
Rose-Mannaly McCann	Resident of Town of PK
Heith Williams	City of PK
Sarah Kennedy	City of PoK
Adalis Millan	Fishkill
Cris Hughes	Wappingers Falls
Cassandra Clarke	Lagrange
A. Sientep	Hopewell
G. Hobson	PoK
A. Watson	PoK

WHEREAS The Fair Housing Act, enacted on April 11, 1968, enshrined into federal law the goal of eliminating racial segregation and ending housing discrimination in the United States; and

WHEREAS The Fair Housing Act prohibits discrimination in housing based on race, color, religion, sex, familial status, national origin, and disability, and commits recipients of federal funding to affirmatively further fair housing in their communities; and

WHEREAS the Dutchess County Legislature is committed to the mission and intent of Congress to provide fair and equal housing opportunities for all; and

WHEREAS Our social fabric, the economy, health, and environment are strengthened in diverse, inclusive communities; and

WHEREAS More than fifty years after the passage of the Fair Housing Act, discrimination persists, and many communities remain segregated; and

WHEREAS Acts of housing discrimination and barriers to equal housing opportunity are repugnant to a common sense of decency and fairness.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Dutchess County Legislature does hereby declare the month of April, 2026 as Fair Housing Month in Dutchess County, as Dutchess County is an inclusive community committed to fair housing, and to promoting appropriate activities by private and public entities to provide and advocate for equal housing opportunities for all residents and prospective residents of our great County.

WHEREAS, April is recognized as Autism Acceptance Month, a time to celebrate and honor the experiences, identities, and contributions of Autistic individuals; and

WHEREAS, Autism Acceptance Month emphasizes understanding, inclusion, and meaningful support, moving beyond awareness toward active acceptance; and

WHEREAS, in 2021, many organizations shifted from “Autism Awareness” to “Autism Acceptance” to reflect the importance of not only knowing about autism, but also including, supporting, and accepting Autistic people; and

WHEREAS, true acceptance requires learning about autism from Autistic people, valuing neurodiversity, and fostering environments where differences are recognized as strengths; and

WHEREAS, Autistic individuals do not need to be cured, fixed, or changed, and it is essential to challenge and dismantle ableism to ensure dignity, equity, and quality of life for all neurodivergent people; and

WHEREAS, Autism acceptance means respecting the rights, humanity, and voices of all Autistic individuals, including those with intellectual disabilities, nonspeaking Autistic people, and those with the highest support needs; and

WHEREAS, it is vital to recognize and address the intersection of racism, sexism, ableism, and other forms of discrimination that impact Autistic individuals; and

WHEREAS, communities must commit to understanding and supporting the diverse needs and lived experiences of Autistic people in all aspects of life;

NOW, THEREFORE, we proclaim April as Autism Acceptance Month and call upon all individuals, organizations, and communities to embrace neurodiversity, amplify Autistic voices, and work toward a more inclusive, respectful, and supportive Dutchess County community for all.

WHEREAS, Jane Matilda Bolin was born April 11, 1908 and raised in Poughkeepsie, New York, shaped by her upbringing as the daughter of an African American father and a white-Irish mother during a time when such families faced profound social barriers, which instilled in her a clear understanding of injustice, a strong sense of identity, and a lifelong commitment to fairness and equal opportunity for all; and

WHEREAS, she pursued higher education at a time when doors were often closed to women of color, enrolling as one of only two Black freshmen at Wellesley College and going on to become the first African-American woman to graduate from Yale Law School in 1931; and

WHEREAS, after her admission to the bar, Jane Bolin began her legal career in Dutchess County as an attorney, establishing early ties to the local legal community before continuing her work in New York City; and

WHEREAS, in 1939, she became the first African American woman in the United States to join the judiciary when appointed to the Domestic Relations Court, now known as Family Court, where she served for nearly forty years, and later continued her public service with the New York State Board of Regents and through her work with the NAACP, National Urban League, and Child Welfare League; and

WHEREAS, her legacy endures locally through lasting recognitions, including her presence in a mural in the Dutchess County Courthouse and the naming of the Jane Bolin Administration Building in the Poughkeepsie City School District; and

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Legislature finds it both appropriate and necessary to honor a Poughkeepsie native whose life's work has left an enduring mark on the law, the courts, and the community that shaped her;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature hereby proclaims April 11, 2026, as JANE BOLIN DAY; and be it further

RESOLVED, that residents of Dutchess County are encouraged to reflect upon Judge Bolin's life, her roots in Poughkeepsie, and her lasting contributions to the fair and equal administration of justice.

WHEREAS, Dutchess County has abundant natural resources including the majestic Hudson River, fertile agricultural lands, scenic ridgelines, extensive wetlands, diverse forests, and critical habitats for native plants and wildlife; and

WHEREAS, a clean and healthy environment directly contributes to human health and wellbeing, reducing the burden of disease, improving mental health, and enhancing overall quality of life; and

WHEREAS, protecting our environment is essential for safeguarding the future of our children and generations to come, ensuring they inherit a world with clean air, safe water, and thriving ecosystems; and

WHEREAS, we acknowledge and honor the Munsee Lenape, Mahican, and other Indigenous peoples who were the original stewards of these lands, whose traditional ecological knowledge and sustainable practices provide valuable lessons for environmental conservation today; and

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Environmental Management Council (established in 1972), serves as an advisory body on environmental issues, works to reduce road salt usage while maintaining safety, promotes composting initiatives, organizes educational programming, advocates for sustainable policies such as reducing single-use plastics, and collaborates with local Conservation Advisory Councils to preserve our natural resources; and

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Department of Planning & Development's Division of Environmental Planning recognizes the importance of fostering environmental stewardship and sustainable practices, provides valuable guidance to the County and municipalities on environmental matters, and maintains the comprehensive Dutchess County Natural Resources Inventory that informs land use decisions throughout the county; and

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Department of Planning & Development's Division of Solid Waste Management has established exemplary programs including home composting workshops, household hazardous waste collection events, and comprehensive recycling education initiatives that aim to significantly increase the county's recycling rate while reducing reliance on waste disposal, and the County, in partnership with Hudson Valley Repair Café, Sustainable Hudson Valley promotes initiatives like the Repair Café that encourage residents to repair items rather than discard them; and

WHEREAS, the Partnership for Manageable Growth has helped preserve thousands of acres of farmland and open space, protecting our agricultural heritage while maintaining vital ecosystem services; and

WHEREAS, the County's Climate Smart Task Force has successfully led Dutchess County to achieve Silver Certification in the New York State Climate Smart Communities program and has proposed important climate adaptation and mitigation strategies; and

WHEREAS, Dutchess County has demonstrated leadership in clean energy initiatives through its participation in the NYSEERDA Clean Energy Communities program, adoption of a Solar PILOT policy, installation of electric vehicle charging stations, energy efficiency upgrades to county facilities, and support for renewable energy projects; and

WHEREAS, the County's Government Operations Climate Action Plan sets forth a comprehensive and pragmatic strategy to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, transition to renewable energy sources, and build resilience to climate change impacts; and

WHEREAS, municipalities throughout Dutchess County have established Conservation Advisory Committees and Boards that work tirelessly to protect local environmental resources, develop open space inventories, and advise on sustainable development practices; and

WHEREAS, numerous local environmental organizations contribute significantly to the protection and enhancement of Dutchess County's natural resources, including but not limited to: the Dutchess County Soil and Water Conservation District, Dutchess Land Conservancy, Winnakee Land Trust, Hudson River Sloop Clearwater, The Hudson Valley Regional Council, Riverkeeper, Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies, Cornell Cooperative Extension Dutchess County, Hudsonia Ltd., Hudson River Watershed Alliance, Hudson Valley Greenway, Scenic Hudson, Oblong Land Conservancy, Fishkill Creek Watershed Alliance, Friends of Great Swamp, Beacon Institute For Rivers and Estuaries, Trout Unlimited – Mid-Hudson Chapter, Adirondack Mountain Club – Mid-Hudson Chapter, Bard Center for Environmental Policy, Vassar Environmental Cooperative, and Housatonic Valley Association; and

WHEREAS, these organizations collaborate to monitor water quality, preserve open space, protect biodiversity, promote environmental education, advocate for sustainable policies, and engage citizens in environmental stewardship; and

WHEREAS, Earth Day, celebrated annually on April 22, marks its 56th anniversary in 2026, highlighting the enduring commitment to environmental protection and sustainability; and

WHEREAS, Earth Month provides a dedicated period for all Dutchess County residents, businesses, and institutions to reflect on our relationship with the natural world and take action to protect and restore our shared environment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature hereby designates April 2026 as "Earth Month" in Dutchess County and encourages all residents to

participate in community clean-ups, educational programs, tree plantings, energy conservation measures, and other activities that celebrate and protect our natural heritage; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature reaffirms its commitment to environmental stewardship through continued support for the Environmental Management Council, Climate Smart Task Force, and implementation of the Climate Action Plan and clean energy initiatives.

## Consent Agenda

The Clerk of the Legislature read the consent agenda:

2026043 Confirming appointment to the Dutchess County Planning Board

2026044 Amending the 2026 adopted County Budget as it pertains to the Department of Planning & Development and the Shared Services Reserve Fund

2026045 Appointment to the Dutchess County Soil and Water Conservation Board

2026046 Approval of application to correct tax roll and to order the local tax collector to issue a corrected tax bill (Applicant: Innisfree Foundation, Inc.)

2026047 Approval of application to correct tax roll and to order the local tax collector to issue a corrected tax bill (Applicant: Innisfree Foundation, Inc.)

2026048 Approval of application to correct tax roll and to order the local tax collector to issue a corrected tax bill (Applicant: Herb Redl LLC)

2026049 Approval of application to correct tax roll and to order the local tax collector to issue a corrected tax bill (Applicant: Enid Goris and Francis X. Irizarry)

2026050 Approval of application to correct tax roll and to order the local tax collector to issue a corrected tax bill (Applicant: Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies Inc.)

2026052 Resolution expressing legislative intent to consider adoption of a real property tax exemption for disabled veterans and directing a fiscal and administrative review

2026055 Appointments to the Dutchess County Fire and Safety Advisory Board

2026056 Resolution of the Dutchess County Legislature in support of New York State Senate Bill No. 8837 and Assembly Bill No. 2535, an act to amend the General Municipal Law, in relation to optional disability coverage for County Probation Officers

2026057 Amending the 2026 adopted County Budget as it pertains to the District Attorney

2026059 Confirming reappointment of Livia Santiago-Rosado, MD, MPH, FACEP as Commissioner of the Dutchess County Department of Health

2026060 Appointment to the Dutchess County Veterans Affairs Committee

2026061 Appointments to the Citizens Advisory Committee on Domestic Violence

2026062 Appointments to the Community Services Board

2026063 Authorizing condemnation proceeding to acquire a temporary easement on real property owned by 789 Salisbury Turnpike LLC in connection with Bridge M-20,

Salisbury Turnpike (CR 53) over Little Wappinger Creek replacement project, in the Town of Milan

Moved by Majority Leader Atkins, seconded by Assistant Majority Leader Munn.

A vote was called, and the consent agenda was adopted unanimously, with Legislators Caswell, Faust and Redl absent.

Chair Valdés Smith congratulated Dr. Santiago-Rosado on her reappointment.

RESOLUTION NO. 2026043

RE: CONFIRMING APPOINTMENT TO THE DUTCHESS COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, ALEXANDER, BRENDLI, CASWELL, GILES, LAWLER, REDL and RHODES offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, Section 12.03 of the Dutchess County Charter, entitled "Planning Board; Appointment; Vacancies", establishes an advisory Planning Board consisting of thirteen (13) members, all of whom shall be residents of Dutchess County; and

WHEREAS, Section 12.03 of the Dutchess County Charter, empowers the County Executive to appoint nine (9) of the thirteen (13) members, including one member from the City of Poughkeepsie and one member from the City of Beacon, subject to confirmation by the Dutchess County Legislature, and

WHEREAS, Section 12.03 of said Charter provides for the Dutchess County Legislature to appoint four (4) members to the Dutchess County Planning Board, and

WHEREAS, Section 12.03 of the Charter further empowers the County Executive and County Legislature to make appointments and reappointments, and all subsequent appointments to fill vacancies resulting from the expiration of terms shall be for a term of three years, and

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Planning Board currently has (1) County Executive vacancy to be filled, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the following individual be appointed to serve as a volunteer member of the Dutchess County Planning Board:

APPOINTMENT

Joseph Amendola



Poughkeepsie, New York 12601

TERM

CE Appointment

01/01/2026-12/31/2028

(Resume attached)

CA-031-26; LDF/rjw; G-0180; 3/3/2026; Fiscal Impact: See Attached

STATE OF NEW YORK

COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.

APPROVED:

Sue DeLuca  
SUSAN J. GERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

DATE: April 22, 2026

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



**EOIN WRAFTER, AICP**  
COMMISSIONER

**DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
**DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT**

To: Gregg Pulver, Deputy County Executive  
From: Jennifer Coccozza, Deputy Commissioner of Planning & Development  
Re: Reappointments & Appointment to the Dutchess County Planning Board  
Date: February 27, 2026

Enclosed please find a resolution request seeking the appointment of Joseph Amendola to the Dutchess County Planning Board.

This would be a CE Appointment.

His term will be January 1, 2026, through December 31, 2028.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

# FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

## APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS (To be completed by requesting department)

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds (check one):  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other (explain).

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

### Additional Comments/Explanation:

Appointment of one member to the Dutchess County Planning Board. No fiscal impact.

Prepared by: Jennifer Coccozza

Prepared On: 02/27/2026



# JOSEPH AMENDOLA

ENTREPRENEUR/DEVELOPER

## CONTACT



[REDACTED]



[REDACTED]



[REDACTED]

Poughkeepsie, NY 12603

## PROFESSIONAL OVERVIEW

Founder and president of a Hudson Valley-based construction and design-build firm specializing in high-end residential homes, with extensive experience delivering complex projects that require coordination with architects, engineers, municipal planning boards, Boards of Health, and other state and county agencies. Brings a practical, business-minded perspective to planning discussions, grounded in feasibility, real-world execution, and collaborative problem solving.

## EDUCATION

**Bachelor's degree**  
Marist College, 2006

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**The Amendola Group, Inc.**  
Founder and President  
2006 – Present

## SKILLS

- Business leadership and operations
- Construction and development management
- Project feasibility and cost analysis
- Strategic planning
- Regulatory coordination
- Public-private collaboration
- Developing and implementing systems
- Planning and design
- Communication at all levels
- Strong ethics and moral compass

### Primary Accomplishments:

- Delivered complex, high-end residential projects requiring coordination with architects, engineers, municipal planning boards, Boards of Health, historic boards, DEP and county and state agencies
- Managed projects involving zoning approvals, site planning, infrastructure considerations, and regulatory compliance
- Oversaw projects from early feasibility and budgeting through construction and completion
- Coordinated closely with public officials and inspectors to balance regulatory requirements with practical execution
- Designed and constructed the Market Street Park in Poughkeepsie, New York, working with municipal stakeholders on a public-facing civic improvement
- Built systems for budgeting, scheduling, and risk management across multiple concurrent projects
- Oversaw marketing, branding, and business development for the firm, aligning project vision, execution, and client experience
- Recruited, trained, and mentored employees from the ground up, supporting individuals in developing skills, confidence, and leadership capacity
- Built and led teams by identifying individual strengths and helping employees grow into roles aligned with their abilities and potential
- Translated conceptual ideas into executable projects, guiding developments from early visioning and feasibility through construction and completion
- Maintained long-term client relationships built on trust, consistency, and follow-through across multi-year engagements
- Provided ongoing construction, maintenance, and improvement services at the Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Estate and Library in Hyde Park, New York, working within the constraints and standards of a nationally significant historic site

## AWARDS

**Hudson Valley Business Excellence Awards-**  
Entrepreneur of the year  
2014

**Dutchess County 40 Under 40-**  
2014

### Business Structure and Governance:

- Established and manage multiple affiliated LLCs to support construction, development, and real estate projects through clear legal structuring and operational oversight

RESOLUTION NO. 2026044

RE: AMENDING THE 2026 ADOPTED COUNTY BUDGET AS IT PERTAINS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT AND THE SHARED SERVICES RESERVE FUND

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, BRENDLI, CASWELL, DARROW, GILES, KAUL, LAWLER, RHODES and SHAH offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 2017059, the Dutchess County Legislature established a reserve fund to carry out commitments of the Shared Services Grant Program (k/n/a Municipal Investment Grant (MIG) Program), which is administered by the Dutchess County Department of Planning & Development to allow the Department to carry out Program objectives which span multiple fiscal years, and

WHEREAS, by Resolution Nos. 2021136 and 2022195, the County Legislature authorized and empowered the Commissioner of Finance to transfer any and all appropriated but unexpended funds recorded in appropriation lines A.8020.4414 and A.8020.4414.1460, A.8020.4414.1470 as well as any new A.8020.4414 subaccounts, to the Program reserve fund at the close of the fiscal year, and

WHEREAS, the County plans to expend a portion of these funds for previously approved grants in the current calendar year and an appropriation of the Shared Services Reserve fund is necessary to provide funding for this purpose, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to amend the 2026 Adopted County Budget to increase \$1,500,000 in the Shared Services Reserve account (A.9998.95110.09) which will transfer \$1,418,400 in reserve funds to the Shared Services Grant Program, Prior Year Appropriated Reserves account (A.8020.4414.320) of the Department of Planning & Development to pay for the prior projects that are anticipated to be completed and reimbursed this year, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to amend the 2026 Adopted County Budget to increase \$81,600 in the Shared Services Grant Program, Law Enforcement & Public Safety account (A.8020.4414.1470) to cover additional personnel and fringe expenses related to a Town of Poughkeepsie police officer assigned to the Dutchess County Drug Task Force, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance is authorized, empowered and directed to transfer funds from the Shared Services Reserve to the Shared Services Prior Year Reserve, as further set forth below, as well as to transfer funds from the Shared Services Reserve to the Shared Services Grant Program, Law Enforcement & Public Safety, and it is further

RESOLVED, that pursuant to Resolution No. 2021136 and 2022195, the Commissioner of Finance is authorized, empowered and directed to transfer any unexpended funds in appropriation line Shared Services Prior Year Reserve back into the Shared Services Reserve at the close of the fiscal year, and be it further

ENVIRONMENT

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance is authorized, empowered and directed to amend the 2026 Adopted County Budget as follows:

APPROPRIATIONS

Increase

A.8020.4414.320	Shared Services Prior Year Reserve	\$1,418,400
A.8020.4414.1470	SSGP Law Enf. & Public Safety	<u>\$ 81,600</u>
		<u>\$1,500,000</u>

REVENUES

Increase

A.9998.95110.09	Shared Services Reserve	<u>\$1,500,000</u>
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CA-032-26  
LDF/rjw  
G-0179  
03/03/2026  
Fiscal Impact: See Attached

APPROVED

*Sue Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

ss:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 15 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of Apr-1, 2026.





*[Signature]*  
JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE


COORDINATION


Initialing indicates information only:

 County Executive

 County Attorney (as to form)

 for EW Planning

 for B Finance

 for DAB Comptroller

 Budget

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



**EOIN WRAFTER, AICP**  
COMMISSIONER

**DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT

To: A. Gregg Pulver, Deputy County Executive

From: Jennifer Coccozza, Deputy Commissioner of Planning & Development *JC*

Date: March 2, 2026

Re: Proposed Legislative Resolution – April 2026

Attached for your review and consideration is a resolution request to amend the 2026 Adopted County Budget to increase \$1,500,000 in A.9998.95110.09 which will transfer reserve funds to the budget as well as an increase of \$1,418,400 in line A.8020.4414.320 to pay for prior year projects that are anticipated to be completed and reimbursed this year and an increase of \$81,600 in line A.8020.4414.1470 to cover additional personnel and fringe expenses related to a Town of Poughkeepsie police officer assigned to the Dutchess County Drug Task Force.

The transfer of these funds will allow the Department of Planning & Development to carry out its commitment under the Shared Services Grant Program (k/n/a Municipal Investment Grant (MIG) Program).

Specific details are provided on the attached Resolution Request Form, Fiscal Impact Statement, and 2026 MIG Reserve Projects.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Attachments

C: Dutchess County Attorney's Office

# FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

## APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

(To be completed by requesting department)

Total Current Year Cost \$ 1,500,000

Total Current Year Revenue \$ 1,500,000  
and Source

Source of County Funds (check one):  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other (explain).

Identify Line Items(s):

A.9998.95110.09 +\$1,500,000

A.8020.4414.320 +\$1,418,400

A.8020.4414.1470 +\$81,600

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \$0  
Over Five Years: \$0

### Additional Comments/Explanation:

The Shared Services Grant Program (SSGP) awards grants to municipalities and taxing authorities that span multiple fiscal years. As such, A.8020.4414.320 - SSGP, Prior Year Appropriated Reserves was created for the appropriation of funds that carry over from prior fiscal years. Res. No. 2021136 established the process by which the Commissioner of Finance is authorized to transfer any unexpended funds in appropriation line Shared Service Prior Year Reserve to the Shared Services Reserve at the close of each fiscal year. In order to allow for reimbursement of projects whose funds have been transferred to the reserve account, a budget amendment in the amount of \$1,500,000 from A.9998.95110.09 is requested to allow the Department of Planning & Development to carry out its financial commitments under the Program. Further, additional funds are necessary to cover personnel and fringe expenses related to a Town of Poughkeepsie police officer assigned to the Dutchess County Drug Task Force.

Prepared by: Julia Kammerer, Department of Planning & Development Prepared On: 02/26/2026

<b>Award Year</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Anticipated 2026 Expenditures</b>
2023	Arlington Fire District and City of Poughkeepsie	Regional Technical Rescue Team Equipment Enhancement	\$9,957
2024	Arlington, Fairview, and LaGrange Fire Districts	Ballistic Protective Equipment	\$14,899
2023	Beacon Volunteer Ambulance Corps	UTV for Mountain Rescue Operations and Large-Scale Community Events	\$941
2025	City of Beacon Housing Authority	Senior Center Revitalization: Enhancing Comfort, Safety, and Engagement	\$19,881
2025	Dover, Town	Senior Recreation Program Facilities and Technology Improvements	\$12,784
2024	Dutchess County Department of Emergency Response	Active Shooter Training	\$64,438
2025	East Fishkill, Town	East Fishkill Community Center - Roof Replacement	\$57,000
2025	First Presbyterian Church of Pleasant Valley	Tri-Town Friendship Center Infrastructure Improvements	\$88,000
2022	Millbrook Fire Department	Permanent Training Facility	\$200,000
2022	Pleasant Valley Fire District	Fire Mill Pump Upgrade	\$30,000
2022	Pleasant Valley, Town	Accessible and Sustainable Restrooms to Enhance Town Parks	\$100,000

<b>Award Year</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Anticipated 2026 Expenditures</b>
2026	Poughkeepsie, Town	Dutchess County Drug Task Force	\$81,600
2025	Red Hook Community Center	Critical Accessibility Improvements: Bathrooms, Entryways, Parking Lot	\$120,000
2022	Red Hook, Village	Language Access Plan	\$32,604
2022	Tivoli Fire Company, Inc.	Tivoli Firehouse Capital Expansion	\$270,000
2021	Tivoli, Village	Sewer System Generator	\$50,000
2022	Tivoli, Village	ADA Compliant Improvements to Firehouse	\$90,000
2023	Tivoli, Village	Sustainable Upgrades to Firehouse	\$112,500
2025	Union Vale, Town	Modernizing for the Seniors	\$14,397
2025	Wappinger, Town	Senior Center Kitchen Expansion and Renovation	\$75,000
2025	Washington, Town	Senior Center Expansion and Renovation	\$56,000
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$1,500,000</b>

RESOLUTION NO. 2026045

RE: APPOINTMENT TO THE DUTCHESS COUNTY SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION BOARD

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, MUNN, BRENDLI, CASWELL, GILES, KAUL, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES, ROLISON, SHAH and TRESKA offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, vacancies exist or will exist on the Dutchess County Soil and Water Conservation Board for the county resident member; and

WHEREAS, Murray Johnson has expressed an interest in being appointed to said Board; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature does hereby appoint Murray Johnson to the Dutchess County Soil and Water Conservation Board for the term specified below:

Appointment

Term Expires

Murray Johnson



Poughquag, NY, 12570

12/31/2027

APPROVED

*Sue Serino*

SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date: April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026 and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*Julie Hiroisi II*  
JULIE HIROISI II, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

# FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

## APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS (To be completed by requesting department)

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds (check one):  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other (explain).

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments/Explanation:

Prepared by: Yvette Valdes Smith Prepared On: 3/13/26

# A MURRAY JOHNSON

**POUGHQUAG, NY. 12570**

I have been a resident in Beekman for over 25 years. I worked for IBM which took me to California, Texas, Massachusetts and finally, New York. After 38 years with IBM, I retired in 2018 to become a caretaker for my elderly parents who lived up the street. During my time in Dutchess County, I have come to appreciate the people, the history and beautiful environment. I want to contribute in a positive way to keep our county and residents thriving.

## LEADERSHIP

I was a successful leader at IBM. I provided support to employees to enhance their skills, knowledge, confidence and ability to take risks so they can achieve successful careers in *any* field.

## SKILLS

- Building Teams across multiple disciplines
- Organization
- Coaching
- Negotiation

## WEAKNESS

- Impatience!

## CONTACT

██████████  
 Poughquag, NY. 12570  
 ██████████  
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## EXPERIENCE

**IBM – DATA CENTER SUPPORT** 2016-2018  
 Liaison between the Data Center division and procurement. Objective was to continuously reduce costs while providing quality services to our customer. Saved \$25+M over 2 years.

**IBM – PROCUREMENT** 1994-2016  
 Led several procurement organizations in Texas and New York. Sourced products and services to qualified suppliers, continuously reduced costs and managed supplier relations. Responsible for procuring over \$6B in yearly spending

**IBM – ENGINEERING** 1980-1994  
 Designed, installed and enhanced production equipment and processes to increase productivity. At one time, led over 200 people in new product introduction, card design, production control, line personnel, engineering, maintenance and statistical process control.

**DREXELBROOK ENGINEERING** **SUMMERS 1975-1979**  
 Drexelbrook designed and produced state of the art industrial level indicators. Worked as a machinist and engineering aid as summer jobs.

## EDUCATION

**MS MECHANICAL ENGINEERING – GEORGIA TECH**  
 Graduated Summa Cum Laude

**BS MECHANICAL ENGINEERING – UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA**  
 Graduated *with highest honors* (summa cum laude)  
 Member Sigma Xi, Tau Beta Pi, Pi Tau Sigma

## TOWN ACTIVITIES

Served on the Beekman Zoning Board – 10 years

RESOLUTION NO. 2026046

RE: APPROVAL OF APPLICATION TO CORRECT TAX ROLL  
AND TO ORDER THE LOCAL TAX COLLECTOR TO  
ISSUE A CORRECTED TAX BILL

APPLICANT: Innisfree Foundation, Inc.  
P.O. Box 970  
Millbrook, NY 12545

ACCOUNT NO.: 134400-6563-02-965686-0000

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, BRENDLI, CASWELL, DARROW, LAWLER, REDL and RHODES offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, there is an assessment on the January 2026 County/Town Tax roll for the Town of Pleasant Valley under the name of Innisfree Foundation, Inc., Account No. 134400-6563-02-965686-0000, and

WHEREAS, the owner of said parcel, by application attached hereto, has applied for a correction of real property taxes on the basis of an alleged error in unlawful entry of said assessment, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 554 of the Real Property Tax Law, the County Director of Real Property Tax Service has investigated this claim and it has been determined and certified by said Director that the tax bill, as issued, is incorrect due to the unlawful entry, and

WHEREAS, attached hereto is the written report of said Director together with her recommendation that the application be approved by the County Legislature, and

WHEREAS, the County Legislature has agreed that an unlawful entry does exist, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the application received January 30, 2026, relating to Account No. 134400-6563-02-965686-0000 for a corrected tax roll is hereby approved, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the County Legislature be and she hereby is authorized and directed to send a copy of this resolution to the applicant and to the Town Tax Collector, directing said Tax Collector to issue a corrected tax bill as follows and attach a copy of this resolution to the warrant:

BUDGET, FINANCE, AND PERSONNEL

Municipality	Assessed Value	Exempt Amt.	Taxable Value	Corrected Tax
Dutchess County	387,600	387,600	0	0.00
Town of Pleasant Valley	387,600	387,600	0	0.00
Library Tax	387,600	387,600	0	0.00
Pleasant Valley Fire	387,600	387,600	0	0.00
Pleasant Valley Amb	387,600	387,600	0	0.00
Returned School				0.00
			TOTAL:	\$ 0.00

and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Tax Collector be instructed to return the unpaid portion as being erroneous when the accounts are settled with the Commissioner of Finance at the expiration of the warrant, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance be and hereby is authorized and directed to charge-back the erroneous taxes after settlement with the collector at the expiration of the warrant as follows:

A342 Allow. For Uncoll. Taxes \$840.51  
 A440 Arlington Central School Dist \$12,007.23

TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT \$12,847.74

CA-023-26  
 EMW/MB/mar/rjw  
 G-0194  
 02/25/2026  
 Fiscal Impact: See Attached

APPROVED  
  
 SUSAN J. SERINO  
 COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date April 22, 2026

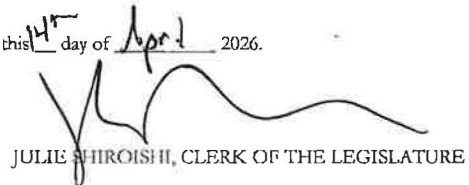
STATE OF NEW YORK  
 COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

ss:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 15 day of April, 2026 and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2026.



  
 JULIE AHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

COORDINATION

Initialing indicates information only:

 County Executive

EW County Attorney (as to form)

aw/ewRPT

JF/ewFinance

DAB/awComptroller

 Budget

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



**HEIDI SEELBACH**  
COMMISSIONER  
**CATHERINE WEISSE**  
DIRECTOR

**DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES DIVISION

Date: February 18, 2026  
To: Sue Serino, County Executive  
From: Catherine Weisse, Director, RPTS CW  
Re: Resolution Request for April 13, 2026 Meeting

Please accept this memo along with my backup documentation as my request for a resolution for approval of a corrected tax bill.

Pursuant to RPTL §554(5), the tax levying body shall review applications filed by the property owner along with my investigative reports and either approve or deny the application. If the application is approved, they must make an order setting forth the corrected taxes and directing the officer having jurisdiction of the tax roll to make such correction.

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### FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

#### APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS *(To be completed by requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds *(check one)*:  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other *(explain)*.

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_

Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments/Explanation:

Correction of a January 2026 County/Town tax bill due to an unlawful entry on the tax roll.

Prepared by: Catherine Weisse

Prepared On: 2/18/26

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# Dutchess County Real Property Tax Services

## Correction of Errors Investigative Report

Legal Description (Grid #): 134400-6563-02-965686-0000

Owner's Name: Innisfree Foundation Inc.

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 970 Millbrook NY 12545

Property Location: 315 Tyrrel Lake Rd.

School District: Arlington Central School Dist. Special District: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Assessed Value on roll: 387,600 Corrected to: Same

Taxable Assessed Value on roll: 0 Corrected to: Same

Exemptions and amounts, if applicable:

Non-Profit 387,600

Amount Levied: \$12,847.74 Should be: 0.00

Tax Bill Paid:  Yes  No

Error Claimed is defined in Real Property Tax Law §550:

- Subdivision 2, Paragraph \_\_\_\_ (clerical error)
- Subdivision 3, Paragraph \_\_\_\_ (error in essential fact)
- Subdivision 7, Paragraph A (unlawful entry)

Reason:

- Exemption was approved by assessor, but not entered on roll
- Exemption amount incorrectly calculated
- Assessed value on roll does not match assessor's final work product
- Structure did not exist on taxable status date or was present on another parcel
- Assessment based on incorrect acreage
- Parcel should be Wholly Exempt
- Parcel Misclassified as homestead or non-homestead
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation:  **APPROVE APPLICATION**  **DENY APPLICATION**

Details:

It is recommended that the application for a corrected 2025/26 County/Town tax bill be approved.

Investigator: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: Cathy Wilson

Date: 2/17/26

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JAN 30 2026



Department of Taxation and Finance  
Office of Real Property Tax Services

Application for Corrected Tax Roll

RP-554  
DC REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES (12/19)

Part 1 - General information: To be completed in duplicate by the applicant.

Names of owners <i>Innis Free Foundation, Inc.</i>	
Mailing address of owners (number and street or PO box) <i>P.O. Box 970</i>	Location of property (street address) <i>315 Tyrrel Lake Rd</i>
City, village, or post office <i>Millbrook</i>	State <i>NY</i>
State <i>NY</i>	ZIP code <i>12545</i>
City, town, or village <i>Pleasant Valley NY</i>	State <i>NY</i>
ZIP code <i>12578</i>	
Daytime contact number <i>914-204-9318</i>	Evening contact number
Account number (as appears on tax bill)	Tax map number of section/block/lot: Property identification (see tax bill or assessment roll) <i>6563-02-965686</i>
Amount of taxes currently billed	
Reasons for requesting a correction to tax roll:	

I hereby request a correction of tax levied by \_\_\_\_\_ for the year(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
(County, city, village, etc.)

Signature of applicant <i>[Signature]</i>	Date <i>1/24/2026</i>
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Part 2 - To be completed by the County Director or Village Assessor. Attach a written report including documentation and recommendation. Specify the type of error and paragraph of subdivision 2, 3, or 7 of Section 550 under which the error falls.

Date application received <i>1/30/26</i>	Period of warrant for collection of taxes <i>12/17/25</i>
Last day for collection of taxes without interest <i>2/28/26</i>	Recommendation Approve application <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deny application <input type="checkbox"/>
Signature of official <i>Cathy Weiss</i>	Date <i>2/17/26</i>

If approved, the County Director must file a copy of this form with the assessor and board of assessment review of the city/town/village of \_\_\_\_\_ who must consider the attached report and recommendation as equivalent of petitions filed under section 553.

Part 3 - For use by the tax levying body or official designated by resolution \_\_\_\_\_  
(insert number or date, if applicable)

Application approved (mark an X in the applicable box):

Clerical error  Error in essential fact  Unlawful Entry

Amount of taxes currently billed	Corrected tax
Date notice of approval mailed to applicant	Date order transmitted to collecting officer

Application denied (reason): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of chief executive officer or official designated by resolution	Date
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### Instructions

#### General information

##### Where to send

Submit two copies of this application to the County Director of Real Property Tax Services (in Nassau and Tompkins Counties, submit to Chief Assessing Officer).

##### When to send

Submit the application only **before** the collection warrant expires.

##### Wholly exempt parcel

Attach statement signed by assessor or majority of board of assessors substantiating that assessor obtained proof that parcel should have been granted tax exempt status on tax roll.

#### Payment requirements

You may pay without interest and penalties **only** if:

- the application was filed with the County Director on or before the last day that taxes may be paid without interest (see *Date application received* in Part 2); and
- you pay the corrected tax within eight days of the date on which the notice of approval is mailed to the applicant (see Part 3).

If either of these conditions is not satisfied, interest, penalties, or both must be paid on the corrected tax.

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#### For use by Collecting Officer:

Order from tax levying body received on \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Corrected tax due	Date tax roll corrected
Interest and penalties (if applicable)	Date tax bill corrected
Total corrected tax due	Date application and order added to tax roll
Date payment received	

Signature of collecting officer	Date
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### Assessor Statement for Correction of Error

This form or a letter signed by the assessor must be submitted for every requested Correction of Error.

I, Garth J. Stocum, assessor for the Town/City of Albany Valley, Dutchess County, believe that the assessment or taxable assessment on following parcel is **incorrect** and may be corrected per RPTL §550:

Roll Year:	2025
Grid No:	6563-02-965686
Owner:	Innistree Foundation
School District:	Arlington CSD

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DC REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES

An explanation of the error and how it occurred is as follows: (Be specific)

The exemption code was not entered. Didn't realize there was more than one application.

Current Assessment:		Corrected Assessment:	
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Current Exempt Amount:	0	Corrected Exempt Amount:	387,600
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Other: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby request that the County Director make a recommendation to the tax levying body to correct such error.

Date: 1/28/26 Signature of Assessor: \_\_\_\_\_

Along with a copy of the Tax Bill, proof of error **MUST** accompany this affidavit, as applicable:

- ✓ 1. Exemption application indicating approval/denial
- 2. Copy of property record card, workbook or other final work product
- ✓ 3. Verified statement of BAR (for grievance changes not appearing on final roll)
- 4. Any other documentation requested by the Director to complete the investigation

Collection: Town & County 2026

Fiscal Year Start: 1/1/2026

Fiscal Year End: 12/31/2026

Warrant Date: 12/17/2025

**Total Tax Due (minus penalties & interest)** \$12,847.74

Tax Bill #	SWIS	Tax Map #	Status
003401	134400	6563-02-965686-0000	Unpaid
Address		Municipality	School
315 Tyrrel Lake Rd		Town of Pleasant Valley	Arlington CSD

Owners	Property Information	Assessment Information	
Innisfree Foundation Inc	<b>Roll Section:</b> 8	<b>Full Market Value:</b>	628200.00
PO Box 970	<b>Property Class:</b> Rural vac>10	<b>Total Assessed Value:</b>	387600.00
Millbrook, NY 12545	<b>Lot Size:</b> 48.40	<b>Uniform %:</b>	61.70

Exemption	Amount
Non Profit	387600.00

Description	Tax Levy	Percent Change	Taxable Value	Rate	Tax Amount
**NON-HOMESTEAD PARCEL**		0.0000	0.000	0.00000000	\$0.00
County Tax	107014305	4.8000	0.000	3.42111300	\$0.00
Town Tax	1845823	-3.5000	0.000	1.79006700	\$0.00
Library Tax	537000	2.3000	0.000	0.52077900	\$0.00
Pleasant Valley Fire	2129759	15.4000	0.000	1.99294700	\$0.00
Pleasant Valley Amb	505857	5.0000	0.000	0.47336200	\$0.00
Ret 2025 School Tax	0	0.0000	0.000	0.00000000	\$12,847.74

**Total Taxes: \$12,847.74**

FULL PAYMENT OPTION

From:	To:	Tax Amount	Penalty	Notice Fee	Total Due
Jan 06	Feb 28, 2026	\$12,847.74	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12,847.74
Mar 01	Mar 31, 2026	\$12,847.74	\$256.95	\$0.00	\$13,104.69
Apr 01	Apr 30, 2026	\$12,847.74	\$385.43	\$0.00	\$13,233.17

Estimated State Aid - Type	Amount
County	123740526.00
Town	357790.00



Property and summary tax balance information for the selected parcel is shown to the right. Exemptions are displayed as well if they exist for the property.

You can view or hide tax bill detail and any payments by clicking the bar near the bottom of the page.

If the property appears in other tax years, you can quickly view the tax history for the property. Just select a tax year from the drop-down list at the top of the page

To request a signed Tax Certification, click the "Request Signed Certificate" button at the bottom of the page.

[Re-enter search conditions](#)

For Tax Year: 2025 School Tax (2025-2026) Last Updated: 11/05/25 12:12 pm

<b>Owner:</b> Innisfree Foundation Inc PO Box 970 Millbrook, NY 12545	<b>Tax Map #</b> 6563-02-965686-0000 <b>Tax Bill #</b> 001203 <b>Bank Code:</b> <b>School Code:</b> 134601 <b>Property Class:</b> 322	<b>Tax Roll:</b> 1						
<b>Location:</b> 315 Tyrrel Lake Rd SWIS: 134400 Pleasant Valley	<b>Acreage:</b> 48.4 <b>Frontage:</b> <b>Depth:</b>	<b>Liber:</b> 22025 <b>Page:</b> 607						
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Code</th> <th>Description</th> <th>Exemption</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>47450</td> <td>FOREST/B74</td> <td>47,328</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Code	Description	Exemption	47450	FOREST/B74	47,328	<b>Full Value:</b> 628,200 <b>Assessment:</b> 387,600 <b>STAR Savings:</b> 0.00 <b>Tax Amount:</b> 11,771.79	<b>Tax Paid:</b> 0.00 <b>Balance:</b> 11,771.79
Code	Description	Exemption						
47450	FOREST/B74	47,328						

(Hide Bill and Payment Details)

Tax Description	Tax Levy	Taxable Value	Rate (100%)	Tax Amount
School Taxes (Non-Homestead)	160,335,261	340,272	34.595228	11,771.79

**Tax Balance does not include any accrued Late Fees**  
**Payments shown may not include payments made directly to the County**

[Late Fee Schedule](#) | [Tax Certification](#)



NYS DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION & FINANCE  
OFFICE OF REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES

APPLICATION FOR REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR  
NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS  
II - PROPERTY USE

Innisfree Foundation, Inc. 1 a. Name of organization PO Box 970	13-1972195 2. Employer ID no Laura Palmer
Millbrook, NY 12545 b. Mailing address 315 Tyrrel Lake Road	3a. Name of contact person 914.204.9318 b. Day telephone no. of contact person 914.204.9318
Pleasant Valley, NY c. Address of property	Evening telephone no. lpalmer@innisfreegarden.org c. E-mail address (optional)

d. Property identification (see tax bill or assessment roll) Tax map number or section/block/lot 6563-02-965686

- 4 a. Has any part of this property been conveyed to another person or organization?  Yes  No  
 b. Is the property or any part thereof under contract for sale?  Yes  No  
 c. Is the property or any part thereof for sale?  Yes  No  
 d. If answer to 4 a, b, or c is yes, give full details (indicate question letter): \_\_\_\_\_

5. Name of grantee as set forth in deed by which property was acquired if different from answer to question 1.  
N/A

6. If the property was acquired within the last three (3) years, indicate: Date of acquisition: ~~N/A~~ 2/28/2015  
Deed recording information - Book of Deeds: \_\_\_\_\_ Page: \_\_\_\_\_  
*\* with equal Tom recorded deed*

7. Was the property acquired from anyone who has or had any interest in the owning organization (e.g., officer, director, employee, member, etc.)?  Yes  No

If yes, explain the relationship and circumstances of sale (including purchase price and terms of sale):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

8. Is the property mortgaged?  Yes  No
- a. If yes, does the holder of the mortgage presently (or did it formerly) have any interest in the owning organization?  Yes  No
- b. If answer to 8a is yes, explain the relationship and details of mortgage(s), original principal amount, principal currently outstanding, interest rate, original term of mortgage, term remaining: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(attach additional sheets if necessary)

**FOR ASSESSOR'S USE**

Assessing unit _____	County _____
City/Town _____	Village _____
School District _____	

9. Does any person or organization have a reversionary interest in this property?  Yes  No

a. If yes, indicate name and address of such person and state terms of right of reverter: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

10. Describe, in detail, use or uses of the property: Passive public use. Preservation of open space, wildlife enjoyment of nature, flora and fauna and educational opportunities.

IF THE ORGANIZATION SEEKING EXEMPTION HAS INDICATED ONE OF ITS CORPORATE PURPOSES IS HOSPITAL IN QUESTION 2a. ON FORM RP-420-a-Org, ANSWER QUESTION 11. IF NOT SKIP TO 12.

11. Are the premises or any portion thereof leased or otherwise occupied as professional offices?  Yes  No

If yes, answer a through c.

a. The professional offices are leased or otherwise occupied by: (1)  members of the staff, e.g. doctors  
 (2)  professionals not on the staff of the hospital (3)  a combination of 1 and 2

b. If leased to members of the staff, are the offices used: (1)  solely for hospital related matters  
 (2)  for the private practice of the staff members (3)  a combination of 1 and 2

c. If not used solely for direct-hospital related purposes, what percentage of time and space are the offices used for direct hospital-related purposes, and what percentage of time and space are they used for private practice of the staff? \_\_\_\_\_

12. Is the property or any portion thereof regularly occupied by persons or organizations other than applicant?

Yes  No

If yes, answer a through d.

a. Name of occupant(s) \_\_\_\_\_

b. Use by occupant(s) (also indicate specific portion of property so occupied): \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

c. Term(s) of occupancy (e.g. one-year lease, month-to-month tenancy): \_\_\_\_\_

d. Amount of rental paid by occupant(s) \_\_\_\_\_

13. Is the property or any portion thereof occasionally used by persons or organizations other than the applicant?

Yes  No

If yes, state use and indicate specific portion of property used, frequency of use and fee charged or contributions received for use: We do anticipate allowing limited access for visitors to Innisfree Garden.

14. Are there any buildings or other improvements on the property?  Yes  No

If yes, skip questions a through e. If no, answer a-e and skip questions 15-16.

a. Use or uses of property if not described in question 10. \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

b. Are building or other improvements contemplated on this unimproved land?  Yes  No  
 If yes, give full details including proposed use(s): Small buildings not to exceed 200 sq. ft. for storage of equipment, supplies and materials necessary to maintain the property

- c. Do the minutes of the organization contain a resolution(s) authorizing contemplated building or other improvements?  Yes  No  
If yes, attach a copy of resolution(s).
  - d. State detailed financial resources for contemplating buildings or other improvements (including building fund). N/A
  - e. When will construction begin? N/A
15. Describe, briefly, the building(s) or other improvements: \_\_\_\_\_
- a. Approximate acreage of land not underlying buildings or other improvements: \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Use or uses of land referred to in 15a. if not described in question 10. \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Are buildings or other improvements contemplated on this unimproved land?  Yes  No  
If yes, give full details including proposed use(s): \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Do the minutes of the organization contain a resolution authorizing contemplated buildings or other improvements?  Yes  No If yes, attach copy of resolution(s)
  - e. State financial resources for contemplated buildings or other improvements (including building fund). \_\_\_\_\_
  - f. When will construction begin? \_\_\_\_\_
16. Are there any unoccupied buildings or other improvements on this property?  Yes  No
- a. Date(s) they became unoccupied \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Describe contemplated use(s) of the buildings or other improvements: \_\_\_\_\_

**VERIFICATION**

State of New York

County of Dutchess ss:

Laura Palmer, being duly sworn, says that 5 he is the Executive Director of the applicant organization, that the statements contained in this application (including the attached sheets consisting of 3 pages) are true and correct and complete, and that 5 he makes this application for real property tax exemption as provided by law.

Laura Palmer  
Signature of owner or authorized representative

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 29 day of February 2025

Commissioner of deeds or notary public  
ALLAN B. RAPPLEYEA  
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York  
Reg. No. 5008140

**GENERAL INFORMATION AND FILING REQUIREMENTS**

**1. Tax exemption for nonprofit organizations under section 420-a or 420-b of the Real Property Tax Law**

Real property owned by a corporation or association organized or conducted exclusively for religious, charitable, hospital, educational, moral or mental improvement of men, women or children, or for two or more such purposes, and used exclusively for carrying out thereupon one or more such purposes, is exempt from taxation pursuant to section 420-a.

Unless a municipality has chosen to make it taxable, real property owned by a corporation or association organized exclusively for bible, tract, benevolent, missionary, infirmary, public playground, scientific, literary, bar association, medical society, library, patriotic or historical purposes, for the development of good sportsmanship for persons under the age of eighteen years through the conduct of supervised athletic games, for the enforcement of laws relating to children or animals, or for two or more such purposes, and used exclusively for carrying out one or more such purposes, is exempt from taxation pursuant to section 420-b.

**2. APPLICATION**

A two-part application must be filed in each assessing unit in which exemption is sought: Form RP-420-b-Org (I-Organization purpose) and form RP-420-a/b-Use (II-Property use). One copy of Form RP-420-b-Org must be filed in each assessing unit. One copy of Form RP-420-a/b-Use must be filed in each assessing unit for each separately assessed parcel for which exemption is sought. Each year following the year in which exemption is granted on the basis of this application, renewal forms RP-420-a/b-Rnw-I and RP-420a/b-Rnw-II must be filed.

If you need more space for any item in the application, attach additional sheets and indicate the question(s) to which you are responding. Please give your name and employer identification number on all attachments. The assessor may request information in addition to the information contained in the application.

For purposes of section 420-a, the same forms may be used (except RP-420-a-Org replaces RP-420-b-Org). In the alternative, the owner may submit proof of exempt status to the assessor in whatever form is mutually acceptable.

**3. Place of filing application**

Application for exemption from city, town, or village taxes must be filed with the city, town, or village assessor. Application for exemption from county or school district taxes must be filed with the city or town assessor who prepares the assessment roll used in levying county or school taxes. In Nassau County, applications must be filed with the Nassau County Board of Assessors. In Tompkins County, applications must be filed with the Tompkins County Division of Assessment.

**Do not file with the Office of Real Property Tax Services.**

**4. Time of filing application**

For purposes of section 420-b, the application must be filed in the assessor's office on or before the appropriate taxable status date. For purposes of section 420-a, the application should be filed on or before such date. In towns preparing their assessment roll in accordance with the schedule provided by the Real Property Tax Law, the taxable status date is March 1. In towns in Nassau County, the taxable status date is January 2. Westchester County towns have either a May 1 or June 1 taxable status date; contact the assessor. In villages and cities, the taxable status dates vary, and the appropriate assessor should be consulted for the correct date. In New York City, property acquired by an organization exempt pursuant to either of these sections may receive exemption as of the date of its acquisition; application for exemption should be filed promptly.

**SPACE BELOW FOR ASSESSOR'S USE**

Parcel identification no.(s)

Applicant organization

Employer ID no.

Date application filed

Application  Approved  Disapproved

Assessed Valuation \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Taxable \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Exempt

Documentary evidence presented:

Assessing unit

Assessor's signature

Date

**Correction**  
 Town of Pleasant Valley  
 2025/26 C/T Tax Bill

**Grid Number:** 134400-6563-02-965686-0000  
**Name:** Innisfree Foundation Inc.  
**Location:** 315 Tyrrel Lake Rd.

Currently on Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
Dutchess County	387,600	387,600	-	0.003421113	-
Town of Pleasant Valley	387,600	387,600	-	0.001790067	-
Pleasant Valley Library	387,600	387,600	-	0.000520779	-
Pleasant Valley Fire	387,600	387,600	-	0.001992947	-
Pleasant Valley Ambulance	387,600	387,600	-	0.000473362	-
			-		-
			-		-
			-		-
			-		-
		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax	11,771.79	235.44	12,007.23	840.51	12,847.74
Arlington Central School Dist					
				<b>Total Tax on Current Roll</b>	<b>12,847.74</b>

Corrected Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
Dutchess County	387,600	387,600	-	0.003421113	-
Town of Pleasant Valley	387,600	387,600	-	0.001790067	-
Pleasant Valley Library	387,600	387,600	-	0.000520779	-
Pleasant Valley Fire	387,600	387,600	-	0.001992947	-
Pleasant Valley Ambulance	387,600	387,600	-	0.000473362	-
			-		-
			-		-
			-		-
			-		-
		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax					-
				<b>Total Tax on Corrected Roll</b>	<b>-</b>

<b>Chargeback</b>	A342 Allow. For Uncoll. Taxes	840.51
	A430 Town of Pleasant Valley	-
		-
	A440 Arlington Central School Dist	12,007.23
	<b>TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT:</b>	<b>12,847.74</b>

COUNTY ATTORNEY  
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RESOLUTION NO. 2026047

RE: APPROVAL OF APPLICATION TO CORRECT TAX ROLL  
AND TO ORDER THE LOCAL TAX COLLECTOR TO  
ISSUE A CORRECTED TAX BILL

APPLICANT: Innisfree Foundation, Inc.  
P.O. Box 970  
Millbrook, NY 12545

ACCOUNT NO.: 134400-6563-04-829450-0000

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, BRENDLI, CASWELL, DARROW, LAWLER, REDL and RHODES offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, there is an assessment on the January 2026 County/Town Tax roll for the Town of Pleasant Valley under the name of Innisfree Foundation, Inc., Account No. 134400-6563-04-829450-0000, and

WHEREAS, the owner of said parcel, by application attached hereto, has applied for a correction of real property taxes on the basis of an alleged error in unlawful entry of said assessment, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 554 of the Real Property Tax Law, the County Director of Real Property Tax Service has investigated this claim and it has been determined and certified by said Director that the tax bill, as issued, is incorrect due to the unlawful entry, and

WHEREAS, attached hereto is the written report of said Director together with her recommendation that the application be approved by the County Legislature, and

WHEREAS, the County Legislature has agreed that an unlawful entry does exist, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the application received January 30, 2026, relating to Account No. 134400-6563-04-829450-0000 for a corrected tax roll is hereby approved, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the County Legislature be and she hereby is authorized and directed to send a copy of this resolution to the applicant and to the Town Tax Collector, directing said Tax Collector to issue a corrected tax bill as follows and attach a copy of this resolution to the warrant:

BUDGET, FINANCE, AND PERSONNEL

<u>Municipality</u>	<u>Assessed Value</u>	<u>Exempt Amt.</u>	<u>Taxable Value</u>	<u>Corrected Tax</u>
Dutchess County	409,200	409,200	0	0.00
Town of Pleasant Valley	409,200	409,200	0	0.00
Library Tax	409,200	409,200	0	0.00
Pleasant Valley Fire	409,200	409,200	0	0.00
Pleasant Valley Amb	409,200	409,200	0	0.00
Returned School				0.00
			TOTAL:	\$ 0.00

and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Tax Collector be instructed to return the unpaid portion as being erroneous when the accounts are settled with the Commissioner of Finance at the expiration of the warrant, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance be and hereby is authorized and directed to charge-back the erroneous taxes after settlement with the collector at the expiration of the warrant as follows:

A342	Allow. For Uncoll. Taxes	\$202.15
A440	Arlington Central School Dist	<u>\$2,887.90</u>

TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT \$3,090.05

CA-024-26  
EMW/MB/mar/rjw  
G-0194  
02/25/2026  
Fiscal Impact: See Attached

APPROVED

*Susan J. Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

ss:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 15 day of April 2026 and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April 2026.



*Julie Thiroishi*  
JULIE THIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

## COORDINATION

Initialing indicates information only:

CE County Executive

EMW County Attorney (as to form)

cw/EMWRPT

JF/EMWFinance

DAB/EMWComptroller

Sm Budget

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



**HEIDI SEELBACH**  
COMMISSIONER  
**CATHERINE WEISSE**  
DIRECTOR

**DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES DIVISION

Date: February 18, 2026

To: Sue Serino, County Executive

From: Catherine Weisse, Director, RPTS *CW*

Re: Resolution Request for April 13, 2026 Meeting

Please accept this memo along with my backup documentation as my request for a resolution for approval of a corrected tax bill.

Pursuant to RPTL §554(5), the tax levying body shall review applications filed by the property owner along with my investigative reports and either approve or deny the application. If the application is approved, they must make an order setting forth the corrected taxes and directing the officer having jurisdiction of the tax roll to make such correction.

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### FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

#### APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS *(To be completed by requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds *(check one)*:  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other *(explain)*.

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments/Explanation:  
Correction of a January 2026 County/Town tax bill due to an unlawful entry on the tax roll.

Prepared by: Catherine Weisse Prepared On: 2/18/26

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# Dutchess County Real Property Tax Services

## Correction of Errors Investigative Report

Legal Description (Grid #): 134400-6563-04-829450-0000

Owner's Name: Innisfree Foundation Inc.

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 970 Millbrook NY 12545

Property Location: Tyrrel Lake Rd.

School District: Arlington Central School Dist. Special District: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Assessed Value on roll: 409,200 Corrected to: Same

Taxable Assessed Value on roll: 0 Corrected to: Same

Exemptions and amounts, if applicable:

Non-Profit 409,200

Amount Levied: \$3,090.05 Should be: 0.00

Tax Bill Paid:  Yes  No

Error Claimed is defined in Real Property Tax Law §550:

- Subdivision 2, Paragraph \_\_\_\_ (clerical error)
- Subdivision 3, Paragraph \_\_\_\_ (error in essential fact)
- Subdivision 7, Paragraph A (unlawful entry)

Reason:

- Exemption was approved by assessor, but not entered on roll
- Exemption amount incorrectly calculated
- Assessed value on roll does not match assessor's final work product
- Structure did not exist on taxable status date or was present on another parcel
- Assessment based on incorrect acreage
- Parcel should be Wholly Exempt
- Parcel Misclassified as homestead or non-homestead
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation:  APPROVE APPLICATION  DENY APPLICATION

Details:

It is recommended that the application for a corrected 2025/26 County/Town tax bill be approved.

Investigator: Margaret Burns Director: Cathy Weiss Date: 2/18/26



Department of Taxation and Finance  
Office of Real Property Tax Services

# Application for Corrected Tax Roll

**RP-554**  
**RECEIVED** (12/19)

JAN 30 2026

**Part 1 – General Information:** To be completed in duplicate by the applicant.

Names of owners <b>Innisfree Foundation, Inc.</b>			DC REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES		
Mailing address of owners (number and street or PO box) <b>P.O. Box 970</b>					
City, village, or post office <b>millbrook</b>		State <b>NY</b>	ZIP code <b>12545</b>		City, town, or village <b>Pleasant Valley NY</b>
Daytime contact number <b>914-204-9318</b>		Evening contact number		Tax map number of section/block/lot: Property identification (see tax bill or assessment roll) <b>6563-04-809450</b>	
Account number (as appears on tax bill)			Amount of taxes currently billed		
Reasons for requesting a correction to tax roll:					

I hereby request a correction of tax levied by \_\_\_\_\_ for the year(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
(County, city, village, etc.)

Signature of applicant 	Date <b>1/28/2026</b>
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**Part 2 – To be completed by the County Director or Village Assessor.** Attach a written report including documentation and recommendation. Specify the type of error and paragraph of subdivision 2, 3, or 7 of Section 550 under which the error falls.

Date application received <b>1/30/26</b>	Period of warrant for collection of taxes <b>12/17/25</b>
Last day for collection of taxes without interest <b>2/28/26</b>	Recommendation Approve application <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deny application <input type="checkbox"/>
Signature of official <b>Cathy Weisse</b>	Date <b>2/5/26</b>

If approved, the County Director must file a copy of this form with the assessor and board of assessment review of the city/town/village of \_\_\_\_\_ who must consider the attached report and recommendation as equivalent of petitions filed under section 553.

**Part 3 – For use by the tax levying body or official designated by resolution \_\_\_\_\_:**  
(insert number or date, if applicable)

Application approved (mark an X in the applicable box):

Clerical error  Error in essential fact  Unlawful Entry

Amount of taxes currently billed	Corrected tax
Date notice of approval mailed to applicant	Date order transmitted to collecting officer

Application denied (reason): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of chief executive officer, or official designated by resolution	Date
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## Instructions

### General information

#### Where to send

Submit two copies of this application to the County Director of Real Property Tax Services (In Nassau and Tompkins Counties, submit to Chief Assessing Officer).

#### When to send

Submit the application only before the collection warrant expires.

#### Wholly exempt parcel

Attach statement signed by assessor or majority of board of assessors substantiating that assessor obtained proof that parcel should have been granted tax exempt status on tax roll.

### Payment requirements

You may pay without interest and penalties only if:

- the application was filed with the County Director on or before the last day that taxes may be paid without interest (see *Date application received* in Part 2); and
- you pay the corrected tax within eight days of the date on which the notice of approval is mailed to the applicant (see Part 3).

If either of these conditions is not satisfied, interest, penalties, or both must be paid on the corrected tax.

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### For use by Collecting Officer:

Order from tax levying body received on \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Corrected tax due	Date tax roll corrected
Interest and penalties (if applicable)	Date tax bill corrected
Total corrected tax due	Date application and order added to tax roll
Date payment received	

Signature of collecting officer	Date
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### Assessor Statement for Correction of Error

This form or a letter signed by the assessor must be submitted for every requested Correction of Error.

I, Grant J. Stewm, assessor for the Town/City of Pleasant Valley, Dutchess County, believe that the assessment or taxable assessment on following parcel is **incorrect** and may be corrected per RPTL §550:

Roll Year:	2025
Grid No:	6563-04-829450
Owner:	INNISTREE FOUNDATION
School District:	ARLINGTON CSD

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TAX SERVICES

An explanation of the error and how it occurred is as follows: (Be specific)

The exemption code was not entered didn't realize there was more than one application.

Current Assessment:


Corrected Assessment:

Current Exempt Amount:

Corrected Exempt Amount:

Other:

I hereby request that the County Director make a recommendation to the tax levying body to correct such error.

Date: 1/28/26 Signature of Assessor: 

Along with a copy of the Tax Bill, proof of error **MUST** accompany this affidavit, as applicable:

- ✓ 1. Exemption application indicating approval/denial
- 2. Copy of property record card, workbook or other final work product
- ✓ 3. Verified statement of BAR (for grievance changes not appearing on final roll)
- 4. Any other documentation requested by the Director to complete the investigation

Collection: Town & County 2026

Fiscal Year Start: 1/1/2026

Fiscal Year End: 12/31/2026

Warrant Date: 12/17/2025

**Total Tax Due (minus penalties & interest) \$3,090.05**

Tax Bill #	SWIS	Tax Map #	Status
003402	134400	6563-04-829450-0000	Unpaid
Address		Municipality	School
Tyrrel Lake Rd		Town of Pleasant Valley	Arlington CSD

Owners	Property Information	Assessment Information
Innisfree Foundation Inc	<b>Roll Section:</b> 8	<b>Full Market Value:</b> 663200.00
PO Box 970	<b>Property Class:</b> Forest s480	<b>Total Assessed Value:</b> 409200.00
Millbrook, NY 12545	<b>Lot Size:</b> 74.40	<b>Uniform %:</b> 61.70

Exemption	Amount
Non Profit	409200.00

Description	Tax Levy	Percent Change	Taxable Value	Rate	Tax Amount
**NON-HOMESTEAD PARCEL**		0.0000	0.000	0.00000000	\$0.00
County Tax	107014305	4.8000	0.000	3.42111300	\$0.00
Town Tax	1845823	-3.5000	0.000	1.79006700	\$0.00
Library Tax	537000	2.3000	0.000	0.52077900	\$0.00
Pleasant Valley Fire	2129759	15.4000	0.000	1.99294700	\$0.00
Pleasant Valley Amb	505857	5.0000	0.000	0.47336200	\$0.00
Ret 2025 School Tax	0	0.0000	0.000	0.00000000	\$3,090.05

**Total Taxes: \$3,090.05**

FULL PAYMENT OPTION

From:	To:	Tax Amount	Penalty	Notice Fee	Total Due
Jan 06	Feb 28, 2026	\$3,090.05	\$0.00	\$0.00	<b>\$3,090.05</b>
Mar 01	Mar 31, 2026	\$3,090.05	\$61.80	\$0.00	<b>\$3,151.85</b>
Apr 01	Apr 30, 2026	\$3,090.05	\$92.70	\$0.00	<b>\$3,182.75</b>

Estimated State Aid - Type	Amount
County	123740526.00
Town	357790.00



Property and summary tax balance information for the selected parcel is shown to the right. Exemptions are displayed as well if they exist for the property.

You can view or hide tax bill detail and any payments by clicking the bar near the bottom of the page.

If the property appears in other tax years, you can quickly view the tax history for the property. Just select a tax year from the drop-down list at the top of the page.

To request a signed Tax Certification, click the "Request Signed Certificate" button at the bottom of the page.

[Re-enter search conditions](#)

**For Tax Year:** 2025 School Tax (2025-2026) ▾ **Last Updated:** 11/05/25 12:12 pm

<b>Owner:</b> Innisfree Foundation Inc PO Box 970 Millbrook, NY 12545	<b>Tax Map #</b> 6563-04-829450-0000 <b>Tax Bill #</b> 001204 <b>Bank Code:</b> <b>School Code:</b> 134601 <b>Property Class:</b> 911 <b>Tax Roll:</b> 1																		
<b>Location:</b> Tyrrel Lake Rd SWIS: 134400 Pleasant Valley	<b>Acreage:</b> 74.4 <b>Frontage:</b> <b>Liber:</b> 22025 <b>Depth:</b> <b>Page:</b> 607																		
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(Hide Bill and Payment Details...)

Tax Description	Tax Levy	Taxable Value	Rate / 1000	Tax Amount
School Taxes (Non-Homestead)	160,335,261	81,840	34.595228	2,831.27

**Tax Balance does not include any accrued Late Fees**

**Payments shown may not include  
payments made directly to the County**

[Late Fee Schedule](#) | [Tax Certification](#)



NYS DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION & FINANCE
OFFICE OF REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES

APPLICATION FOR REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR
NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS
II - PROPERTY USE

Innisfree Foundation, Inc. 13-1972195
1 a. Name of organization 2. Employer ID no
PO Box 970 Laura Palmer
Millbrook, NY 12545 3a. Name of contact person
b. Mailing address 914.204.9318
Town Line Rear b. Day telephone no. of contact person
914.204.9318
Pleasant Valley, NY Evening telephone no.
lpalmer@innisfreegarden.org
c. Address of property c. E-mail address (optional)

d. Property identification (see tax bill or assessment roll) Tax map number or section/block/lot 6563-04-829450

- 4 a. Has any part of this property been conveyed to another person or organization?
b. Is the property or any part thereof under contract for sale?
c. Is the property or any part thereof for sale?
d. If answer to 4 a, b, or c is yes, give full details (indicate question letter):

5. Name of grantee as set forth in deed by which property was acquired if different from answer to question 1.
N/A

6. If the property was acquired within the last three (3) years, indicate: Date of acquisition: 2/28/2021
Deed recording information - Book of Deeds: \* will email town recorded deed. Page:

7. Was the property acquired from anyone who has or had any interest in the owning organization (e.g., officer, director, employee, member, etc.)? Yes No

If yes, explain the relationship and circumstances of sale (including purchase price and terms of sale):

- 8. Is the property mortgaged? Yes No
a. If yes, does the holder of the mortgage presently (or did it formerly) have any interest in the owning organization? Yes No
b. If answer to 8a is yes, explain the relationship and details of mortgage(s), original principal amount, principal currently outstanding, interest rate, original term of mortgage, term remaining:

(attach additional sheets if necessary)

FOR ASSESSOR'S USE

Assessing unit County
City/Town Village
School District

9. Does any person or organization have a reversionary interest in this property?  Yes  No

a. If yes, indicate name and address of such person and state terms of reverter: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

10. Describe, in detail, use or uses of the property: The property is used for public viewing, walks, tours for the enjoyment of nature, flora and fauna and educational opportunities.

IF THE ORGANIZATION SEEKING EXEMPTION HAS INDICATED ONE OF ITS CORPORATE PURPOSES IS HOSPITAL IN QUESTION 2a. ON FORM RP-420-a-Org, ANSWER QUESTION 11. IF NOT SKIP TO 12.

11. Are the premises or any portion thereof leased or otherwise occupied as professional offices?  Yes  No

If yes, answer a through c.

- a. The professional offices are leased or otherwise occupied by: (1)  members of the staff, e.g. doctors  
 (2)  professionals not on the staff of the hospital (3)  a combination of 1 and 2
- b. If leased to members of the staff, are the offices used: (1)  solely for hospital related matters  
 (2)  for the private practice of the staff members (3)  a combination of 1 and 2
- c. If not used solely for direct-hospital related purposes, what percentage of time and space are the offices used for direct hospital-related purposes, and what percentage of time and space are they used for private practice of the staff? \_\_\_\_\_

12. Is the property or any portion thereof regularly occupied by persons or organizations other than applicant?

Yes  No

If yes, answer a through d.

- a. Name of occupant(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Use by occupant(s) (also indicate specific portion of property so occupied): \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Term(s) of occupancy (e.g. one-year lease, month-to-month tenancy): \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Amount of rental paid by occupant(s) \_\_\_\_\_

13. Is the property or any portion thereof occasionally used by persons or organizations other than the applicant?

Yes  No

If yes, state use and indicate specific portion of property used, frequency of use and fee charged or contributions received for use: We do anticipate allowing limited access for visitors to Innisfree Garden.

14. Are there any buildings or other improvements on the property?  Yes  No

If yes, skip questions a through e. If no, answer a-e and skip questions 15-16.

- a. Use or uses of property if not described in question 10. \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Are building or other improvements contemplated on this unimproved land?  Yes  No  
 If yes, give full details including proposed use(s): Small buildings not to exceed 200 sq. ft. for storage of equipment, supplies and materials necessary to maintain the property

- c. Do the minutes of the organization contain a resolution(s) authorizing contemplated building or other improvements?  Yes  No

If yes, attach a copy of resolution(s).

- d. State detailed financial resources for contemplating buildings or other improvements (including building fund). N/A

- e. When will construction begin? N/A

15. Describe, briefly, the building(s) or other improvements: \_\_\_\_\_

- a. Approximate acreage of land not underlying buildings or other improvements: \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Use or uses of land referred to in 15a. if not described in question 10. \_\_\_\_\_

- c. Are buildings or other improvements contemplated on this unimproved land?  Yes  No

If yes, give full details including proposed use(s): \_\_\_\_\_

- d. Do the minutes of the organization contain a resolution authorizing contemplated buildings or other improvements?  Yes  No If yes, attach copy of resolution(s)

- e. State financial resources for contemplated buildings or other improvements (including building fund). \_\_\_\_\_

- f. When will construction begin? \_\_\_\_\_

16. Are there any unoccupied buildings or other improvements on this property?  Yes  No

- a. Date(s) they became unoccupied \_\_\_\_\_

- b. Describe contemplated use(s) of the buildings or other improvements: \_\_\_\_\_

**VERIFICATION**

State of New York

County of Dutchess ss:

Wanda Kalue, being duly sworn, says that She is the Examining Director of the applicant organization, that the statements contained in this application (including the attached sheets consisting of 3 pages) are true and correct and complete, and that She makes this application for real property tax exemption as provided by law.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 29 day of February 2025

Wanda Kalue  
Signature of owner or authorized representative

[Signature]  
Commissioner of deeds or notary public

**GENERAL INFORMATION AND FILING REQUIREMENTS**

**1. Tax exemption for nonprofit organizations under section 420-a or 420-b of the Real Property Tax Law**

Real property owned by a corporation or association organized or conducted exclusively for religious, charitable, hospital, educational, moral or mental improvement of men, women or children, or for two or more such purposes, and used exclusively for carrying out thereupon one or more such purposes, is exempt from taxation pursuant to section 420-a.

Unless a municipality has chosen to make it taxable, real property owned by a corporation or association organized exclusively for bible, tract, benevolent, missionary, infirmary, public playground, scientific, literary, bar association, medical society, library, patriotic or historical purposes, for the development of good sportsmanship for persons under the age of eighteen years through the conduct of supervised athletic games, for the enforcement of laws relating to children or animals, or for two or more such purposes, and used exclusively for carrying out one or more such purposes, is exempt from taxation pursuant to section 420-b.

**2. APPLICATION**

A two-part application must be filed in each assessing unit in which exemption is sought: Form RP-420-b-Org (I-Organization purpose) and form RP-420-a/b-Use (II-Property use). One copy of Form RP-420-b-Org must be filed in each assessing unit. One copy of Form RP-420-a/b-Use must be filed in each assessing unit for each separately assessed parcel for which exemption is sought. Each year following the year in which exemption is granted on the basis of this application, renewal forms RP-420-a/b-Rnw-I and RP-420a/b-Rnw-II must be filed.

If you need more space for any item in the application, attach additional sheets and indicate the question(s) to which you are responding. Please give your name and employer identification number on all attachments. The assessor may request information in addition to the information contained in the application.

For purposes of section 420-a, the same forms may be used (except RP-420-a-Org replaces RP-420-b-Org). In the alternative, the owner may submit proof of exempt status to the assessor in whatever form is mutually acceptable.

**3. Place of filing application**

Application for exemption from city, town, or village taxes must be filed with the city, town, or village assessor. Application for exemption from county or school district taxes must be filed with the city or town assessor who prepares the assessment roll used in levying county or school taxes. In Nassau County, applications must be filed with the Nassau County Board of Assessors. In Tompkins County, applications must be filed with the Tompkins County Division of Assessment.

**Do not file with the Office of Real Property Tax Services.**

**4. Time of filing application**

For purposes of section 420-b, the application must be filed in the assessor's office on or before the appropriate taxable status date. For purposes of section 420-a, the application should be filed on or before such date. In towns preparing their assessment roll in accordance with the schedule provided by the Real Property Tax Law, the taxable status date is March 1. In towns in Nassau County, the taxable status date is January 2. Westchester County towns have either a May 1 or June 1 taxable status date; contact the assessor. In villages and cities, the taxable status dates vary, and the appropriate assessor should be consulted for the correct date. In New York City, property acquired by an organization exempt pursuant to either of these sections may receive exemption as of the date of its acquisition; application for exemption should be filed promptly.

**SPACE BELOW FOR ASSESSOR'S USE**

Parcel identification no.(s)

Applicant organization

Employer ID no.

Date application filed

Application  Approved  Disapproved

Assessed Valuation \$ Taxable \$ Exempt

Documentary evidence presented:

Assessing unit

Assessor's signature

Date

**Correction**  
 Town of Pleasant Valley  
 2025/26 C/T Tax Bill

**Grid Number:** 134400-6563-04-829450-0000  
**Name:** Innisfree Foundation Inc.  
**Location:** Tyrrel Lake Rd.

Currently on Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
Dutchess County	409,200	409,200	-	0.003421113	-
Town of Pleasant Valley	409,200	409,200	-	0.001790067	-
Pleasant Valley Library	409,200	409,200	-	0.000520779	-
Pleasant Valley Fire	409,200	409,200	-	0.001992947	-
Pleasant Valley Ambulance	409,200	409,200	-	0.000473362	-
			-		-
			-		-
			-		-
		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax	2,831.27	56.63	2,887.90	202.15	3,090.05
Arlington Central School Dist					
			<b>Total Tax on Current Roll</b>		<b>3,090.05</b>

Corrected Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
Dutchess County	409,200	409,200	-	0.003421113	-
Town of Pleasant Valley	409,200	409,200	-	0.001790067	-
Pleasant Valley Library	409,200	409,200	-	0.000520779	-
Pleasant Valley Fire	409,200	409,200	-	0.001992947	-
Pleasant Valley Ambulance	409,200	409,200	-	0.000473362	-
			-		-
			-		-
			-		-
		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax					-
			<b>Total Tax on Corrected Roll</b>		<b>-</b>

<b>Chargeback</b>	A342 Allow. For Uncoll. Taxes	202.15
	A430 Town of Pleasant Valley	-
		-
	A440 Arlington Central School Dist	2,887.90
	<b>TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT:</b>	<b>3,090.05</b>

COUNTY ATTORNEY  
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RESOLUTION NO. 2026048

RE: APPROVAL OF APPLICATION TO CORRECT TAX ROLL  
AND TO ORDER THE LOCAL TAX COLLECTOR TO  
ISSUE A CORRECTED TAX BILL

APPLICANT: Herb Redl LLC  
P.O. Box 636  
Pleasant Valley NY 12569

ACCOUNT NO.: 134689-6262-01-054988-0000

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, CASWELL, DARROW, LAWLER and RHODES offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, there is an assessment on the January 2026 County/Town Tax roll for the Town of Poughkeepsie under the name of Herb Redl LLC, Account No. 134689-6262-01-054988-0000, and

WHEREAS, the owner of said parcel, by application attached hereto, has applied for a correction of real property taxes on the basis of an alleged clerical error of said assessment, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 554 of the Real Property Tax Law, the County Director of Real Property Tax Service has investigated this claim and it has been determined and certified by said Director that the tax bill, as issued, is incorrect due to the clerical error, and

WHEREAS, attached hereto is the written report of said Director together with her recommendation that the application be approved by the County Legislature, and

WHEREAS, the County Legislature has agreed that a clerical error does exist; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the application received February 19, 2026, relating to Account No. 134689-6262-01-054988-0000 for a corrected tax roll is hereby approved, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the County Legislature be and she hereby is authorized and directed to send a copy of this resolution to the applicant and to the Town Tax Collector, directing said Tax Collector to issue a corrected tax bill as follows and attach a copy of this resolution to the warrant:

BUDGET, FINANCE, AND PERSONNEL

<u>Municipality</u>	<u>Assessed Value</u>	<u>Exempt Amt.</u>	<u>Taxable Value</u>	<u>Corrected Tax</u>
Dutchess County	27,217,200		27,217,200	64,551.63
Town of Poughkeepsie	27,217,200		27,217,200	239,721.72
Arlington Fire (AF024)	27,217,200		27,217,200	176,295.25
Consolidated Light (CL057)	27,217,200		27,217,200	8,272.99
Pok Lib Dist (GL000)	27,217,200		27,217,200	47,426.00
Town Wide Water Imp.	191,000		191,000	1,628.85
			TOTAL:	\$ 537,896.44

and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Tax Collector be instructed to return the unpaid portion as being erroneous when the accounts are settled with the Commissioner of Finance at the expiration of the warrant, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance be and hereby is authorized and directed to charge-back the erroneous taxes after settlement with the collector at the expiration of the warrant as follows:

A342	Allow. For Uncoll. Taxes	\$ 436.40
A430	Town Of Poughkeepsie	1,620.62
A430	Arlington Fire (AF024)	1,191.83
A430	Consolidated Light (CL057)	55.93
A430	Pough Library District (GL000)	<u>320.62</u>

TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT \$3,625.40

CA-25-26  
EMW/MB/mar/rjw  
G-0194  
02/25/2026  
Fiscal Impact: See Attached

APPROVED  
*Sue Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
ss:  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*[Signature]*  
JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

COORDINATION

Initialing indicates information only:

 County Executive

EMW County Attorney (as to form)

cu/EMW RPT

JF/EMW Finance

DAB/EMW Comptroller

 Budget

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



**HEIDI SEELBACH**  
COMMISSIONER  
**CATHERINE WEISSE**  
DIRECTOR

**DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES DIVISION

Date: February 24, 2025  
To: Sue Serino, County Executive  
From: Catherine Weisse, Director, RPTS *CW*  
Re: Resolution Request for April 13, 2026 Meeting

Please accept this memo along with my backup documentation as my request for a resolution for approval of a corrected tax bill.

Pursuant to RPTL §554(5), the tax levying body shall review applications filed by the property owner along with my investigative reports and either approve or deny the application. If the application is approved, they must make an order setting forth the corrected taxes and directing the officer having jurisdiction of the tax roll to make such correction.

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## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

### APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

*(To be completed by requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds *(check one)*:     Existing Appropriations,     Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,     Additional Appropriations,     Other *(explain)*.

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses:    Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments/Explanation:

Correction of a January 2026 County/Town tax bill due to clerical error on the tax roll.

Prepared by: Margaret Burns

Prepared On: 2/20/2026

# Dutchess County Real Property Tax Services

## Correction of Errors Investigative Report

Legal Description (Grid #): 134689-6262-01-054988-0000

Owner's Name: Herb Redl LLC

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 636 Pleasant Valley NY 12569

Property Location: Salt Point Tpke

School District: Hyde Park Central School Dist Special District: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Assessed Value on roll: 27,401,200 Corrected to: 27,217,200

Taxable Assessed Value on roll: 27,401,200 Corrected to: 27,217,200

Exemptions and amounts, if applicable:

Amount Levied: \$541,521.84 Should be: \$537,896.44

Tax Bill Paid:  Yes  No

Error Claimed is defined in Real Property Tax Law §550:

- Subdivision 2, Paragraph A (clerical error)
- Subdivision 3, Paragraph \_\_\_\_\_ (error in essential fact)
- Subdivision 7, Paragraph \_\_\_\_\_ (unlawful entry)

Reason:

- Exemption was approved by assessor, but not entered on roll
- Exemption amount incorrectly calculated
- Assessed value on roll does not match assessor's final work product
- Structure did not exist on taxable status date or was present on another parcel
- Assessment based on incorrect acreage
- Parcel should be Wholly Exempt
- Parcel Misclassified as homestead or non-homestead
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation:  APPROVE APPLICATION  DENY APPLICATION

Details:

It is recommended that the application for a corrected 2025/26 County/Town tax bill be approved.

Investigator: Margaret Burns Director: Cather Nuss Date: 2/20/26



# Application for Corrected Tax Roll

# RP-554

(12/19)

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### Part 1 – General information: To be completed in duplicate by the applicant.

FEB 19 2026

Names of owners HERB REDL LLC			DC REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES		
Mailing address of owners (number and street or PO box) PO BOX 636			Location of property (street address) SALT POINT TURNPIKE		
City, village, or post office PLEASANT VALLEY	State NY	ZIP code 12569	City, town, or village POUGHKEEPSIE	State NY	ZIP code 12603
Daytime contact number 845-471-3388	Evening contact number		Tax map number of section/block/lot: Property identification (see tax bill or assessment roll) 134689-6262-01-054988-0000		
Account number (as appears on tax bill)			Amount of taxes currently billed 541,521.84		
Reasons for requesting a correction to tax roll: incorrect taxes based on incorrect assessed value					

I hereby request a correction of tax levied by Town of Poughkeepsie for the year(s) 2026.  
(County, city, village, etc.)

Signature of applicant <i>Tom Holland</i>	Date 02-13-2026
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### Part 2 – To be completed by the County Director or Village Assessor. Attach a written report including documentation and recommendation. Specify the type of error and paragraph of subdivision 2, 3, or 7 of Section 550 under which the error falls.

Date application received <u>2/19/26</u>	Period of warrant for collection of taxes <u>12/17/26</u>
Last day for collection of taxes without interest <u>2/28/26</u>	Recommendation Approve application <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deny application <input type="checkbox"/>
Signature of official <i>Cathy Weiss</i>	Date <u>2/20/26</u>

if approved, the County Director must file a copy of this form with the assessor and board of assessment review of the city/town/village of \_\_\_\_\_ who must consider the attached report and recommendation as equivalent of petitions filed under section 553.

### Part 3 – For use by the tax levying body or official designated by resolution \_\_\_\_\_ : (insert number or date, if applicable)

Application approved (mark an X in the applicable box):

Clerical error  Error in essential fact  Unlawful Entry

Amount of taxes currently billed	Corrected tax
Date notice of approval mailed to applicant	Date order transmitted to collecting officer

Application denied (reason): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of chief executive officer, or official designated by resolution	Date
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Collection: Town & County 2026

Fiscal Year Start: 1/1/2026

Fiscal Year End: 12/31/2026

Warrant Date: 12/17/2025

**Total Tax Due (minus penalties & interest)**      \$541,521.84      \$541,521.84            \$180,507.28     

<b>Tax Bill #</b>	<b>SWIS</b>	<b>Tax Map #</b>	<b>Status</b>
005103	134689	6262-01-054988-0000	Unpaid
<b>Address</b>		<b>Municipality</b>	<b>School</b>
Salt Point Tpke		Town of Poughkeepsie	HYDE PARK

<b>Owners</b>	<b>Property Information</b>	<b>Assessment Information</b>
Herb Redl LLC	<b>Roll Section:</b> 1	<b>Full Market Value:</b> 30787900.00
PO Box 636	<b>Property Class:</b> Mfg hsing pk	<b>Total Assessed Value:</b> 27401200.00
Pleasant Valley, NY 12569	<b>Lot Size:</b> 87.01	<b>Uniform %:</b> 89.00

27,217,000

Description	Tax Levy	Percent Change	Taxable Value	Rate	Tax Amount
**NON-HOMESTEAD PARCEL**		0.0000	0.000	0.00000000	\$0.00
County Tax	107014305	4.8000	27401200.000	2.37172200	\$64,988.03
Town Outside Tax	29270879	5.0000	27401200.000	8.80772900	\$241,342.34
Arlington Fire	26244600	5.4000	27401200.000	6.47734700	\$177,487.08
Consolidated Light	427989	7.6000	27401200.000	0.30396200	\$8,328.92
Pok Lib District	2460773	3.8000	27401200.000	1.74250100	\$47,746.62
Town Wide Wat Imp	0	0.0000	191000.000 Units	0.00852800	\$1,628.85

**Total Taxes: \$541,521.84**

FULL PAYMENT OPTION

From:	To:	Tax Amount	Penalty	Notice Fee	Total Due
Jan 16	Mar 02, 2026	\$541,521.84	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$541,521.84
Mar 03	Jun 01, 2026	\$541,521.84	\$10,830.44	\$0.00	\$552,352.28
Jun 02	Aug 31, 2026	\$541,521.84	\$21,660.87	\$0.00	\$563,182.71

INSTALLMENT PAYMENT OPTION

	From:	To:	Tax Amount	Penalty	Notice Fee	Total Due
<b>Installment 1</b>	Jan 16	Mar 02, 2026	\$180,507.28	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$180,507.28
	Mar 03	Jun 01, 2026	\$180,507.28	\$3,610.16	\$0.00	\$184,117.44
	Jun 02	Aug 31, 2026	\$180,507.28	\$7,220.29	\$0.00	\$187,727.57
<b>Installment 2</b>	Jan 16	Mar 02, 2026	\$180,507.28	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$180,507.28
	Mar 03	Jun 01, 2026	\$180,507.28	\$3,610.14	\$0.00	\$184,117.42
	Jun 02	Aug 31, 2026	\$180,507.28	\$7,220.29	\$0.00	\$187,727.57
<b>Installment 3</b>	Jan 16	Mar 02, 2026	\$180,507.28	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$180,507.28

## SCHEDULE A

**Correction**

Town of Poughkeepsie  
2025/26 C/T Tax Bill

**Grid Number:** 134689-6262-01-054988-0000

**Name:** Herb Redl LLC

**Location:** Salt Point Tpke

Currently on Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
Dutchess County	27,401,200		27,401,200	0.002371722	64,988.03
Town of Poughkeepsie	27,401,200		27,401,200	0.008807729	241,342.34
Arlington Fire (AF024)	27,401,200		27,401,200	0.006477347	177,487.08
Consolidated Light (CL057)	27,401,200		27,401,200	0.000303962	8,328.92
Pok Library Dist. (GL000)	27,401,200		27,401,200	0.001742501	47,746.62
Town Wide Water Imp.	191,000		191,000	0.008528000	1,628.85
			-		-
			-		-
			0.00		-
		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax		0	0.00	-	-
				<b>Total Tax on Current Roll</b>	<b>541,521.84</b>

Corrected Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
Dutchess County	27,217,200		27,217,200	0.002371722	64,551.63
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		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax		0	0.00	0	-
				<b>Total Tax on Corrected Roll</b>	<b>537,896.44</b>

**Chargeback**

A342 Allow. For Uncoll. Taxes	436.40
A430 Town of Poughkeepsie	1,620.62
A430 Arlington Fire (AF024)	1,191.83
A430 Consolidated Light (CL057)	55.93
A430 Pok Library Dist. (GL000)	320.62

**TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT:** 3,625.40

## Assessor Statement for Correction of Error

This form or a letter signed by the assessor must be submitted for every requested Correction of Error.

I, Maureen Gilmartin, assessor for the Town/City of Town of Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, believe that the assessment or taxable assessment on following parcel is **incorrect** and may be corrected per RPTL §550:

Roll Year:	2025
Grid No:	6262-01-054988
Owner:	Herb Redl LLC
School District:	Hyde Park Central School District

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DC REAL PROPERTY  
TAX SERVICES

An explanation of the error and how it occurred is as follows: (Be specific)

The Assessed Value on the roll was entered incorrectly. The value on our Mobile Home spreadsheet that should have been entered was 27,217,200

Current Assessment:	27,401,200
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Corrected Assessment:	27,217,200
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Current Exempt Amount:	0
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Corrected Exempt Amount:	0
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Other:	
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I hereby request that the County Director make a recommendation to the tax levying body to correct such error.

Date: 02/13/2026 Signature of Assessor:

**Along with a copy of the Tax Bill, proof of error MUST accompany this affidavit, as applicable:**

1. Exemption application indicating approval/denial
2. Copy of property record card, workbook or other final work product
3. Verified statement of BAR (for grievance changes not appearing on final roll)
4. Any other documentation requested by the Director to complete the investigation

Street #	Street Address	Lot #	6262-01-054988 Owners	2025	Lease Accounts	Basic Basic	Enhanced Enhanced
2	Gables Blvd	0.0001	Johnson, Pauline	68,500	0		
4	Gables Blvd	0.0002	Holowiak, David & Call, Alyssa	72,600	0	New Owner 2025	
2	Biscayne Blvd	0.0003	Rikert Family Trust c/o, Homer & Doris	63,600	0		
4	Biscayne Blvd	0.0004	Fiske, Michelle & Richard	73,500	0		
6	Biscayne Blvd	0.0005	Sullivan, Clair	74,100	0		
8	Biscayne Blvd	0.0006	Burke, Jessica	75,800	0		
10	Biscayne Blvd	0.0007	Long, Francis 50% own, Smith, Patricia	80,700	80,700	VE11-49	
12	Biscayne Blvd	0.0008	Lattery, Lorna	77,500	0		
7	Biscayne Blvd	0.0009	Kelley, Elaine	71,600	0		
5	Biscayne Blvd	0.0010	Slivoweki, Arlene	74,700	0	New Owner 2025	
3	Biscayne Blvd	0.0011	Delgado, Arturo & Barbara	73,500	0	New Owner 2025	
1	Biscayne Blvd	0.0012	Herb Redl Rental	70,500	0		
6	Gables Blvd	0.0013	Tauriello, Marie	63,600	0		
3	Sarasota Ln	0.0014	Mahoney, Robert & Catherine	88,900	88,900	Vol Firefighter exemp 25	
1	Sarasota Ln	0.0015	Swenson, Stephen & Maureen	93,400	93,400	VE21	
10	Gables Blvd	0.0016	Centoducati, Nick & Maureen	81,600	81,600	VE16-49	
12	Gables Blvd	0.0017	Bisanz, Greg & Donna	89,600	89,600	VE17-49	
14	Gables Blvd	0.0018	Lozinsky, Donna Ann	70,100	0		
16	Gables Blvd	0.0019	Lundgren Family Trust	77,500	0		
6	Delray Circle	0.0020	Gay, James & Barbara	73,000	0		
5	Delray Circle	0.0021	Palumbo, Margaraet	90,500	0		
4	Delray Circle	0.0022	Decker, Mary	71,800	0		
3	Delray Circle	0.0023	Cardio, Nadine	79,600	0		
2	Delray Circle	0.0024	Smith, Kent & Lynne	79,200	79,200	V19	
1	Delray Circle	0.0025	Kaufmann, Ellen	70,000	0	back in main. Frederick deceased 24	VE13-49
105	Vero Dr	0.0026	Clarke, Andrea	63,000	0		
80	Vero Dr	0.0027	Herb Redl Rental	0	0	rental. Unoccupied 3/1/25	
26	Gables Blvd	0.0028	Branson, Robert & Diane	77,000	77,000	V-20	
28	Gables Blvd	0.0029	Schultz, Richard	74,300	0		
30	Gables Blvd	0.0030	Arentsen, Judith	72,700	0		
32	Gables Blvd	0.0031	Barnes, Euston & Sophia	70,500	0		
34	Gables Blvd	0.0032	Rebelein, Dayle	82,400	0		
36	Gables Blvd	0.0033	Quinn, Heather	72,300	0	Back in main parcel 24	
38	Gables Blvd	0.0034	Marrine, Bridget	73,300	0		
40	Gables Blvd	0.0035	Tully Baker, Jeanette	68,100	0		
12	Vero Dr	0.0036	Sanchez, Felipe & Yolanda	77,100	0		
14	Vero Dr	0.0037	Eginger, Sharon	69,800	0		
16	Vero Dr	0.0038	Zuccarello, Louis & Barbara	77,100	0		

18	Vero Dr	0.0039	Zukowski, Anne	74,300	0		
20	Vero Dr	0.0040	Brust,, Jeffrey & Peteli, Teresa	74,100	0	new owner '24	
22	Vero Dr	0.0041	Nichols, Lu	74,300	0		
24	Vero Dr	0.0042	Lee, Lewis, Jr. & Lynda	73,200	73,200		
26	Vero Dr	0.0043	Seale, Marcia	74,700	0		
28	Vero Dr	0.0044	Sapek, Samy & Linda	79,600	0	New Owner 24	
30	Vero Dr	0.0045	Mino,Rosalie Mino FamTrust	74,300	0		
32	Vero Dr	0.0046	Cantanzaro, Angela	71,800	0		
34	Vero Dr	0.0047	Hanaburgh, Allan	66,600	0		
36	Vero Dr	0.0048	Kuhnle, Kurt	71,200	71,200	B04/D-22	
38	Vero Dr	0.0049	Gohra, Enid NOT PRIMARY ADDRESS	68,000	0	New Owner not primary	
51	Vero Dr	0.0050	Hedger English,Sarah	76,700	0		
49	Vero Dr	0.0051	Ferris Truct/Ferris,David & Kathleen	71,400	71,400		
47	Vero Dr	0.0052	Grassi, William & Joan	75,900	75,900	VE17-49	
45	Vero Dr	0.0053	Riley, Mary	71,500	71,500	Sr24\Owners only address(2/23/24) HD	
43	Vero Dr	0.0054	Trela, John & Katherine	76,400	0		
41	Vero Dr	0.0055	Rhodes, Sylvia	71,200	0		
39	Vero Dr	0.0056	Angulo-Perez, Monica	75,600	0		
37	Vero Dr	0.0057	Henry, Lia-Marie	74,300	0		
35	Vero Dr	0.0058	Simoni Mario &Rina	77,500	77,500	VE19-49	
33	Vero Dr	0.0059	Dickinson, Tom & Debra	77,500	0		
31	Vero Dr	0.0060	Meyer, Patricia	63,700		Back in Main 2025	
29	Vero Dr	0.0061	Miscedra, Judith	73,000	73,000	V-chk	
27	Vero Dr	0.0062	Rambo, Granville & Elenor	80,000	80,000	VE03-49	
25	Vero Dr	0.0063	Elsner, Jean	77,500	0		
23	Vero Dr	0.0064	Anderson, John & Dolan, Mary	88,600	0		
21	Vero Dr	0.0065	McMorrow Patrick	73,700	0		
19	Vero Dr	0.0066	Fiorillo, Richard	69,000	0		
17	Vero Dr	0.0067	Riale, Stephanie	63,700	0		
15	Vero Dr	0.0068	Mazurkiewicz, Gregory & Margaret	60,100	0		
13	Vero Dr	0.0069	Gritter, Matthew	73,100	0		
11	Vero Dr	0.0070	Crutcher, Susan	78,300	0		
9	Vero Dr	0.0071	McCarthy, Raymond	70,500	0		
7	Vero Dr	0.0072	Lewis, Kate	66,200	0		
5	Vero Dr	0.0073	Wood-Miller, Diane	74,300	74,300	VE15	
3	Vero Dr	0.0074	Lory Properties Corp	80,900	0		
1	Vero Dr	0.0075	St Pierre, Karen	71,600	0		
2	Vero Dr	0.0076	Losee, Ed & Nancy	72,800	72,800	S20B-49	
4	Vero Dr	0.0077	Booth, Chery	77,200	0		
6	Vero Dr	0.0078	Gentile,Eric & Briggs,Hailey	60,000	0	new owner 2025	

8	Vero Dr	0.0079	DiCarlo, Susan	72,000	0	
10	Vero Dr	0.0080	Anemelos, John & El	72,000	0	
2	Vista Ln	0.0081	Glum, Daniel & Judith	58,000	0	
4	Vista Ln	0.0082	Garcia, Angel & Eisener, Michelle	89,000	0	New owner 2025
6	Vista Ln	0.0083	Beliveau, Richard & Susan & Shauna Har	66,200	0	
8	Vista Ln	0.0084	McHugh, Patrick	71,700	0	
10	Vista Ln	0.0085	Adams, George & Qing	68,100	68,100	VB13
2	Boynton Dr	0.0086	Bennett, Kathleen	74,300	0	
4	Boynton Dr	0.0087	Acosta, Lillian	66,400	0	New owner 2025
6	Boynton Dr	0.0088	Santoro, Susan	71,600	0	
8	Boynton Dr	0.0089	Sinsabaugh, Lester & Nancy	63,000	0	
10	Boynton Dr	0.0090	Fleischman, Joseph and Caroline	80,100	80,100	V22
9	Boynton Dr	0.0091	Whalen, MaryJane	79,300	79,300	S21E-49
7	Boynton Dr	0.0092	Joy, Marnie	77,200	0	
5	Boynton Dr	0.0093	Herb Redl	0	0	rental Unoccupied 3/1/25
3	Boynton Dr	0.0094	Torres, Edwin c/o E. Rothstein	69,000	0	
1	Boynton Dr	0.0095	Morel, Steve & Raine	72,900	0	
12	Vista Ln	0.0096	Igoe, Jim & Andrea	82,200	82,200	VE03-49
14	Vista Ln	0.0097	Kuchenmeister, Joan	71,400	0	
16	Vista Ln	0.0098	Metty, Monica	68,900	0	
11	Gables Blvd	0.0099	Shaffer, Frank & Judy	68,100	0	
9	Gables Blvd	0.0100	Millard Trust c/o, Charles & Marilyn	74,100	0	
7	Gables Blvd	0.0101	Teague, Angel	77,100	0	
5	Gables Blvd	0.0102	Allers, Elizabeth	64,100	0	VE24
3	Gables Blvd	0.0103	Martin, Edward & Evelyn Saena	69,000	69,000	VE new owner '23
1	Gables Blvd	0.0104	Lisa Odendahl	68,500	0	
27	Vista Ln	0.0105	Hafer, Dennis & Judith	77,700	0	
25	Vista Ln	0.0106	Burns, William & Marion	71,500	0	
23	Vista Ln	0.0107	Johnson Family Trust Laura Shook	66,800	66,800	VD-20
21	Vista Ln	0.0108	Correia Trust -Maria Cordovano	77,100	0	
19	Vista Ln	0.0109	Dow, John & Josephine	77,900	77,900	VE03-49
17	Vista Ln	0.0110	Lamonica, Frank & Lillian	70,500	70,500	VDIS-20
15	Vista Ln	0.0111	Strang, Harry & Linda	84,200	0	
13	Vista Ln	0.0112	Rickett, Karen	87,400	0	
11	Vista Ln	0.0113	Darmiento, Pat	65,900	0	
9	Vista Ln	0.0114	Chianelli, Margaret	85,200	0	
7	Vista Ln	0.0115	Sniffen, Maria	70,600	0	
5	Vista Ln	0.0116	Poitti, Barbara	72,000	72,000	VE14-49
3	Vista Ln	0.0117	Nichols, James & Jessica	64,500	0	
1	Vista Ln	0.0118	Garcia, Marianna	67,800	0	

45	Gables Blvd	0.0119	DiCarlo, Anna	65,500	65,500	VB02	
43	Gables Blvd	0.0120	Chiavaroli, Gail	66,700	0		
41	Gables Blvd	0.0121	Morville, Kenneth	65,900	0		
39	Gables Blvd	0.0122	Vargas, William&Jenny	77,500	0		
37	Gables Blvd	0.0123	Garabedian, Bruce and Deborah	75,800	0		
35	Gables Blvd	0.0124	Balletta, Theresa	73,500	73,500	chk V18 S	
33	Gables Blvd	0.0125	Wheeler, Cynthia	66,200		Back in main '25 dod 11/11/24	
31	Gables Blvd	0.0126	VanTassel, Gary & Joanne	74,700	0		
29	Gables Blvd	0.0127	Kratzer, Frederick	86,700	86,700	VE04-49	
27	Gables Blvd	0.0128	Tompkins, Alan & Dorothy	77,100	0		
25	Gables Blvd	0.0129	Jewell, Robert & Mary	77,700	77,700	AltWar 22 was CW	
23	Gables Blvd	0.0130	Hutman, Steve & Nicolette	71,200	0	Back in main parcel 24	
21	Gables Blvd	0.0131	LaMorte, Richard	77,100	0		
19	Gables Blvd	0.0132	Bein, Deborah	78,700	78,700	S20E-49	
17	Gables Blvd	0.0133	Johnson, Thomas	67,100	0		
15	Gables Blvd	0.0134	Altemus, Robert & Lyn	74,700	0		
13	Gables Blvd	0.0135	Stickie, Mark & Bonnie	77,600	0	new owner 2025	
103	Vero Dr	0.0136	Lawlor, Jessica	74,700	0		
101	Vero Dr	0.0137	Kite, Anne	80,000	0		
99	Vero Dr	0.0138	Stewart, Gary & Lori	88,200	0		
3	Palm Circle	0.0139	Mead, Frank & Arline	83,700	83,700	vet	
2	Palm Circle	0.0140	Mackey, Mabel	68,000	0		
1	Palm Circle	0.0141	Walker, Elizabeth attn: Maria Jones	71,600	0		
97	Vero Dr	0.0142	Gregson, Glen & Hazel	69,000	69,000	VB-4907	
95	Vero Dr	0.0143	Maloney, Christopher & Katherine	72,500	0		
93	Vero Dr	0.0144	Leff, David & Linda & Alana Leff	74,100	0		
91	Vero Dr	0.0145	North, Charles & Joanne	77,900	0		
89	Vero Dr	0.0146	Walsh, Don & Barbara	72,200	72,200	CWE17	
87	Vero Dr	0.0147	Barnum, Steven	72,000	0		
85	Vero Dr	0.0148	Polansky, Roger & Stoke, Helen	70,500	0		
83	Vero Dr	0.0149	Underwood, Jill	76,200	0		
81	Vero Dr	0.0150	Alongi, Phyllis	79,600	0		
79	Vero Dr	0.0151	Norelius, Theodore	80,000	80,000	VB08	
77	Vero Dr	0.0152	Butterfield, Carey & Caruso, John	74,300	0		new windows '24
75	Vero Dr	0.0153	Them, Barbara	72,300	72,300	S20E-49	
73	Vero Dr	0.0154	Eidle, William & Nancy	79,600	0		
71	Vero Dr	0.0155	Badroe, Rosalie	63,700	0		
69	Vero Dr	0.0156	Femekes, Denise	79,600	0		
67	Vero Dr	0.0157	Hughes, Bill & Walker, Stephanie	80,800	0		
65	Vero Dr	0.0158	Callen, Robert & Ann	74,700	0	New owner 2025	

63	Vero Dr	0.0159	Clifford, James & Jacqueline	67,600	0	
61	Vero Dr	0.0160	Fitzpatrick, Mike & Valerie	76,700	0	
59	Vero Dr	0.0161	Reyes, Hector & Doris	80,000	0	
57	Vero Dr	0.0162	Straley, Sandra	77,500	0	
55	Vero Dr	0.0163	Duggan, Bettina	72,300	0	
53	Vero Dr	0.0164	Lynch, Robert	72,000	0	
40	Vero Dr	0.0165	Chen, Kenny & Mansut, Bhudsera	66,700	0	New owner 2025
42	Vero Dr	0.0166	Rivera, Peter & LaShaune	73,100	0	
44	Vero Dr	0.0167	Alleyne, Deborah	68,000	0	
46	Vero Dr	0.0168	Goodloe, Car & Cavidad	85,000	85,000	New owner 35/separate acct VE
48	Vero Dr	0.0169	Zeoli, Peter & Mary	75,600	0	
50	Vero Dr	0.0170	Freire, Paco & Magdalena	73,000	73,000	new Sr 2024
52	Vero Dr	0.0171	Magnotta, John & Joan	77,500	0	New owner 2025
54	Vero Dr	0.0172	Heaton, Theodore & Joan	68,000	0	
56	Vero Dr	0.0173	Piazza, Barbara	66,200		deceased back in main
58	Vero Dr	0.0174	Reuter, Christa	74,300	74,300	CWS20E-49
60	Vero Dr	0.0175	Pettino, Patrick & Patricia	62,800	0	
62	Vero Dr	0.0176	Blandino, Denis & Nancy	80,000	0	
64	Vero Dr	0.0177	Brainerd, Margaret	74,700	74,700	CW19E-49
**66	Vero Dr	0.0178	Berger, Margurita c/o Susan Benfield	67,600	0	
68	Vero Dr	0.0179	Viggiani, Rich & Sue	80,000	0	
70	Vero Dr	0.0180	Mitchell, Joe & Gena	68,000	0	
29	Naples Dr	0.0181	Lehan, Christine	78,800	0	
27	Naples Dr	0.0182	Barrett, Michael & Wendy	66,700	0	
25	Naples Dr	0.0183	Hansen, James & Colleen	72,300	0	
23	Naples Dr	0.0184	Albrecht, Peter & Sherry	72,000	0	
21	Naples Dr	0.0185	Ronzoni, Emilio	77,500	0	
19	Naples Dr	0.0186	Feldmann, Eugene & Mary	80,000	80,000	VB04
17	Naples Dr	0.0187	Malena, Frank & Nancy	80,700	0	
15	Naples Dr	0.0188	Hebrank, John & Theresa	72,200	0	Back in main, new owner
13	Naples Dr	0.0189	Whalen, Judith	74,200	0	
11	Naples Dr	0.0190	Sabia, John & Mary Jo	76,700	0	
9	Naples Dr	0.0191	Darragh, Joan & Tuttle, Winifred	74,850	0	added generator '25
7	Naples Dr	0.0192	Shannon, Dennis & Rene	74,300	0	
5	Naples Dr	0.0193	Brinkerhoff, Beatrice	68,000	0	deceased
3	Naples Dr	0.0194	Dean, Joan attn Tracy Dean	74,300	74,300	VB05-49
1	Naples Dr	0.0195	Wohlfahrt, Joann	74,000	74,000	CWE17-49
2	Naples Dr	0.0196	Becker, Hugo & Arlene	80,000	80,000	VE14-49
4	Naples Dr	0.0197	Gentile, Nick & Francine	72,300	0	
6	Naples Dr	0.0198	Chaput, Jacques & Lorraine	76,700	0	

8	Naples Dr	0.0199	Blass, Robert & Karol	76,700	0		
10	Naples Dr	0.0200	Clairmont, Kay & Gerard	78,400	78,400	VB05	
12	Naples Dr	0.0201	Manning, Suzanne	75,600	0		
14	Naples Dr	0.0202	Starr, David & Kathryn	76,700	0		
16	Naples Dr	0.0203	Mulvihill, Robert & Johanna	76,700	76,700	V18	
18	Naples Dr	0.0204	Slingerland, Peter & Nancy	84,200	0		
20	Naples Dr	0.0205	McGinley, John & Margaret	77,100	0		
22	Naples Dr	0.0206	Moraitis, Louis & Martha	74,300	0		
24	Naples Dr	0.0207	Karlson, Doug & Virginia	70,000	0		
26	Naples Dr	0.0208	Federico, Madeline & Wayne	72,600	0		
28	Naples Dr	0.0209	Comerford, Thomas & Patricia	74,300	74,300	AltWar 22 was CW	
30	Naples Dr	0.0210	Zeiner, Roberta	72,300	72,300	refile sr 25	back in main '24S20E-
32	Naples Dr	0.0211	Vaughey, Ray	78,300	78,300	VE06-49	
72	Vero Dr	0.0212	Zasso, Robert	76,500	0		
74	Vero Dr	0.0213	Gadonniex, Antoinette	64,200	0		
76	Vero Dr	0.0214	Isabell, Lee & Lieazer	69,900	0		
78	Vero Dr	0.0215	Oswald, Patricia	79,600	79,600	VE17-49	
11	Biscayne Blvd	0.0231	vac lot	0	0		
1	Orlando Dr	0.0232	Keenan Trust, Christoper	166,000	0		
3	Orlando Dr	0.0233	Dahl Jr, George	156,500	156,500	Veterans exemp 2025	
5	Orlando Dr	0.0234	Van Buren, Kevin & Cimorelli, Susan	156,500	0		
7	Orlando Dr	0.0235	Sinclair, Michael & Gonzales, Doreen	153,000	0	New Unit/new owner 25	no garage/shed
9	Orlando Dr	0.0236	Michelin, Earl & Michele	172,000	0		
11	Orlando Dr	0.0237	Azar, Ameer & Rabadi, Lujayn	161,800	0		
13	Orlando Dr	0.0238	Polini, Sabrina	166,500	0		
15	Orlando Dr	0.0239	Autoine, Theresa	184,000	0	New Unit/new owner 2025	
17	Orlando Dr	0.0240	Groeninger, Robert & Nancy	168,000	0		
19	Orlando Dr	0.0241	Young, Donna	161,800	0		
21	Orlando Dr	0.0242	Goring, James & Kennedy, Maureen	172,960	172,960	New Unit/new owner 2025/ New Vet	
23	Orlando Dr	0.0243	Donde, Richard & Doris	188,000	188,000	Vet 24 New House 24	
25	Orlando Dr	0.0244	Marvin, Michael & Kathy	178,000	0	New Unit/new owner 2025	
27	Orlando Dr	0.0245	built not sold	0	0	vacant not sold 3/1	
29	Orlando Dr	0.0246	Dixon, Jacquiline & Quinones, Eli	178,000	0	New Unit/new owner 2025	
31	Orlando Dr	0.0247	Miller, Edward & nancy	184,000	0	New Unit/new owner 2025	
32	Orlando Dr	0.0248	Muschio, Henry & Deborah	173,000	0		
30	Orlando Dr	0.0249	Ramsey-Dixon, Constance	178,000	0	New Unit/new owner 2025	
26	Orlando Dr	0.0250	Perimutter, Frederick & Phyllis	161,800	0	New House 24	
20	Orlando Dr	0.0251	Hopkins, Jodie	146,000	0	New House 24	
16	Orlando Dr	0.0252	Aeillo, Leonora	161,800	0	New House 24	
8	Marco Dr	0.0253	LeBlanc, Ronald & Paula	161,200	161,200	New owenr 2025/separate acct VE	

11	Marco Dr	0.0254	McCaffrey, Richard & Kathy	177,600	0	New Unit/new owner 2025
13	Marco Dr	0.0255	Hoffman, Robert & Martisrosova, N	168,000	0	
15	Marco Dr	0.0256	Ramos, Maria	141,500	0	
16	Marco Dr	0.0257	Totten, JoAnne	151,000	0	
14	Marco Dr	0.0258	Theiss Family Trust	152,000	0	
12	Marco Dr	0.0259	MacDonald, Daniel & Michelle	166,000	0	
10	Marco Dr	0.0260	Chiapetta, Stephen & Susan	148,500	0	
8	Marco Dr	0.0261	Massarelli, Joanne	155,950	0	
12	Orlando Dr	0.0262	Annunziata, Rosalie & Mastropaolo, R	156,250	0	
10	Orlando Dr	0.0263	Haynie, Carolyn	161,800	0	
8	Orlando Dr	0.0264	Donegan, Bruce & Dale	119,000	0	
6	Orlando Dr	0.0265	Schrock, Alan & Kathleen	139,000	0	
4	Orlando Dr	0.0266	Mangan, Robert & Dawn	161,800	0	
2	Orlando	0.0267	Weeks, Jacqueline	149,100	0	
9	Jupiter Lane	0.0268	Kiggins, Richard & Diane	159,500	0	
10	Jupiter Lane	0.0269	Colantuono, Luigi & Halina	166,000	166,000	New Senior sep acct 25
8	Jupiter Lane	0.0270	Minard, Darren & Darlene	184,000	184,000	New Disability 2025
1	Boca Court	0.0271	Kantar, Edward	168,000	0	new owner 2025
3	Boca Court	0.0272	Connors, Jeff & Theresa Richards	159,000	0	
5	Boca Court	0.0273	Loder, Edward & Gwenn	159,000	0	
7	Boca Court	0.0274	O'Neill, William & Jean	181,950	0	added 192 sf deck
9	Boca Court	0.0275	Dagostino, Michael & Ann Marie	140,000	0	new owner 2025
10	Boca Court	0.0276	Price, Laura	183,750	0	new owner 2025
8	Boca Court	0.0277	Mancini, John & Patricia	145,500	0	
6	Boca Court	0.0278	Creedon, Lawrence & Kathleen	184,000	184,000	VCBT23'
4	Boca Court	0.0279	Monaco, Nick & Marie	166,000	166,000	
2	Boca Ct	0.0280	Haug, Kathleen	123,250	0	2008 former sales office/new owner 2025
				23,533,360		
	2022-225 Pads					
	2023-245 pads					
	2024-264 pads		Separate accounts Sub Total		5,209,960	
			Total of Parcels in Main	18,323,400		
			Recreation Building, Bocce, Fire pit and pool included in with lot rent			
				2025		

		TOTAL Assessed Land		8,893,800		
		Total Assessed Building		23,533,360		
		AV		32,427,160		
		Split out lots - 81		5,209,960		
		RPS Assessed Value		27,217,200		
		34100 improved pads				
		12100 per unimproved pads (45) (phase 4 )				

RESOLUTION NO. 2026049

RE: APPROVAL OF APPLICATION TO CORRECT TAX ROLL  
AND TO ORDER THE LOCAL TAX COLLECTOR TO  
ISSUE A CORRECTED TAX BILL

APPLICANT: Enid Goris and Francis X. Irizarry  
20 Woodcliff Ave.  
Poughkeepsie NY 12603

ACCOUNT NO.: 134689-6161-08-905847-0000

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, BRENDLI, CASWELL, DARROW, KAUL, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES and WINSBY offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, there is a water/sewer re-levy on the January 2026 County/Town Tax roll for the Town of Poughkeepsie under the name of Enid Goris and Francis X. Irizarry, Account No. 134689-6161-08-905847-0000, and

WHEREAS, the owner of said parcel, by application attached hereto, has applied for a correction of real property taxes on the basis of an alleged clerical error of said re-levy, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 554 of the Real Property Tax Law, the County Director of Real Property Tax Service has investigated this claim and it has been determined and certified by said Director that the tax bill, as issued, is incorrect due to the clerical error, and

WHEREAS, attached hereto is the written report of said Director together with her recommendation that the application be approved by the County Legislature, and

WHEREAS, the County Legislature has agreed that a clerical error does exist, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the application received February 24, 2026, relating to Account No. 134689-6161-08-905847-0000 for a corrected tax roll is hereby approved, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the County Legislature be and she hereby is authorized and directed to send a copy of this resolution to the applicant and to the Town Tax Collector, directing said Tax Collector to issue a corrected tax bill as follows and attach a copy of this resolution to the warrant:

BUDGET, FINANCE, AND PERSONNEL

Municipality	Assessed Value	Exempt Amt.	Taxable Value	Corrected Tax
Dutchess County	179,000		179,000	424.54
Town of Poughkeepsie	179,000		179,000	813.36
Arlington Sewer	1,000		1,000	58.97
Arlington Fire (AF024)	179,000		179,000	1,159.45
Arlington Sewer Main	1,000		1,000	33.09
Consolidated Light (CL057)	179,000		179,000	30.50
Pok Lib Dist (GL000)	179,000		179,000	175.30
Town Wide Water Imp.	1,000		1,000	8.53
Unpaid Sewer				69.30
Unpaid Water				69.30
			TOTAL:	\$2,842.34

and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Tax Collector be instructed to return the unpaid portion as being erroneous when the accounts are settled with the Commissioner of Finance at the expiration of the warrant, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance be and hereby is authorized and directed to charge-back the erroneous taxes after settlement with the collector at the expiration of the warrant as follows:

A430 Town Of Poughkeepsie \$65,385.00

TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT \$65,385.00

CA-026-26  
EMW/MB/mar/rjw  
G-0194  
02/25/2026  
Fiscal Impact: See Attached

APPROVED  
*Sue Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

ss:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026 and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*[Signature]*  
JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

COORDINATION

Initialing indicates information only:

CE County Executive

EMW County Attorney (as to form)

aw/EMWRPT

JF/EMW Finance

DAB/EMW Comptroller

JM Budget

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



**HEIDI SEELBACH**  
COMMISSIONER  
**CATHERINE WEISSE**  
DIRECTOR

**DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES DIVISION

Date: February 24, 2025  
To: Sue Serino, County Executive  
From: Catherine Weisse, Director, RPTS *cw*  
Re: Resolution Request for April 13, 2026 Meeting

Please accept this memo along with my backup documentation as my request for a resolution for approval of a corrected tax bill.

Pursuant to RPTL §554(5), the tax levying body shall review applications filed by the property owner along with my investigative reports and either approve or deny the application. If the application is approved, they must make an order setting forth the corrected taxes and directing the officer having jurisdiction of the tax roll to make such correction.

COUNTY ATTORNEY  
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## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

### APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

*(To be completed by requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds *(check one)*:     Existing Appropriations,     Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,     Additional Appropriations,     Other *(explain)*.

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses:    Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments/Explanation:

Correction of a January 2026 County/Town tax bill due to clerical error on the tax roll.

Prepared by: Margaret Burns

Prepared On: 2/20/2026

# Dutchess County Real Property Tax Services

## Correction of Errors Investigative Report

Legal Description (Grid #): 134689-6161-08-905847-0000

Owner's Name: Enid Goris and Francis X Irizarry

Mailing Address: 20 Woodcliff Ave. Poughkeepsie NY 12603

Property Location: 20 Woodcliff Ave.

School District: Arlington Central School Dist. Special District: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Assessed Value on roll: 179,000 Corrected to: Same

Taxable Assessed Value on roll: 179,000 Corrected to: Same

Exemptions and amounts, if applicable:

Amount Levied: \$68,227.34 Should be: \$2,842.34

Tax Bill Paid:  Yes  No

Error Claimed is defined in Real Property Tax Law §550:

- Subdivision 2, Paragraph 1 (clerical error)
- Subdivision 3, Paragraph \_\_\_\_\_ (error in essential fact)
- Subdivision 7, Paragraph \_\_\_\_\_ (unlawful entry)

Reason:

- Exemption was approved by assessor, but not entered on roll
- Exemption amount incorrectly calculated
- Assessed value on roll does not match assessor's final work product
- Structure did not exist on taxable status date or was present on another parcel
- Assessment based on incorrect acreage
- Parcel should be Wholly Exempt
- Parcel Misclassified as homestead or non-homestead
- Other: Incorrect re-levy amount of a water/sewer bill.

Recommendation:  **APPROVE APPLICATION**  **DENY APPLICATION**

Details:

It is recommended that the application for a corrected 2025/26 County/Town tax bill be approved.

Investigator: Margaret Burns

Director: Cathie Weiss

Date: 2/24/26



# Application for Corrected Tax Roll

## RECEIVED

### Part 1 – General information: To be completed in duplicate by the applicant.

Names of owners <b>Francis Irizarry &amp; Enid Gorris</b>		FEB 24 2026	
Mailing address of owners (number and street or PO box) <b>20 Woodcliff Avenue</b>		Location of property (street address) <b>20 Woodcliff Avenue</b>	
City, village, or post office <b>Poughkeepsie NY 12603</b>		City, town, or village <b>Poughkeepsie NY 12603</b>	
Daytime contact number <b>9148857479</b>	Evening contact number <b>9148857479</b>	Tax map number of section/block/lot: Property identification (see tax bill or assessment roll) <b>6161-08-905847-0000</b>	
Account number (as appears on tax bill) <b>004592</b>		Amount of taxes currently billed <b>68,227.34</b>	
Reasons for requesting a correction to tax roll: <b>Water Dept. billing error</b>			

I hereby request a correction of tax levied by Poughkeepsie Town for the year(s) 2026.  
(County, city, village, etc.)

Signature of applicant 	Date <b>2-24-26</b>
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### Part 2 – To be completed by the County Director or Village Assessor. Attach a written report including documentation and recommendation. Specify the type of error and paragraph of subdivision 2, 3, or 7 of Section 550 under which the error falls.

Date application received <b>2/24/26</b>	Period of warrant for collection of taxes <b>12/17/25</b>
Last day for collection of taxes without interest <b>2/28/26</b>	Recommendation <b>Approve application <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deny application <input type="checkbox"/></b>
Signature of official 	Date <b>2/24/26</b>

If approved, the County Director must file a copy of this form with the assessor and board of assessment review of the city/town/village of \_\_\_\_\_ who must consider the attached report and recommendation as equivalent of petitions filed under section 553.

### Part 3 – For use by the tax levying body or official designated by resolution \_\_\_\_\_ : (insert number or date, if applicable)

Application approved (mark an X in the applicable box):

Clerical error  Error in essential fact  Unlawful Entry

Amount of taxes currently billed	Corrected tax
Date notice of approval mailed to applicant	Date order transmitted to collecting officer

Application denied (reason): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of chief executive officer, or official designated by resolution	Date
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## Instructions

### General information

#### Where to send

Submit two copies of this application to the County Director of Real Property Tax Services (in Nassau and Tompkins Counties, submit to Chief Assessing Officer).

#### When to send

Submit the application only **before** the collection warrant expires.

#### Wholly exempt parcel

Attach statement signed by assessor or majority of board of assessors substantiating that assessor obtained proof that parcel should have been granted tax exempt status on tax roll.

### Payment requirements

You may pay without interest and penalties **only** if:

- the application was filed with the County Director on or before the last day that taxes may be paid without interest (see *Date application received* in Part 2); **and**
- you pay the corrected tax within eight days of the date on which the notice of approval is mailed to the applicant (see Part 3).

If either of these conditions is not satisfied, interest, penalties, or both must be paid on the corrected tax.

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### For use by Collecting Officer:

Order from tax levying body received on \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Corrected tax due	Date tax roll corrected
Interest and penalties (if applicable)	Date tax bill corrected
Total corrected tax due	Date application and order added to tax roll
Date payment received	

Signature of collecting officer	Date
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# Town of Poughkeepsie

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February 19, 2026

Cathy Weisse  
Director of Real Property Tax Services  
Dutchess County Real Property Tax Service Agency  
22 Market Street  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601

RE: Relevy of Unpaid Water/Sewer Billing to Parcel ID 6161-08-905847-000, (20 WoodCliff Ave)

Dear Ms. Weisse:

The Town of Poughkeepsie requests the removal of unpaid water and sewer charges totaling **Sixty-Five Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars and Zero Cents (\$65,385.00)** from the property tax bill for Parcel ID 6161-08-905847-000, located at 20 WoodCliff Ave. This relevy of unpaid water and sewer charges was made in error in January 2026.

The breakdown of charges is as follows:

- **Water Charges:** \$32,665.50 (Thirty-Two Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars and Fifty Cents)
- **Sewer Charges:** \$32,719.50 (Thirty-Two Thousand Seven Hundred Nineteen Dollars and Fifty Cents)
- **Total:** \$65,385.00 (Sixty-Five Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars)

The correct relevy amount should have been **One Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars and Sixty Cents (\$138.60)**, itemized as follows:

- **Water Charges:** \$69.30 (Sixty-Nine Dollars and Thirty Cents)
- **Sewer Charges:** \$69.30 (Sixty-Nine Dollars and Thirty Cents)
- **Total:** \$138.60 (One Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars and Sixty Cents)

If you should require additional information or have any questions, please contact the Town Comptroller, Minal Patel at 845-485-3610 or via email at [mpatel@townofpoughkeepsie-ny.gov](mailto:mpatel@townofpoughkeepsie-ny.gov).

Best Regards,

Minal Patel  
Comptroller

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Town Hall.  
1 Overocker Rd, Poughkeepsie NY, 12603  
p. 845.485.3600 f. 845.485-3701  
[www.townofpoughkeepsie.com](http://www.townofpoughkeepsie.com)

## Weisse, Catherine

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**From:** Mackenzie Richter <richm@hvfcu.org>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 24, 2026 9:06 AM  
**To:** Weisse, Catherine  
**Subject:** FW: [EXT] Re: HVFCU - Tax correction Follow-Up  
**Attachments:** Irizarry - RP554 Form.pdf

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**Mackenzie Richter**  
Real Estate Tax & Escrow Specialist

**Hudson Valley Federal Credit Union**  
P.O. Box 1071 | Poughkeepsie | NY | 12602-1071  
(P) 845.463.3011, extension 2208  
(F) 845.432.3391  
[richm@hvfcu.org](mailto:richm@hvfcu.org)  
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**From:** Francis.X Irizarry <francis.x.irizarry@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, February 20, 2026 5:46 PM  
**To:** Mackenzie Richter <richm@hvfcu.org>  
**Subject:** [EXT] Re: HVFCU - Tax correction Follow-Up

On Fri, Feb 20, 2026 at 5:39 PM Mackenzie Richter <[richm@hvfcu.org](mailto:richm@hvfcu.org)> wrote:

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Hi Francis,

Thank you for taking the time to speak with me earlier this evening. As we discussed, please find attached the RP554 form needed to request the billing correction on your 2026 property tax bill. The signed form can be returned via this e-mail chain as a picture or PDF attachment. Please let me know if you have any questions. Have a wonderful weekend!

Thank you,

**Mackenzie Richter**

Real Estate Tax & Escrow Specialist

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Respectfully,

Francis X Irizarry.

Linkedin: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/francis-irizarry-91b36a143/>

Github: <https://github.com/undid-iridium>

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**IMPORTANT-TAX DOCUMENT ENCLOSED**

Receiver of Taxes  
1 Overocker Road  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12603

GORIS ENID  
IRIZARRY FRANCIS X  
20 WOODCLIFF AVE  
POUGHKEEPSIE, NY 12603

STATEMENT OF COUNTY/TOWN TAXES				
TOWN OF POUGHKEEPSIE				
Page No.	Roll Sect.	SWIS CODE:	Bill No.	Sequence No.
1 of 1	1	134689	4592	9274
Fiscal Year:		Warrant Date:	Bank Code:	Account No.
1/1/26 to 12/31/26		12/17/25	C080496	14905847
Estimated State Aid:				
CNTY 123,740,526			TOWN 702,679	
<b>MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO</b>			<b>IN PERSON PAYMENT</b>	
Receiver of Taxes 1 Overocker Road Poughkeepsie, NY 12603 845-485-3611			Poughkeepsie Town Hall Tax Office 1 Overocker Road Poughkeepsie, NY 12603 8:30AM - 4:00PM Mon - Fri Include Phone Number on Payment	
<b>SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR MORE INFORMATION</b>				

The assessor estimates the **Full Market Value** of this property as of 7/1/2024 was: 201,100  
 The **Total Assessed Value** of this property is: 179,000  
 The **Uniform Percentage of Value** used to establish assessments was: 89.00%

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION & LOCATION		Exemption	Value	Tax Purpose	Full Value Estimate
<b>PARCEL ID</b>	134689-6161-08-905847-0000				
<b>LOCATION</b>	20 WOODCLIFF AVE				
<b>ACREAGE</b>	0.13				
<b>SCHOOL</b>	Arlington CSD				
<b>PROPERTY CLASS</b>	210 - 1 Family Res				

PROPERTY TAXES					
Taxing Purpose	Total Levy	% Change From Prior Year*	Taxable Value or Units	Rate per \$1000 or per Units	Tax Amount
<b>**HOMESTEAD PARCEL**</b>					
County Tax	107,014,305	4.8	179,000.00	2.371722	<b>424.54</b>
Town Outside Tax	29,270,879	5	179,000.00	4.543906	<b>813.36</b>
Arlington Sewer			1,000.00	.058965	<b>58.97</b>
Arlington Fire	26,244,600	5.4	179,000.00	6.477347	<b>1,159.45</b>
Arlington Sewer Main			1,000.00	.033086	<b>33.09</b>
Consolidated Light	427,989	7.6	179,000.00	.170372	<b>30.50</b>
Pok Lib District	2,460,773	3.8	179,000.00	.979335	<b>175.30</b>
Town Wide Wat Imp			1,000.00	.008528	<b>8.53</b>
Unpaid Sewer			0.00		<b>69.30 32,788.80</b>
Unpaid Water			0.00		<b>69.30 32,734.80</b>

\*This is the percent of increase or decrease of the current year's tax levy over the previous year's tax levy. This does not represent the total percent of your tax increase or decrease. The tax levy is the total amount to be raised by property taxes.

<b>TOTAL TAX DUE 02/28/26</b>	<b>\$68,227.34</b>
Taxes paid by _____	<b>CC CA CH</b>

**RECEIVER'S STUB MUST BE RETURNED WITH PAYMENT. INCLUDE YOUR PHONE NUMBER AND BILL NUMBER ON YOUR CHECK. FOR A RECEIPT OF PAYMENT RETURN ENTIRE BILL.**

TOWN OF POUGHKEEPSIE

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**INSTALLMENT 1 Bill No. 4592**

**INSTALLMENT 2 Bill No. 4592**

**INSTALLMENT 3 Bill No. 4592**

Parcel **134689 6161-08-905847-0000**  
GORIS ENID

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Pay on or before: 2/28/2026 \$22,742.46  
 2% 3/1/2026 - 5/31/2026 \$23,197.31  
 4% 6/1/2026 - 8/31/2026 \$23,652.15

Pay on or before: 2/28/2026 \$22,742.44  
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## SCHEDULE A

**Correction**

Town of Poughkeepsie  
2025/26 C/T Tax Bill

**Grid Number:** 134689-6161-08-905847-0000

**Name:** Enid Goris and Francis X Irizarry

**Location:** 20 Woodcliff Ave.

Currently on Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
Dutchess County	179,000		179,000	0.002371722	424.54
Town of Poughkeepsie	179,000		179,000	0.004543906	813.36
Arlington Sewer	1,000		1,000	0.058965000	58.97
Arlington Fire	179,000		179,000	0.006477347	1,159.45
Arlington Sewer Main	1,000		1,000	0.033086000	33.09
Consolidated Light	179,000		179,000	0.000170372	30.50
Pok Lib District	179,000		179,000	0.000979335	175.30
Town Wide Water Imp	1,000		1,000	0.008528000	8.53
Unpaid Sewer					32,788.80
Unpaid Water					32,734.80
		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax		0	0.00		
<b>Total Tax on Current Roll</b>					68,227.34

Corrected Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
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Unpaid Sewer					69.30
Unpaid Water					69.30
		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax		0	0.00	0	-
<b>Total Tax on Corrected Roll</b>					2,842.34

**Chargeback**

A342 Allow. For Uncoll. Taxes	-
A430 Town of Poughkeepsie	<u>65,385.00</u>

**TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT:** \$65,385.00

RESOLUTION NO. 2026050

RE: APPROVAL OF APPLICATION TO CORRECT TAX ROLL  
AND TO ORDER THE LOCAL TAX COLLECTOR TO  
ISSUE A CORRECTED TAX BILL

APPLICANT: Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies Inc.  
P.O. Box AB  
Millbrook NY 12545

ACCOUNT NO.: 135889-6665-00-019018-0000

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, BRENDLI, CASWELL, DARROW, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES and WINSBY offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, there is an assessment on the January 2026 County/Town Tax roll for the Town of Washington under the name of Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies Inc., Account No. 135889-6665-00-019018-0000, and

WHEREAS, the owner of said parcel, by application attached hereto, has applied for a correction of real property taxes on the basis of an alleged error in unlawful entry of said assessment, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 554 of the Real Property Tax Law, the County Director of Real Property Tax Service has investigated this claim and it has been determined and certified by said Director that the tax bill, as issued, is incorrect due to the unlawful entry, and

WHEREAS, attached hereto is the written report of said Director together with her recommendation that the application be approved by the County Legislature, and

WHEREAS, the County Legislature has agreed that an unlawful entry does exist, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the application received February 19, 2026, relating to Account No. 135889-6665-00-019018-0000 for a corrected tax roll is hereby approved, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the County Legislature be and she hereby is authorized and directed to send a copy of this resolution to the applicant and to the Town Tax Collector, directing said Tax Collector to issue a corrected tax bill as follows and attach a copy of this resolution to the warrant:

BUDGET, FINANCE, AND PERSONNEL

<u>Municipality</u>	<u>Assessed Value</u>	<u>Exempt Amt.</u>	<u>Taxable Value</u>	<u>Corrected Tax</u>
Dutchess County	214,100	214,100	0	0.00
Town of Washington	214,100	214,100	0	0.00
Millbrook Library	214,100	214,100	0	0.00
Washington Fire Prot	214,100	214,100	0	0.00
			TOTAL:	\$ 0.00

and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Tax Collector be instructed to return the unpaid portion as being erroneous when the accounts are settled with the Commissioner of Finance at the expiration of the warrant, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance be and hereby is authorized and directed to charge-back the erroneous taxes after settlement with the collector at the expiration of the warrant as follows:

A342 Allow. For Uncoll. Taxes \$246.27  
 A440 Millbrook Central School Dist \$3,518.13

TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT \$3,764.40

CA-027-26  
 EMW/MB/mar/rjw  
 G-0194  
 02/25-2026  
 Fiscal Impact: See Attached

APPROVED  
  
 SUSAN J. SERINO  
 COUNTY EXECUTIVE  
 Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
 SS:  
 COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 15 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



  
 JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

## COORDINATION

Initialing indicates information only:

 County Executive

emw County Attorney (as to form)

cw/emwRPT

JF/emwFinance

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COUNTY EXECUTIVE



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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES DIVISION

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COUNTY ATTORNEY  
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## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

### APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

*(To be completed by requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds *(check one)*:     Existing Appropriations,     Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,     Additional Appropriations,     Other *(explain)*.

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses:    Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Additional Comments/Explanation:

Correction of a January 2026 County/Town tax bill due to an unlawful entry on the tax roll.

Prepared by: Margaret Burns

Prepared On: 2/20/2026

# Dutchess County Real Property Tax Services

## Correction of Errors Investigative Report

Legal Description (Grid #): 135889-6665-00-019018-0000

Owner's Name: Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies Inc.

Mailing Address: P.O. Box AB Millbrook NY 12545

Property Location: 40 Fowler Rd.

School District: Millbrook Central School Dist. Special District: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Assessed Value on roll: 214,100 Corrected to: Same

Taxable Assessed Value on roll: 214,100 Corrected to: 0

Exemptions and amounts, if applicable:

Non Profit Edu 214,100

Amount Levied: \$3,764.40 Should be: \$0.00

Tax Bill Paid:  Yes  No

Error Claimed is defined in Real Property Tax Law §550:

- Subdivision 2, Paragraph \_\_\_\_ (clerical error)
- Subdivision 3, Paragraph \_\_\_\_ (error in essential fact)
- Subdivision 7, Paragraph A (unlawful entry)

Reason:

- Exemption was approved by assessor, but not entered on roll
- Exemption amount incorrectly calculated
- Assessed value on roll does not match assessor's final work product
- Structure did not exist on taxable status date or was present on another parcel
- Assessment based on incorrect acreage
- Parcel should be Wholly Exempt
- Parcel Misclassified as homestead or non-homestead
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation:  APPROVE APPLICATION  DENY APPLICATION

Details:

It is recommended that the application for a corrected 2025/26 County/Town tax bill be approved.

Investigator: Margaret Burns Director: Cathy Wynn Date: 2/24/26



Department of Taxation and Finance  
Office of Real Property Tax Services

# Application for Corrected Tax Roll

**RP-554**  
(12/19)  
**RECEIVED**

FEB 19 2026

**Part 1 – General information:** To be completed in duplicate by the applicant.

DC REAL PROPERTY  
TAX SERVICES

Names of owners Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies Inc			Location of property (street address) 40 Fowler Road		
Mailing address of owners (number and street or PO box) PO Box AB			City, town, or village Millbrook		
City, village, or post office Millbrook		State NY	ZIP code 12545		State ZIP code NY 12545
Daytime contact number 845-677-5343 x121	Evening contact number		Tax map number of section/block/lot: Property identification (see tax bill or assessment roll) 6665-00-019018		
Account number (as appears on tax bill) 000872			Amount of taxes currently billed		
Reasons for requesting a correction to tax roll: To correct/cancel the 2026 County/Town Tax bill, per Tax Collection Supervisor					

I hereby request a correction of tax levied by County/Town Tax Bill for the year(s) 2026  
(County, city, village, etc.)

Signature of applicant 	Date 02-12-2026
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**Part 2 –** To be completed by the County Director or Village Assessor. Attach a written report including documentation and recommendation. Specify the type of error and paragraph of subdivision 2, 3, or 7 of Section 550 under which the error falls.

Date application received 2/19/29	Period of warrant for collection of taxes 12/17/25
Last day for collection of taxes without interest 2/28/26	Recommendation Approve application <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deny application <input type="checkbox"/>
Signature of official 	Date 2/24/26

If approved, the County Director must file a copy of this form with the assessor and board of assessment review of the city/town/village of \_\_\_\_\_ who must consider the attached report and recommendation as equivalent of petitions filed under section 553.

**Part 3 –** For use by the tax levying body or official designated by resolution \_\_\_\_\_  
(insert number or date, if applicable)

Application approved (mark an X in the applicable box):

Clerical error  Error in essential fact  Unlawful Entry

Amount of taxes currently billed	Corrected tax
Date notice of approval mailed to applicant	Date order transmitted to collecting officer

Application denied (reason): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of chief executive officer, or official designated by resolution	Date
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## Instructions

### General information

#### Where to send

Submit two copies of this application to the County Director of Real Property Tax Services (in Nassau and Tompkins Counties, submit to Chief Assessing Officer).

#### When to send

Submit the application only before the collection warrant expires.

#### Wholly exempt parcel

Attach statement signed by assessor or majority of board of assessors substantiating that assessor obtained proof that parcel should have been granted tax exempt status on tax roll.

### Payment requirements

You may pay without interest and penalties only if:

- the application was filed with the County Director on or before the last day that taxes may be paid without interest (see *Date application received* in Part 2); and
- you pay the corrected tax within eight days of the date on which the notice of approval is mailed to the applicant (see Part 3).

If either of these conditions is not satisfied, interest, penalties, or both must be paid on the corrected tax.

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### For use by Collecting Officer:

Order from tax levying body received on \_\_\_\_\_ .  
Date

Corrected tax due	Date tax roll corrected
Interest and penalties (if applicable)	Date tax bill corrected
Total corrected tax due	Date application and order added to tax roll
Date payment received	

Signature of collecting officer	Date
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## Agenda Item Details

Meeting	Dec 22, 2025 - REGULAR BOARD MEETING
Category	D. CONSENT AGENDA VOTE Asterisked items listed below are consent agenda items. Consent agenda items are approved via a single vote unless they are removed from being a consent item prior to the vote.
Subject	9. *Authorize Tax Roll Correction - Cary Institute
Access	Public
Type	Action (Consent)
Recommended Action	<p>WHEREAS, the Millbrook Central School District is in receipt of an application for a correction of the school taxes levied against the property located at 40 Fowler Road, Millbrook NY 12545 (Tax Map #6665-00-019018) for the 2025-2026 school year, as a result of a clerical error in the failure to account for the tax exemption of the property owner ("Correction of Parcel Error"); and</p> <p>WHEREAS, such application for the Correction of Parcel Error has been investigated and recommended for approval by the Dutchess County Director of Real Property Tax Services;</p> <p>NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Millbrook Central School District approves the application for Correction of Parcel Error, and authorizes the Superintendent and Treasurer to: (1) rescind the erroneous school tax bill; (2) issue a corrected school tax bill consistent with the tax exempt status of the property owner; and (3) take any further action consistent with Section 556[5] of the Real Property Tax Law.</p>

## Public Content

## Administrative Content

[Tax Roll Correction Carey Institute 12.22.25.pdf \(473 KB\)](#)

## Executive Content

## Motion & Voting

A motion to approve consent agenda items as presented.

Motion by Jennifer Carnecchia, second by Chris LaBelle.

Final Resolution: Motion carried.

Yes: Perry Hartswick, Jennifer Carnecchia, David LaVarnway, Christopher Rosenbergen, Chris LaBelle, Dena Ghobashy

Collection: Town & County 2026

Fiscal Year Start: 1/1/2026

Fiscal Year End: 12/31/2026

Warrant Date: 12/17/2025

Total Tax Due (minus penalties & interest) \$3,764.40

\$3,764.40

Pay Full

Tax Bill #	SWIS	Tax Map #	Status
002322	135889	6665-00-019018-0000	Unpaid
Address	Municipality	School	
40 Fowler Rd	Town of Washington	Millbrook CSD	

Owners	Property Information	Assessment Information	
Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies Inc 2801 Sharon Tpke Millbrook, NY 12545	<b>Roll Section:</b> 8 <b>Property Class:</b> Rural res <b>Lot Size:</b> 11.00	<b>Full Market Value:</b> <b>Total Assessed Value:</b> <b>Uniform %:</b>	317000.00 214100.00 67.55

Exemption	Amount
WHOLLY EX	214100.00

Description	Tax Levy	Percent Change	Taxable Value	Rate	Tax Amount
County Tax	107014305	4.8000	0.000	3.12483200	\$0.00
Town Outside Tax	1988956	-0.7000	0.000	1.88838700	\$0.00
Millbrook Library	349000	0.0000	0.000	0.27349800	\$0.00
Washington Fire Prot	851817	15.8000	0.000	0.69373600	\$0.00
Ret 2025 School Tax	0	0.0000	0.000	0.00000000	\$3,764.40

Total Taxes: \$3,764.40

FULL PAYMENT OPTION

From:	To:	Tax Amount	Penalty	Notice Fee	Total Due
Jan 01	Feb 28, 2026	\$3,764.40	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,764.40
Mar 01	Mar 31, 2026	\$3,764.40	\$75.29	\$0.00	\$3,839.69
Apr 01	Apr 30, 2026	\$3,764.40	\$112.93	\$0.00	\$3,877.33
May 01	May 01, 2026	\$3,764.40	\$112.93	\$2.00	\$3,879.33
May 02	May 31, 2026	\$3,764.40	\$150.58	\$2.00	\$3,916.98

Estimated State Aid - Type	Amount
County	123740526.00
Town	16730.00

Mail Payments To:

Christine Briggs  
Tax Collector  
PO Box 667 Millbrook, NY 12545



**Millbrook Central School District  
Dutchess County**

**PAY TO:** P.O. Box 686, Millbrook, New York 12545 845 677-4200 x1105

Property and summary tax balance information for the selected parcel is shown to the right. Exemptions are displayed as well if they exist for the property.

You can view or hide tax bill detail and any payments by clicking the bar near the bottom of the page.

If the property appears in other tax years, you can quickly view the tax history for the property just select a tax year from the drop-down list at the top of the page.

To request a signed Tax Certification click the "Request Signed Certificate" button at the bottom of the page.

[Re-enter search conditions](#)

**For Tax Year:** 2025 School Tax (2025-2026) Last Updated: 09/09/25 07:59 am

<b>Owner:</b> Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies Inc 2801 Sharon Tpke Millbrook, NY 12545	<b>Tax Map #</b> 6665-00-019018-0000 <b>Tax Bill #</b> 000872 <b>Bank Code:</b> <b>School Code:</b> 135801 <b>Property Class:</b> 240	<b>Tax Roll:</b> 1
<b>Location:</b> 40 Fowler Rd SWIS: 135889 Washington	<b>Acreage:</b> 11 <b>Frontage:</b> <b>Depth:</b>	<b>Liber:</b> 22024 <b>Page:</b> 51999
<i>25.20</i> <i>Non-Project Fee</i>		<b>Full Value:</b> 317,000 <b>Assessment:</b> 214,100 <b>STAR Savings:</b> 0.00 <b>Tax Amount:</b> <b>3,449.15</b> <b>Tax Paid:</b> 0.00 <b>Balance:</b> <b>3,449.15</b>

+ 10.00 + 10.00 + 10.00

School Taxes	27,779,561	214,100	16.109973	3,449.15
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**Tax Balance does not include any accrued Late Fees**  
**Payments shown may not include payments made directly to the County**

[Pay Balance](#) | [Payment Schedule](#) | [Tax Certification](#)

## SCHEDULE A

**Correction**

Town of Washington  
2025/26 C/T Tax Bill

**Grid Number:** 135889-6665-00-019018-0000

**Name:** Cary Institute of Ecosystem Studies Inc.

**Location:** 40 Fowler Rd.

Currently on Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
Dutchess County	214,100	214,100	-	0.003124832	-
Town of Washington	214,100	214,100	-	0.001888387	-
Millbrook Library	214,100	214,100	-	0.000273498	-
Washington Fire Prot	214,100	214,100	-	0.000693736	-
			-		-
			-		-
			-		-
			0.00		-
		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax	3,449.15	68.98	3,518.13	246.27	3,764.40
Millbrook Central School Dist					
			<b>Total Tax on Current Roll</b>		<b>3,764.40</b>

Corrected Tax Roll	Assessed Value	Exemption Amount	Taxable Value	Tax Rate	Total
Dutchess County	214,100	214,100	-	0.003124832	-
Town of Washington	214,100	214,100	-	0.001888387	-
Millbrook Library	214,100	214,100	-	0.000273498	-
Washington Fire Prot	214,100	214,100	-	0.000693736	-
			-		-
			-		-
			-		-
			-		-
		School Interest (0 or 2%)		County Interest	
	Original amount	2%		7%	
Ret 2025/26 School Tax		0	0.00	0	-
			<b>Total Tax on Corrected Roll</b>		<b>-</b>

**Chargeback**

A342 Allow. For Uncoll. Taxes	246.27
A430 Town of Washington	-
A440 Millbrook Central School Dist	<u>3,518.13</u>

**TOTAL CHARGEBACK AMOUNT: \$3,764.40**

BUDGET, FINANCE, AND PERSONNEL

Resolution No. 2026052

EXPRESSING LEGISLATIVE INTENT TO CONSIDER ADOPTION OF A REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR DISABLED VETERANS AND DIRECTING A FISCAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

Legislators REDL, VALDÉS SMITH, BRENDLI, DRAGO, KAUL, KEARNEY, LAWLER, RHODES, SHAH and WINSBY offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, the New York State Legislature Senate Bill S1183 during the 2025-2026 Legislative Session, which was signed into law by the Governor and amended Section 458-a of the New York State Real Property Tax Law to authorize local governments to provide a real property tax exemption for the primary residence of veterans with a one hundred percent service-connected disability; and

WHEREAS, such legislation permits, but does not require, counties, cities, towns, villages, and school districts to opt into this exemption by local action; and

WHEREAS, veterans who are permanently and totally disabled as a result of their military service may face significant financial hardship and fixed incomes, and providing targeted property tax relief may advance local affordability and equity goals; and

WHEREAS, recent amendments to Section 458-a raise implementation, administrative, and fiscal considerations that warrant further review or prior to local adoption, including eligibility verification, assessment impacts, and statutory clarity, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that Dutchess County Legislature hereby expresses its intent to consider adoption of the veterans real property tax exemption authorized under Section 458-a of the Real Property Tax Law, as amended; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Department of Finance and the Office of Veterans Affairs shall prepare and submit a report to the Legislature addressing:

- (a) the estimated number of potentially eligible veterans within the County;
  - (b) the projected fiscal and assessment impacts of adopting such an exemption;
  - (c) administrative and verification requirements for implementation; and
  - (d) any pending or anticipated technical amendments to state law relevant to local adoption;
- and be it further

RESOLVED, that such report shall be provided to the Legislature on or before July 1, 2026, to inform future legislative consideration of the exemption.

STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 25 day of April 2026 and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 25 day of April 2026.

*Sue Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



*Julie Shiroishi*  
JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

Date April 20, 2026

## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

### APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

*(To be completed by the requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost        \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue    \$ \_\_\_\_\_

and Source

Source of County Funds (check one):

Existing Appropriations

Contingency

Transfer of Existing

Additional Appropriations

Other (explain)

Appropriations

Identify Line Item(s):

Related Expenses:    Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County:

Net County Cost (this year):

Over Five Years:

Additional Comments / Explanation:

BUDGET, FINANCE, AND PERSONNEL

Prepared by: Trevor Redl Prepared  
On: 3/13/26

2026

RESOLUTION NO. 2026055

RE: APPOINTMENTS TO THE DUTCHESS COUNTY FIRE AND SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, ALEXANDER, ARNOFF , BRENDLI, DARROW, DRAGO, FAUST, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES and SHAH offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, vacancies exist on the Dutchess County Fire and Safety Advisory Board for the positions of Paid Fire member and Citizen member, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature does hereby appoint the following person to the Dutchess County Fire and Safety Advisory Board for the term indicated:

APPOINTMENT:

TERM EXPIRING:

Chris Johnson  
[REDACTED]  
Hyde Park, NY, 12538

12/31/2028

Jon Vesey  
[REDACTED]  
Millbrook, NY, 12545

12/31/2028

APPROVED  
*Sue Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE  
Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 12 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*[Signature]*  
JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

# FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

## APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS (To be completed by requesting department)

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds (check one):  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other (explain).

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments/Explanation:

Prepared by: Yvette Valdes Smith Prepared On: 3/13/26

# CHRISTOPHER JOHNSON

Hyde Park, NY 12538

## EXPERIENCE

**MAY 2023 - PRESENT**

### **DEPUTY CHIEF, WESTCHESTER COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES**

As a Deputy Chief, I am responsible for maintaining training center schedules and logistics, ensuring seamless operation and optimal resource utilization. Coordinates and supervises county fire instructors. Maintain the county fire training center and ensure all necessary maintenance is done. Assists the Chief of Special Operations, with the county Hazardous Materials and Technical Rescue teams to include responses. Coordinates the Mid-Hudson Regional HazMat Consortium to ensure grant funding is spent to meet target operational needs of all three counties. Operates as a Deputy Fire Coordinator in the absence of the Director of Fire Services.

**DECEMBER 2022 - PRESENT**

### **INSTRUCTOR, THE HAZMAT GUYS**

As an Instructor, I am responsible for conducting specialized training sessions on hazardous materials and weapons of mass destruction, enhancing client readiness and safety protocols.

**MAY 2007 – PRESENT**

### **HAZARDOUS MATERIALS SPECIALIST, DUTCHESS COUNTY HAZARDOUS MATERIALS RESPONSE TEAM**

As a Hazardous Materials Specialist, my primary function is to assist county fire departments in mitigation of and preparedness for all hazardous materials incidents which may occur. I am also responsible for assisting in maintaining equipment to ensure it is in operational order and provide monthly training to members in all aspects of HazMat and CBRNE response.

**FEBRUARY 2023 - PRESENT**

### **FIRE INVESTIGATOR, DUTCHESS COUNTY FIRE INVESTIGATION DIVISION**

As a Fire Investigator, I am responsible for conducting cause and origin investigations to assist the local fire chiefs at scenes of fires and explosions throughout Dutchess County.

**AUGUST 2012 – MAY 2023**

### **FIRE PROTECTION SPECIALIST 1, NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF FIRE PREVENTION AND CONTROL**

As a Fire Protection Specialist in the Special Operations Branch, I was responsible for delivering state-wide Hazardous Materials and Technical Rescue courses, enhancing responder knowledge and emergency response effectiveness. I was also responsible for being a liaison to assigned counties to assist in Hazardous Materials needs and assisting any needs in cases of major disasters both manmade and natural thru the New York State Fire Mutual Aid and Mobilization Plan. I also held the position of Rescue Specialist and Canine Handler with NY-TaskForce2, the state's Urban Search and Rescue Team.

**SEPTEMBER 2003 – JUNE 2018**

### **CAPTAIN/EMT, ROOSEVELT FIRE DISTRICT**

Led emergency response operations for fire and EMS alarms, demonstrating exceptional leadership and crisis management skills. Was responsible for the overall operation and day-to-day functions of the station.

## EDUCATION

MAY 2002

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA, YORK PREPARATORY SCHOOL

JUNE 2021

ASSOCIATES IN APPLIED SCIENCE – FIRE SCIENCE, PURDUE UNIVERSITY GLOBAL  
*summa cum laude*

June 2023

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE- FIRE SCIENCE, PURDUE UNIVERSITY GLOBAL  
*summa cum laude*

January 2025

MASTER OF SCIENCE - EXECUTIVE FIRE LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION,  
COLUMBIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

## SKILLS

- Strong sense of Duty
- Passion for helping others
- Strategic budget coordination
- Problem solver
- Multitasker
- Perform well under pressure

## RELEVANT TRAINING

New York State Certification Officer 1  
New York State Certification Confined Space Technician  
New York State Certification Fire Investigator  
National Certification Fire Officer 1  
National Certification Fire Officer 2  
National Certification Fire Officer 3  
National Certification HazMat Operations  
National Certification HazMat Technician  
National Certification Instructor 1  
National Certification Instructor 2  
National Certification Fire Investigator  
*Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents – ICS300*  
*ICS for Major and/or Complex Incidents – ICS 400*  
*Crime Scene Investigations for Hazardous Environments*  
***A complete transcript of training available upon request***

# JON VESEY

Millbrook, NY 12545

## **PROFESSIONAL**

**Beehive** – New York, NY

Founder / Partner: 1994 to present

A multi-disciplinary design and editorial studio creating, directing, and producing visual content for the entertainment, broadcast, advertising, and web industries.

**Broadway Video** – New York, NY

VP Digital Editorial: Apr 1989 to Sept 1994

A premier full-service NYC-based studio founded by Lorne Michaels in 1979. It specializes in post-production for high-profile television, including *Saturday Night Live*, *Late Night with Conan O'Brien* and *MTV Unplugged*, offering state-of-the-art design, editing, sound and visual effects services.

**Promax / Broadcast Design Association Board of Governors** – Los Angeles, CA

Board Member: 2004 to 2009

The premier global association of Entertainment Marketing, promotion, and design professionals, representing thousands of members across broadcast, cable, and streaming media. It provides networking, industry education, and prestigious awards to honor excellence in creative content marketing.

**Professional Associations:** National Academy of Arts and Sciences (EMMYS), National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences (GRAMMYS), Motion Picture Editors Guild, Society of Motion Picture and Television Engineers

## **PUBLIC SERVICE**

**Hoboken Historic Preservation Commission** – Hoboken, NJ

Vice Chair: Dec 2018 to Nov 2022 / Commissioner: Aug 2017 to Dec 2018

The HHPC reviews and acts on applications for any exterior renovation, or alteration visible to the public on buildings, structures, or property located within a locally designated historic district and on all locally designated landmarks.

**Hoboken Pier C Advisory Board** – Hoboken, NJ

Board Member: 2008 to 2010

This community board was assembled to advise on the redevelopment and construction of a 20 million dollar, 1.5 acre park, along the Hudson River. The project received awards from the American Society of Landscape Architects, Waterfront Center and New Jersey Society of Landscape Architects.

**Hoboken Arts Advisory Board** – City of Hoboken, NJ

Chair: Dec 2021 to Nov 2022 / Board Member: Nov 2019 to Dec 2021

The Hoboken Arts Advisory Board advises the Mayor and City Administration on public arts projects and expenditures from the Hoboken Public Art Fund. The board endeavors to find public art that will bring enjoyment to both visitors and residents of Hoboken and enhance the visual environment of the city.

## **EDUCATION**

**Emerson College** – Boston, Ma

Bachelor of Science – Mass Communication / Communication Business

**Rutgers University** – Camden, NJ

Certificate / Preservation in Practice for Historic Preservation Commissioners and Planners

RESOLUTION NO. 2026056

RE: RESOLUTION OF THE DUTCHESS COUNTY LEGISLATURE IN SUPPORT OF NEW YORK STATE SENATE BILL NO. 8837 AND ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2535, AN ACT TO AMEND THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW, IN RELATION TO OPTIONAL DISABILITY COVERAGE FOR COUNTY PROBATION OFFICERS.

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, ALEXANDER, ARNOFF, BRENDLI, DRAGO, KAUL, KEARNEY, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES and SHAH offer the following Resolution and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 8837 and Assembly Bill No. 2535 have been introduced in the New York State Legislature, seeking to allow any county to opt-in and include county probation officers on the list of county employees who are eligible to receive through the collective bargaining process disability coverage equal to their full salary in the event that they are injured in the performance of their duties; and

WHEREAS, probation officers' duties involve them in virtually all phases of the criminal justice process, including investigations, presentencing, criminal supervision, treatment and other preventative corrective services; and

WHEREAS, often, probation is relied upon more frequently as a viable alternative to incarceration or detention and probation officers find themselves performing many of the functions performed by their counterparts in the police and corrections services; and

WHEREAS, probation officers are exposed daily to the risks and dangers involved in managing a potentially violent criminal population and they are regularly exposed to significant amounts of stress and aggravation, not to mention the possibility of bodily injury that may result from the performance of their duties; and

WHEREAS, under the current law, probation officers are not eligible to receive comparable disability coverage for injuries they sustain in the performance of their duties; and

WHEREAS, the legislation would allow for probation officers to receive equal treatment by permitting county employers and employee representatives to negotiate for this benefit through the collective bargaining process at their option with all costs to be incurred by the employer and/or employee, as determined through collective bargaining; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that We, the Dutchess County Legislature do support Senate Bill No. 8837 and Assembly Bill No. 2535 and urge the New York State Senate, Assembly and the Governor of the State of New York to enact such legislation; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Dutchess County Legislature is hereby directed to send certified copies of this resolution to the Honorable Kathy Hochul, Governor of the State of New

PUBLIC SAFETY

York, to all Senate and Assembly members whose districts include any or all of Dutchess County, New York, and to Timothy A. Davidian, Director of the Department of Probation.

APPROVED

*Susan Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 15 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*Julie Shiroishi*  
JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

# FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

## APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

*(To be completed by requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds *(check one)*:  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other *(explain)*.

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments/Explanation:

Prepared by: Yvette Valdes Smith Prepared On: 3/13/26

# STATE OF NEW YORK

2535

2025-2026 Regular Sessions

## IN ASSEMBLY

January 17, 2025

Introduced by M. of A. PAULIN, COLTON, WEPRIN, DiPIETRO, McDONOUGH, BURDICK, SANTABARBARA, SLATER, SIMONE, LUNSFORD -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. LUPARDO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Employees

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to optional disability coverage for county probation officers

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 207-c of the general municipal  
2 law, as amended by section 55 of chapter 476 of the laws of 2018, is  
3 amended to read as follows:  
4 1. Any sheriff, undersheriff, deputy sheriff or corrections officer of  
5 the sheriff's department of any county or any member of a police force  
6 of any county, city of less than one million population, town or  
7 village, or of any district, agency, board, body or commission thereof,  
8 or any LIRR police officer as defined in paragraph two of subdivision a  
9 of section three hundred eighty-nine of the retirement and social secu-  
10 rity law whose benefits are provided in and pursuant to such section  
11 three hundred eighty-nine, or a detective-investigator or any other  
12 investigator who is a police officer pursuant to the provisions of the  
13 criminal procedure law employed in the office of a district attorney of  
14 any county, or any corrections officer of the county of Erie department  
15 of corrections, or an advanced ambulance medical technician employed by  
16 the county of Nassau, or any detention officer employed by the city of  
17 Yonkers, or any supervising fire inspector, fire inspector, fire  
18 marshal, or assistant fire marshal employed full-time in the county of  
19 Nassau fire marshal's office, or at the option of [~~the~~ *any* county [~~of~~  
20 ~~Nassau~~], any *county* probation officer [~~of the county of Nassau~~] who is  
21 injured in the performance of [~~his or her~~ *their* duties or who is taken  
22 sick as a result of the performance of [~~his or her~~ *such* duties so as to  
23 necessitate medical or other lawful remedial treatment shall be paid by

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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1 the municipality or The Long Island Rail Road Company by which [~~he or~~  
2 ~~she~~] such employee is employed the full amount of [~~his or her~~] their  
3 regular salary or wages from such employer until [~~his or her~~] the disa-  
4 bility arising therefrom has ceased, and, in addition such municipality  
5 or The Long Island Rail Road Company shall be liable for all medical  
6 treatment and hospital care necessitated by reason of such injury or  
7 illness. Provided, however, and notwithstanding the foregoing provisions  
8 of this section, the municipal or The Long Island Rail Road Company  
9 health authorities or any physician appointed for the purpose by the  
10 municipality or The Long Island Rail Road Company, as relevant, after a  
11 determination has first been made that such injury or sickness was  
12 incurred during, or resulted from, such performance of duty, may attend  
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# STATE OF NEW YORK

8837

## IN SENATE

January 8, 2026

Introduced by Sens. HINCHEY, GALLIVAN -- read twice and ordered printed,  
and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Local Government

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to optional disability coverage for county probation officers

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 207-c of the general municipal  
2 law, as amended by section 55 of chapter 476 of the laws of 2018, is  
3 amended to read as follows:

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6 of any county, city of less than one million population, town or  
7 village, or of any district, agency, board, body or commission thereof,  
8 or any LIRR police officer as defined in paragraph two of subdivision a  
9 of section three hundred eighty-nine of the retirement and social security  
10 law whose benefits are provided in and pursuant to such section  
11 three hundred eighty-nine, or a detective-investigator or any other  
12 investigator who is a police officer pursuant to the provisions of the  
13 criminal procedure law employed in the office of a district attorney of  
14 any county, or any corrections officer of the county of Erie department  
15 of corrections, or an advanced ambulance medical technician employed by  
16 the county of Nassau, or any detention officer employed by the city of  
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18 marshal, or assistant fire marshal employed full-time in the county of  
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EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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RESOLUTION NO. 2026057

RE: AMENDING THE 2026 ADOPTED COUNTY BUDGET AS IT PERTAINS TO THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, POLASEK, METZGER, ALEXANDER, ARNOFF, BRENDLI, CASWELL, DARROW, DRAGO, FAUST, GILES, HOUSE, LAWLER, MCHOUL, RHODES ROLISON, SHAH and TRESKA offer the following and moves its adoption:

WHEREAS, the District Attorney has requested the appropriation of forfeiture of crime proceeds post-conviction, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 13-A of the CPLR, said funds must be used to enhance prosecutorial and law enforcement efforts, enforcement training, equipment and operations, and not to supplement ordinary budgetary expenses, and

WHEREAS, the District Attorney has requested that the sum of \$9,500 be placed in a District Attorney Asset Forfeiture account to be used for the purchase of an 8' x 10' insulated K9 kennel which is a standard and essential requirement for all working K9s in the Northeastern region to ensure safety, welfare and operational readiness, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance is authorized and directed to amend the 2026 Adopted County Budget as follows:

APPROPRIATIONS

Increase

A.1165.05.2500.05 Other Equipment 5 Year \$9,500

REVENUES

Increase

A.1165.05.26260.00 Forfeiture – Restricted State \$9,500

CA-036-26  
LDF/rjw  
G-0135  
3/10/2026  
Fiscal Impact: See Attached

APPROVED  
*Sue Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026 and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

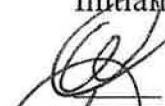

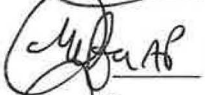

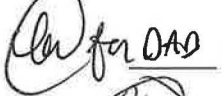

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*Julie Shirosi II*  
JULIE SHIROSI II, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

COORDINATION

Initialing indicates information only:

-  County Executive
-  County Attorney (as to form)
-  District Attorney
-  Finance
-  Comptroller
-  Budget



Anthony P. Parisi  
District Attorney

# Office of the Dutchess County DISTRICT ATTORNEY



Michael W. Brady  
Chief Assistant

## MEMORANDUM

Date: March 10, 2026

To: Sue Serino, County Executive

From: Anthony P. Parisi, District Attorney

Copy: Michele Belmonte, Michael W. Brady, Linda Fakhoury, Jessica Edwards, Tiffanie Massey, Cullen D. O'Shea, Colleen Pillus, A. Gregg Pulver, Michelle Robison, Benjamin Traudt, Rachel Whispell, Jessica White, Eoin Wrafter

**Re: Resolution request authorization to apply asset forfeiture funds to 2026 appropriations**

I respectfully request the preparation of a resolution authorizing the expenditure of post-conviction asset forfeiture funds by my department. These funds were seized and forfeited pursuant to applicable federal statutes, including the United States Code and Article 13-A of the CPLR. In accordance with governing regulations, such proceeds may only be used to support law enforcement training, equipment, and operational needs, and may not be applied to routine or recurring budgetary expenses. The expenditure proposed in this resolution fully complies with these requirements.

My office has verified that post-conviction asset forfeiture proceeds are available for appropriation from A.1165.05.26260.00 - Forfeit - Restricted State.

The District Attorney's Office seeks authorization to purchase an 8' x 10' insulated K9 kennel to support the newly assigned Drug Task Force K9, which will replace the previously retired K9. An insulated outdoor kennel is a standard and essential requirement for all working K9s in the Northeastern region to ensure safety, welfare, and operational readiness.

Thank you for your consideration.

APP:hjo  
Attachment

## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

### APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS *(To be completed by requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost \$ 9,500

Total Current Year Revenue \$ 9,500  
and Source

Source of County Funds *(check one)*:  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other *(explain)*.

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Additional Comments/Explanation:

This resolution is to appropriate Post-Conviction Forfeiture funds (State-Reserve, Federal-Reserve, Restricted State, and/or Restricted Federal) to enable the purchase of an 8 x 10 insulated K9 kennel.

Prepared by: Heidi Owens Prepared On: 3/10/2026

## Horizon Structures

5075 Lower Valley Rd  
Atglen, PA 19310-1774 USA  
+16109435474  
Sales@horizonstructures.com



## INVOICE

**BILL TO**  
District Attorney Office  
Attention: Adam Haris  
236 Main Street  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601  
United States

**SHIP TO**  
Austin Nichols  
27 Guernsey Hill Rd,  
Lagrangeville, NY 12540  
United States

**INVOICE** 11136  
**DATE** 03/09/2026  
**TERMS** See Below

**PHONE NUMBER**  
845-590-6790

**REP**  
Chris Quattrocchi

DESCRIPTION	QTY	RATE	AMOUNT
GSA Contractor (Contract#: GS-07F-0630W) CCR and ORCA (Duns#: 800250800, CAGE: 5MAF2)	1	0.00	0.00
MFR Part No. 8101T	1	6,171.84	6,171.84

8 x 10 Traditional 1 Box Kennel

**Includes:**

4x8 Insulated Dog Box  
6x8 Dog Run

**PAINT COLOR:**  
**TRIM COLOR:**  
**DOOR COLOR:**  
**SHINGLE ROOF COLOR:**

**STANDARD FEATURES INCLUDE:**

- 4x4 Pressure Treated Foundation Runners
- 2x4 Pressure Treated Floor Joist - 16" OC
- 5/8" LP SmartFloor
- 2x4 Wall Studs - 16" OC
- 7/16" LP TechShield Sheathing
- Polyurea coating on Interior Floor
- Your Choice of Siding - Painted LP SmartSide, Stained Pine Board & Batten or Stained Pine Tongue & Groove
- Single Pane Windows with Screens
- Insulated Fiberglass Slab Door with Keyed Latch
- Double 2x4 Header Above Runs
- 4x4 Pressure Treated Posts in Runs
- Exterior Dog Runs with Chain Link Partitions and Entry Gate
- 1x6 PVC Composite Decking in Exterior Dog Run Area

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- R-11 Insulated Interior Dog Box Area
- Interior Walls & Ceiling are Lined with Glasbord
- 2x4 Rafters - 16" OC
- 7/16" OSB Sheathing on Roof
- 30 Year Architectural Shingles
- 20" Plexi-Glass Chew-Proof Dog Door with Aluminum Edging

PRICE DOES NOT DELIVERY AND PLACEMENT

(Out Of Contract) Delivery And Placement From 5075 Lower Valley Rd, Atglen, PA 19310 To 27 Guernsey Hill Rd, Lagrangeville, NY 12540	1	1,280.00	1,280.00
Floor drain (includes drain pipe)	8	66.46	531.68
Upgrade to DELUXE 24" Dog Door (REF GSA P/N: GPKNLDOGDOOR-DLX24)	1	117.28	117.28
(Out Of Contract) Stainless Steel Door Trim Kit	1	290.00	290.00
(Out Of Contract) Upgrade to 6 Gauge Welded Wire	1	730.00	730.00
UPGRADE to 6 Panel "Man" Door - Prehung (REF GSA P/N: GPKNLMANDOOR/PH-6P)	1	288.31	288.31
Note: Customer is responsible for site preparation per Horizon Structures diagram. Customer is responsible for providing a minimum of 16' clearance for the delivery driver.	1	0.00	0.00
TERMS: NET 30 VISA/MASTERCARD ALSO ACCEPTED	1	0.00	0.00

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BALANCE DUE

**\$9,409.11**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION NO. 2026059

RE: CONFIRMING REAPPOINTMENT OF LIVIA SANTIAGO-ROSADO, MD, MPH, FACEP AS COMMISSIONER OF THE DUTCHESS COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, MUNN, ALEXANDER, ARNOFF, BRENDLI, KAUL, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES, SHAH and WINSBY offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 2021209, the Legislature confirmed the County Executive's appointment of Livia Santiago-Rosado, MD, MPH, FACEP as Commissioner of the Department of Behavioral and Community Health for a six (6) year term effective on or about December 28, 2021 through December 27, 2027, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Local Law No. 1 of 2024, Dutchess County amended the Dutchess County Charter and Administrative Code to reorganize the Department of Behavioral and Community Health into two separate departments: Department of Health and Department of Mental Health and to add the Office of Veterans Affairs as a distinct unit of County government, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Local Law No. 1 of 2024 and Dutchess County Charter Article VII, Section 7.01, the term of the Commissioner of the Department of Health shall be four years, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Local Law No. 1 of 2024 and Dutchess County Charter Article VII, Section 7.01, Dr. Santiago-Rosado's term commenced on December 28, 2021 and expired on December 27, 2025, and

WHEREAS, the County Executive has reappointed Livia Santiago-Rosado, MD, MPH, FACEP as Commissioner of the Department of Health, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article VII, Section 7.01 of the Dutchess County Charter and Section 351(5) of the New York State Public Health Law, respectively, contingent upon the approval of the Commissioner of the New York State Department of Health, such appointment has been made, and

WHEREAS, the curriculum vitae of Dr. Santiago-Rosado is attached hereto and made a part hereof, and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Dutchess County Human Resources has determined that Dr. Santiago-Rosado is qualified to continue to perform the duties of the position of Commissioner of Health, now, therefore be it

PUBLIC WORKS

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Public Works on behalf of Dutchess County be and is hereby authorized and empowered to commence proceedings against 789 Salisbury Turnpike LLC pursuant to the Eminent Domain Procedure Law for a temporary easement over the above property in furtherance of the replacement of Bridge M-20, Salisbury Turnpike (CR-53) over Little Wappinger Creek in the Town of Milan, Dutchess County, New York.

CA-033-26  
BP/CEB/rjw  
L-6615  
3/5/2026  
Fiscal Impact: See Attached.

APPROVED  
*Sue Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE  
Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

ss:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*[Signature]*  
JULIE HIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



**LIVIA SANTIAGO-ROSADO, MD, FACEP**  
COMMISSIONER

**ANTHONY J. RUGGIERO, MPA**  
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER

**DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

**MEMORANDUM**

To: Ron Hicks, Assistant County Executive

From: Anthony J. Ruggiero, MPA, Assistant Commissioner for Administration

Date: February 3, 2026

**Subject: Resolution Request for March 9, 2026, Meeting**

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It is with great pleasure to submit a Resolution Request Form and Fiscal Impact Statement for the reappointment of Dr. Livia Santiago-Rosado, MD, MPH, FACEP as the Dutchess County Commissioner of Health to a four (4) year term effective on or about December 28, 2025, through December 27, 2029. Please find attached a copy of Dr. Santiago-Rosado's current CV.

Please do not hesitate to contact me on extension 3552 if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you.

## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

### APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

*(To be completed by requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

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Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Additional Comments/Explanation:

The position is currently budgeted and sufficient funds are in the 2026 budget.

Prepared by: Anthony J. Ruggiero Prepared On: 02.03.26

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



22 Market Street  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601  
Phone: 845-486-2000

## **DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT**

March 13, 2026

Mr. Bradford Kendall  
Dutchess County Clerk  
22 Market Street  
Poughkeepsie, New York 12601

Dear County Clerk Kendall:

I am pleased to reappoint Livia M. Santiago-Rosado, MD, MPH, FACEP as Commissioner of the Department of Health for a four (4) year term deemed effective on December 28, 2025 by Local Law No. 1 of 2024 of the Dutchess County Legislature and expiring on December 27, 2029.

Dr. Santiago-Rosado has demonstrated strong leadership and an unwavering commitment to the mission of the Department of Health and to the residents of Dutchess County. Her dedication to public service and to advancing the health and well-being of our community continues to be an asset to County government.

I look forward to her confirmation and reappointment by the Dutchess County Legislature on April 13, 2026.

Sincerely,

Sue Serino  
County Executive

c: Julie Shirioishi, Clerk of the Legislature  
Rachel Kashimer, Commissioner of Human Resources  
Dr. Livia M. Santiago-Rosado, Commissioner of Health  
Anthony J. Ruggiero, Assistant Commissioner of Administration



# Department of Health

**KATHY HOCHUL**  
Governor

**JAMES V. McDONALD, MD, MPH**  
Commissioner

**JOHANNE E. MORNE, MS**  
Executive Deputy Commissioner

July 2, 2025

Anthony J. Ruggiero, M.P.A.  
Assistant Commissioner of Administration  
Dutchess County Department of Behavioral and Community Health  
85 Civic Center Plaza  
Poughkeepsie, New York 12601

Dear Anthony J. Ruggiero:

I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of documentation demonstrating Dr. Livia Santiago-Rosado has completed a Master in Public Health from the State University of New York, University at Albany, as required by the New York State Department of Health (Department). As Dr. Santiago-Rosado has satisfied the Department's requirements for a full appointment as the Commissioner of Health for Dutchess County Department of Behavioral and Community Health, the conditional appointment has been lifted.

I congratulate Dr. Santiago-Rosado on this important accomplishment, and we look forward to continuing to work with Dr. Santiago-Rosado in the role as Commissioner of Health for Dutchess County Department of Behavioral and Community Health.

Should Dr. Santiago-Rosado have any questions, please contact Susan Cuomo-Whitney in the Office of Local Health Services at (518) 473-4223 who is available to answer any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jim McDonald MPH".

James V. Mc Donald, M.D., M.P.H.  
Commissioner of Health

cc: L. Trolio  
K. Owens-Cody  
C. Johnson  
S. Ravenhall

## LIVIA M. SANTIAGO-ROSADO, MD MPH FACEP

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*Experienced emergency physician leader with a demonstrated record of thriving in, and improving, even the most vulnerable health care systems. Valued as an astute and compassionate clinician, a data-driven common-sense administrative leader with expertise in operations and practice management. Recognized as a passionate, empathetic patient advocate and an engaging bedside and didactic educator. A strong educational and professional background informed a career of proven leadership in Emergency Medicine, with additional experience and skills in Care and Case Management, Change Management, Medical Informatics, and Quality Improvement.*

### ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

Dec 2021-Present **Commissioner, Dutchess County Department of Health**  
Poughkeepsie, NY

Aug 2019-Aug 2021 **Chair and Medical Director, Department of Emergency Medicine**  
**Vassar Brothers Medical Center**  
Poughkeepsie, NY

May 2017-July 2019 **Vice Chair, Department of Emergency Medicine**  
**Nassau University Medical Center**  
East Meadow, NY

Jan 2006-Feb 2017 **Associate Director, Department of Emergency Medicine**  
Feb 2008-Feb 2017 **Physician Advisor, ED Care/Case Management**  
**NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens (Queens Hospital Center)**  
Jamaica, NY

### HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

Nov 2023-Present **Northern Westchester Hospital**  
Mount Kisco, NY  
Attending Physician, Department of Emergency Medicine

Oct 2021-Dec 2023 **Ellenville Regional Hospital**  
Ellenville, NY  
Attending Physician, Department of Emergency Medicine

Aug 2019-Aug 2021 **Vassar Brothers Medical Center**  
Poughkeepsie, NY  
Attending Physician, Department of Emergency Medicine

May 2017-Dec 2020 **Nassau University Medical Center**  
East Meadow, NY  
Attending Physician, Department of Emergency Medicine

- Jul 2003-Dec 2019 **NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens (Queens Hospital Center)**  
Jamaica, NY  
Attending Physician, Department of Emergency Medicine
- Jul 2003-Jun 2011 **NYC Health + Hospitals/Elmhurst (Elmhurst Hospital Center)**  
Elmhurst, NY  
Attending Physician, Department of Emergency Medicine

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

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- March 2022-Present **New York Medical College**  
Valhalla, NY  
Distinguished Visiting Professor
- May 2020-Present **Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine**  
Middletown, NY  
Adjunct Clinical Associate Professor, Department of Primary Care  
Instructor, Early Clinical Experience and Physical Diagnosis courses
- Aug 2019-Aug 2021 **Vassar Brothers Medical Center**  
Poughkeepsie, NY  
Chair and Core Faculty, Department of Emergency Medicine
- May 2017-Jul 2019 **Nassau University Medical Center**  
East Meadow, NY  
Vice Chair and Core Faculty, Department of Emergency Medicine
- Jul 2003-Dec 2017 **Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai**  
New York, NY  
Assistant Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine

**POSTGRADUATE TRAINING**

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- Jul 2000-Jun 2003 **Mount Sinai School of Medicine**  
New York, NY  
Resident, Department of Emergency Medicine
- Jul 1999-Jun 2000 **Saint Vincent's Hospital and Medical Center**  
New York, NY  
Intern, Transitional Program, Department of Medicine

**EDUCATION**

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- Jan 2022-May 2025 **University at Albany, School of Public Health**  
Albany, NY (Online)  
Master's in Public Health
- Aug 1995-Jun 1999 **Columbia University (Vagelos) College of Physicians & Surgeons**

New York, NY  
MD, May 1999

Aug 1991-May 1995 **Harvard University**  
Cambridge, MA  
AB, *summa cum laude*, Biological Anthropology, June 1995

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

2023	<b>Alumni Award for Contributions to Emergency Medicine</b> Department of Emergency Medicine Alumni Day, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai.
2021	<b>2020 Northeast Group Medical Director of the Year Award, TeamHealth</b> For outstanding leadership and dedication to our community throughout the COVID pandemic.
2018	<b>Honoree, Hispanic Counseling Center 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Gala, Nassau County, NY.</b> Honoring individuals and entities advancing and enhancing care for Latinx communities.
2018	<b>Certificate of Recognition, Office of the State Comptroller, New York.</b> In recognition of stellar service.
2018	<b>Citation, Nassau County Legislature, Nassau County, NY.</b> In recognition of leadership and dedication to improving the health and wellbeing of the residents of Nassau County.
2018	<b>Certificate of Recognition, Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, NY.</b> In recognition of dedicated service.
2018	<b>Certificate of Recognition, Incorporated Village of Hempstead, Nassau County NY.</b> Commendation for service to our community.
2016	<b>Certificate of Recognition, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens Patient Safety Program</b> "Queens Hospital Patient Safety Partner"
2014	<b>LEAN Certification—Green Training</b>
2014	<b>Certificate of Recognition, Queens Hospital Center Patient Safety Program</b> "For Outstanding Initiative in Patient Safety"
2013	<b>T-System Excellence Award for Productivity</b> Awarded to the ED leadership team
2011	<b>Attending Physician of the Year, Department of Emergency Medicine, Queens Hospital Center</b> "For excellence in leadership, exemplary professionalism and invaluable service to the Department of Emergency Medicine"
2011	<b>Finalist, ED Case Management Program, Dorland Health "Case in Point" Platinum Awards</b>

	Awarded at the National Press Club in Washington DC to the Emergency Department Case Management team, for which I am the Physician Advisor.
2010	<b>Citation of Merit, American Hospital Association-McKesson Quest for Quality Prize</b>
2007	Awarding committee recognized throughput and flow in the ED <b>Visiting Professor, Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara</b> Developed and taught week-long program of original lectures and workshops on salient topics in Emergency Medicine
2007-2009	<b>Mount Sinai School of Medicine's Fifth Pathway Program Lead</b> Elected to Admissions Committee and as Site Coordinator for Emergency Medicine at Queens Hospital Center
2006-Present	<b>American College of Emergency Physicians,</b> Fellow
1996-1999	<b>Joseph Collins Foundation Scholarship</b> National award for excellence in scholarly and artistic endeavors
1995-1999	<b>Class President, Columbia College of Physicians and Surgeons</b> Elected four consecutive years by the Class of 1999
1996	<b>American Academy of Dermatology Scholarship</b> National merit award for scholarly excellence
1995	<b>Phi Beta Kappa, Harvard University</b> National honors society recognizing superior academic achievement
1995	<b>Miller Scholarship, Harvard University</b> Awarded on the basis of merit and financial need
1994	<b>Paisner/Harvard Club of Rhode Island Scholarship</b> Scholarship based on merit and leadership abilities
1991-1995	<b>John Harvard Scholarship, Harvard University</b> Merit-based award for academic excellence
1991-1995	<b>Elizabeth Cary Agassiz Scholarship, Harvard University</b> Awarded to female students at the highest levels of academic achievement

#### LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATIONS

2022	Advancing Cultural Competence (ACC) in the Public Health & Health Care Workforce Certificate
2019-2024	Florida State Medical License #ME139627
2005-current	Board Certified, American Board of Emergency Medicine
2002-current	Drug Enforcement Agency, Certificate BS8234697 DEA/SAHMSA X waiver granted 2021
2001	NALS provider
2000-current	New York State Medical License #218504, NPI 1437166915
1999-current	PALS provider
1999-current	ACLS provider, ATLS provider

#### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2021-Present	New York State Association of County Health Officials (NYSACHO)
2019-Present	Society for Academic Emergency Medicine (SAEM)
2019-Present	Academy for Women in Academic Emergency Medicine (AWAEM)

2019-Present Academy for Diversity & Inclusion in Emergency Medicine (ADIEM)  
 1997-Present American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP)  
 2017-Present American Academy of Emergency Medicine (AAEM)

#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND COMMITTEES

2026-Present Eastern Dutchess Rural Health Network Advisory Board  
 2025-Present New York State Association of County Health Officials Board of Directors  
 2024-Present Co-Chair, New York State Association of County Health Officials, Emerging Issues Committee  
 2023-Present Executive Board, Harvard Club of the Hudson Valley  
 2023-Present New York State Master Plan for Aging, Health and Wellness Subcommittee  
 2023-Present Data Modernization Initiative Strategic Planning Team, New York State Department of Health  
 2022-Present Executive Committee, Poughkeepsie Children's Cabinet  
 2022-Present Executive Committee, Dutchess County Criminal Justice Council  
 2022-Present Member, Public Health Practice Council, New York Medical College  
 2021-2022 Member, Strategic Planning Team, American College of Emergency Physicians  
 2021-2021 Physician Liaison, Community Care Team, Vassar Brothers Medical Center  
 2021-2021 Founder and Co-Chair, Throughput Committee, Vassar Brothers Medical Center  
 2020-2021 Physician Liaison, NY MATTERS (Medication Assisted Treatment in the Emergency Room) Program, Vassar Brothers Medical Center  
 2020-2021 Founder, Women's Action Committee in the Emergency Department, Nuvance EM Residency  
 2020-2021 Chair, Subcommittee on "Practice Management Lessons from COVID-19: Recommendations for Operations and Flow"; "Cultural Awareness and Non-Discrimination Policy" Subcommittee, Emergency Medicine Practice Committee, ACEP  
 2020-2021 Nuvance Health Leadership Academy  
 2020-2021 Nuvance Health Physician Council  
 2020-2021 Women in Leadership Regional Champion, Northeast Group, TeamHealth  
 2020-2021 Operations Optimization Steering Committee, Project PIVOT, Nuvance Health  
 2020-2023 Member-At-Large, New York ACEP Board of Directors  
 2020-2021 Clinical Coordinating Group, Nuvance Health  
 2020-2021 Emergency Department IT Governance, Nuvance Health  
 2020-2021 Chair, COVID-19 Toolkit Subcommittee, Emergency Medicine Practice Committee, ACEP  
 2020-2021 Co-Chair, Emergency Department Social Work Policy Subcommittee, Emergency Medicine Practice Committee, ACEP  
 2019-2020 Chair, Food and Drink Policy Subcommittee, Emergency Medicine Practice Committee, ACEP

2019-2021	Co-Chair, Emergency Department Steering Committee, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
2019-2021	Founder, Community Outreach Committee, Nuvance EM Residency
2019-2021	Quality Performance Improvement Committee, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
2019-2021	Opiate Stewardship Committee, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
2019-2021	Next Gen ACO Committee, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
2019-2020	Chair, Death Certificates Subcommittee, Emergency Medicine Practice Committee, ACEP
2019-2021	Invited Mentor, Opportunities for Women in Leadership (OWL) mentorship grant-funded program for women in Emergency Medicine, New York ACEP
2019-2020	Co-Chair, Social Emergency Medicine Advocacy Workgroup, American College of Emergency Physicians
2018-2019	Clinical Lead, Medicaid Accelerated eXchange Action Team, New York State Medicaid Delivery Systems Redesign Incentive Program (DSRIP), Nassau University Medical Center
2017-2020	Social Emergency Medicine Committee, American College of Emergency Physicians
2017-Present	Councillor, ACEP Council
	Member, Council Reference Committee, 2018
2017-2023	New York ACEP Board of Directors
2017-Present	Chair, Emergency Medicine Practice Subcommittee, Practice Management Committee, New York Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians
2016-2017	Access to Care Workgroup, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens
2016-2017	Co-Chair, ASAP Clinical Work Group, GO (Epic) ASAP Team, NYC Health + Hospitals
2014-2017	Process Owner, Value Stream Steering Team, ED Flow Project, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens
2014-2017	ED-Inpatient Value Stream Steering Team, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens
2014-2017	Center for Medicare & Medicaid Innovation Enhanced Care Management Grant, Physician Advisor Workgroup Member and Co-Chair (2016), NYC Health + Hospitals
2014-2017	Delivery System Reform Incentive Payments (DSRIP) Committee, Queens Hub, OneCity Health, NYC Health + Hospitals
2014-2017	High-Risk Patient Review Committee, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens Accountable Care Organization
2014-Present	Emergency Medicine Practice Committee (EMPC), American College of Emergency Physicians
2014-2017	Communications Committee, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens Editorial Board, The Pulse monthly publication, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens
2013-2017	Subject-Matter Expert, Power Provider, Epic Implementation Team (HHC GO ASAP module), NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens

2012-2017	Emergency Department Care/Case Management Steering Committee, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens
2012-2017	Chronic Care Value Stream Steering Team, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens
2012-2017	Emergency Medicine Council, NYC Health + Hospitals
2011	Strategic Transparency Working Group, Health and Hospitals Corporation, City of New York
2011-2017	Clinical Information System Expert Working Group, NYC Health and Hospitals
2011-2017	CHF Guideline Advisory Committee, NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens
2010-Present	Practice Management Committee, New York Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians
2009-2012	Airway Management Advisory Committee, NYC Health + Hospitals' Institute for Medical Simulation and Advanced Learning (IMSAL)
2008-2017	NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens Emergency Management Committee and Emergency Management Core Group
2007-2008	NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens Therapeutic Hypothermia Committee
2006-2009	Education Committee, New York Chapter, American College of Emergency Physicians
2006-2008	NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens Ambulatory Care Committee
2006-2008	Admissions Committee, Mount Sinai School of Medicine's Fifth Pathway Program
2006-2017	NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee
2006-2017	NYC Health + Hospitals/Queens Transfusion Committee

#### **PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES**

2025	"Health is Wealth", The Vital Women of Washington Heights Podcast
2025	"An Insider's Guide to Local Health Departments", Biology Seminar Series, Bard College, Red Hook, NY
2024	Commencement Address, "Find Your Niche", Sixty-Fifth Commencement, Dutchess Community College, Poughkeepsie, NY
2024	"Understanding Nutrition as a Social Determinant of Health", Caring as Communities Podcast
2024	"Lifting Up the Voices of Our Youth: Understanding Youth Behaviors" Symposium hosted by Comunilife, Panelist, Hyde Park, NY
2023	"Health Disparities & Social Determinants of Health", Graduate Medical Education Lecture Series, Nuvance Health
2023	"A Journey to Public Health", Connect & Mentor Series, New York Medical College
2023	"A Post-Sinai Journey," Alumni Career Reflections, Department of Emergency Medicine, Icahn School of Medicine Mount Sinai
2022	"What The Pandemic Has Taught Me About Being a Public Health Commissioner" Panelist, on "What Have We Learned?": Twenty-Third Symposium on COVID-19, Touro School of Osteopathic Medicine
2022	"Leadership Lessons from the ER, and from Women Who Raise and Lift Us" Keynote Speaker, Dutchess County Chamber of Commerce

- Poughkeepsie, NY
- 2022 “Working through COVID-19 as an ER Doctor and Health Commissioner”  
Presenter, Catskill Hudson Area Health Education Center
- 2021 “Career Planning: Fellowships in EM”  
Panelist, EM Residency Conference, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
- 2021 “The *Butterflow* Effect?: How the Hospital Can Back Up the ER Waiting Room”  
Kickoff, Throughput Committee, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
- 2018 “EM-101: How Emergency Physicians [Should] Learn and Think, and Why”  
EM Residency Conference, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
- 2021 “Plight of the Pelvic Exam: Can It Really Be Dismissed?”  
Panelist, Society of Academic Emergency Medicine (SAEM) Scientific Assembly 2021
- 2021 “COVID-19 Vaccines: The Real Story”  
Panelist, Nuvance Health Equity, Diversity & Inclusion Employee Resource Group presentation
- 2020 “Know Your Health: COVID-19 Facts and Impact”  
Panelist, Community Town Hall, presented by Nuvance Health in conjunction with the Dutchess County Department of Health and the Poughkeepsie School District
- 2020 “Ocular Emergencies”  
EM Residency Conference, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
- 2020 “Emergency Severity Index”  
EM Residency Conference, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
- 2020 “COVID-19: Our Classmates on the Frontline”  
Panelist, Harvard University 25<sup>th</sup> Reunion Program
- 2020 Careers in Emergency Medicine  
Panelist, Emergency Medicine Interest Group forum, Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine
- 2019 “Utilizing LEAN Principles to Optimize Organization of Trauma Room Supplies”  
Abstract oral presentation at ACEP19 Scientific Assembly, Denver CO.
- 2019 “Congestive Heart Failure”  
EMS CME, Vassar Brothers Medical Center
- 2019 “Dizziness and Vertigo”  
EM Residency Conference, Nassau University Medical Center
- 2019 “Sepsis”  
EM Residency Conference, Nassau University Medical Center
- 2018 “EM-101”  
EM Residency Conference, Nassau University Medical Center
- 2017 “The Sepsis Challenge”  
The Gerald W. Shaftan Trauma Multidisciplinary Conference  
Invited Lecture, Nassau University Medical Center
- 2017 “Sepsis”  
Invited lecture, SUNY Stony Brook, School of Health Technology and Management, Stony Brook NY
- 2016 “Sepsis”

- Invited lecture, SUNY Stony Brook, School of Health Technology and Management, Stony Brook NY
- 2015 “Sepsis: Recognition & Management”  
Presentation to the Board of Directors, NYC Health + Hospitals
- 2014 “Everything You (N)Ever Wanted to Know About Observation”  
Invited lecture, Grand Rounds, Queens Hospital Center
- 2013 “Observation: The QHC Experience”  
“Acute Coronary Syndromes”  
Invited lectures, ED Care/Case Management, Physician Advisor Training, Health and Hospitals Corporation  
Elmhurst Hospital Center, Elmhurst, NY
- 2013 “To Err is Human: Human error in EM”, Queens Hospital Center
- 2012 “Improving hospital flow and the patient experience”  
Presented to the Medical Executive Committee  
Queens Hospital Center, Jamaica, NY
- 2012 *American Heart Association* ST-Elevation MI (STEMI) Project Launch  
Panelist, New York City *Mission:Lifeline*  
New York Academy of Medicine, New York, NY
- 2011 “Care/Case Management: A New Patient Care Paradigm”  
Presented to the Department of Internal Medicine  
Queens Hospital Center, Jamaica, NY
- 2011 “Care and Case Management: ED Perspective”  
Invited lecture, Health and Hospitals Corporation’s Emergency  
Department Case Management Kick-off  
Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn, NY
- 2010 “Approach to Shortness of Breath”  
Presented to the Department of Internal Medicine  
Queens Hospital Center, Jamaica, NY
- 2010 “Alumni Perspectives on Healthcare in America and Beyond”  
Invited speaker, MB Connects panel  
Moses Brown School, Providence, RI
- 2008 “Introduction to Emergency Medicine”  
Presented to the Physician Assistant Program  
York University, Jamaica, NY
- 2008 “On ED Crowding: A Faculty Perspective”  
Invited lecture  
Mount Sinai Emergency Medicine Academic Retreat  
Bronx, NY
- 2007 “A New Triage Paradigm”  
Invited lecture  
Presented at the Academic Meeting of the Department of Emergency  
Medicine, Mount Sinai School of Medicine  
New York, NY
- 2007 “Hypertensive Emergencies”  
Presented at the Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara, Guadalajara,  
México

- 2007 "Acute Coronary Syndromes"  
Presented at the Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara  
Guadalajara, México
- 2007 "Ophthalmologic Emergencies"  
Presented at the Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara  
Guadalajara, México
- 2007 "Derangements in Carbohydrate Metabolism"  
Presented at the Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara  
Guadalajara, México
- 2007 "Congestive Heart Failure"  
Presented at the Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara  
Guadalajara, México
- 2007 "Orthopedic Emergencies: Parts I and II" and Hands-on Workshop  
Presented to the Department of Internal Medicine  
Queens Hospital Center, Jamaica, NY
- 2006 "Vertigo and Dizziness"  
Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Elmhurst Hospital Center, Elmhurst, NY
- 2006 "What Everyone Should Know About Emergency Medicine"  
Presented to the Department of Internal Medicine  
Queens Hospital Center, Jamaica, NY
- 2005 "Beware of the Dog: Animal-Borne Infections"  
Presented to the Department of Internal Medicine  
Queens Hospital Center, Jamaica, NY
- 2004 "Food-borne Illness"  
Presented to the Department of Internal Medicine  
Queens Hospital Center, Jamaica, NY
- 2003 "Blunt Trauma and Traumatic Arrest"  
Presented to the Departments of Emergency Medicine and Surgery  
Elmhurst Hospital Center, Jamaica, NY
- 2003 "Easy as pi: Your Career in Emergency Medicine"  
Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY
- 2002 "Acute Papillary Muscle Rupture in Blunt Trauma"  
Presented to the Departments of Emergency Medicine and Cardiology,  
Elmhurst Hospital Center, Elmhurst, NY
- 2002 "Unrecognized Myocardial Infarction"  
Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY
- 2002 "Carbon Monoxide Poisoning"  
Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY
- 2001 "Introduction to Therapeutic Hypothermia"  
Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Jersey City Medical Center, Jersey City, NJ
- 2001 "Zoonoses and Food-borne Illness"

- 2001 Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY  
“NSAID and Aspirin Hypersensitivity”
- 2001 Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY  
“Acute Adrenal Insufficiency”
- 2001 Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY  
“A Near-Miss: Review of Childhood Psychiatric Disorders”
- 2000 Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY  
“Diagnosis and Acute Management of DKA”
- 2000 Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY  
“Pontine Hemorrhage”
- 2000 Presented to the Department of Emergency Medicine  
Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY  
“Analgesia and Abdominal Pain: Misconceptions”

#### RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

- 2026 Gonzalez M, Cady W, Santiago-Rosado L. Recruiting and Managing Volunteer Health Professionals, in Markenson D & Reilly M (Eds.), *Health Care Emergency Management: Principles and Practice*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. In press.
- 2025 Levine L, Smith A, Ghattas A, Conflitti J, **Santiago-Rosado L**. “From Crisis to Coordination: An Overdose Response Grounded in Harm Reduction, Surveillance, and Cross-Sector Collaboration in Dutchess County.” Statewide Harm Reduction Symposium, Albany, NY.
- 2023 St. Germain C, **Santiago-Rosado L**. Meet PHIL: The Dutchess County Public Health Innovation Lab. Oral presentation. NYS Public Health Partnership Conference, White Plains, NY.
- 2022 Kadish A, Halperin E, Murray KM, Swift R, Etienne M, Freeman S, Unni EJ, Gelman I, **Santiago-Rosado L**, & Schnabel-Ruppert P. (2022). Twenty-Third Symposium on COVID-19: What Have We Learned? How Can We Use What We Have Learned?. Retrieved from [https://touro scholar.touro.edu/covid19\\_symposia/23](https://touro scholar.touro.edu/covid19_symposia/23)
- 2022 **Santiago-Rosado L**. “What Workforce Issue? Enter Applied Emergency Medicine.” *Empire State EPIC* 40-02(22): 14, 21.
- 2022 Kaminsky J, Greenstein J, Friedlander A, Livshits D, Sokup B, Jones M, Fombonne B, Vigh N, Warshaw D, Hardin J, Sumner B, Khalid W,

- Mastanduono A, Zapolsky N, McLean M, Steinberg E, Curato M, Jeong J, Jones M, Kanter M, **Santiago-Rosado L**, Zapata LC, Hussain A. "Perspectives in Post-Pandemic Employment for Emergency Medicine Trainees." Abstract presented at CORD Annual Meeting, San Diego CA, March 2022; and SAEM Annual Meeting, New Orleans LA, May 2022.
- 2021 **Santiago-Rosado L**. "What Happened to My ED?: The Post-COVID Dumpster Fire." *Empire State EPIC* 39-01(21): 5-7.
- 2020 **Santiago-Rosado L**. "Frequent Flier Files." *Empire State EPIC* 38-01(20): 3-4.
- 2020 Chung A, Berwald N, Cardell A, Curato L, Lema P, Mehta N, Mills A, Rodriguez E, Salama M, **Santiago-Rosado L**, Saxena M, Shah K, Van Tuyl L, et al. "Opportunities for Women in Leadership." *Empire State EPIC* 38-01(20): 24-5.
- 2020 Special Coverage on COVID-19: "An Open Letter to All New Yorkers from the Emergency Department Front Line". *Emergency Medicine News*, April 28, 2020; 42(4C) doi: 10.1097/01.EEM.0000662548.51770.e2. [https://journals.lww.com/em-news/Fulltext/2020/04281/Special\\_Coverage\\_on\\_COVID\\_19\\_An\\_Open\\_Letter\\_to.4.aspx](https://journals.lww.com/em-news/Fulltext/2020/04281/Special_Coverage_on_COVID_19_An_Open_Letter_to.4.aspx)
- 2019 **Santiago-Rosado L**, Reis N, Betts M, *et al*. Utilizing LEAN Principles to Optimize Organization of Trauma Room Supplies. *Ann Emerg Med*, 2019; 74(4): S58–S59.
- 2019 **Santiago-Rosado L**, McLean M. Reports of the death of the pelvic exam are greatly exaggerated. *Common Sense* 26(5):12-13.
- 2019 McLean M, **Santiago-Rosado L**. Plight of the pelvic exam. *Emerg Med J* 2019;36:383-384.
- 2018 **Santiago-Rosado L**. "GCS 16" *Empire State EPIC* 36-02(18):23-4.
- 2018 Boutin A, **Santiago-Rosado L**. "Scribes, Outside the Box." *Empire State EPIC* 35-04(18):5-8.
- 2018 **Santiago-Rosado L**, Lewison C. Tracheal Trauma. StatPearls Publishing, LLC. PMID: 29763191.
- 2018 **Santiago-Rosado L**, Lewison C. Trismus. StatPearls Publishing, LLC. PMID: 29630255.

- 2018 Reis N, Olsen D, **Santiago-Rosado L**. An Acute Motor Axonal Variant of Guillain-Barré Syndrome. Poster presentation, ACOEP Spring Seminar, San Diego, CA.
- 2017 **Santiago-Rosado L**. “Is This the New [York] Normal?” Empire State EPIC 35-02(17):8-10.
- 2017 Breen L, **Santiago-Rosado L**. “Press Ganey, ED PEC, HCAHPS, ED CAHPS: What’s the Story??” Empire State EPIC 34-04(17):8-11.
- 2016 Habib G, Tan T, **Santiago-Rosado L**, et al. “Cardiology-driven observation protocol leads to over-use of stress testing among patients younger than 40 years presenting to the Emergency Department with chest pain.” Poster presentation, New York ACEP Scientific Assembly, Bolton Landing, NY.
- 2014 **Santiago-Rosado L**, Cantos C, Norris M. “An Emergency Department Care Management Program: Creating an Alternative Disposition Pathway to Enhance Patient Safety.” Poster presentation, National Association for Healthcare Quality annual conference, Nashville, TN.
- 2014 Dushaj K, Javaid M, Sever S, Ally I, Ochieng P, Bajracharya B, Lewison C, **Santiago L**, King L, Fleischman J, Rizzo V. “Risk factors for unplanned and related readmission within 30 days of discharge.” Poster presentation. International Forum on Quality & Safety in Healthcare, Paris, France.
- 2013 **Santiago-Rosado L**, Cantos C, Norris M. “Development and Optimization of an Emergency Department Care Management Program.” Poster presentation, Patient Safety Expo 2013, New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation, Goldwater Campus, Randalls Island, NY.
- 2013 Dushaj K, Javaid M, Ochieng P, Bajracharya B, Lewison C, **Santiago-Rosado L**, King L, Rizzo V. “Risk Factors for Unplanned 30-Day Readmission.” Oral presentation, Mount Sinai Services at Queens Hospital Center Research Day, May 2013.
- 2011 **Santiago-Rosado L**, Simons M, Jagoda A. “Head Trauma” in *Trauma: A Comprehensive Emergency Medicine Approach*, Legome E and Shockley L, eds. Cambridge University Press.
- 2005 **Santiago-Rosado L**. Syncope: Step-by-step through the workup. *Consultant*. June 2005; 759-768.
- 2002 “Healing Hands” in Svahn D, Kozak A, eds. *Let me listen to your heart: writings by medical students*.

- 1995 “Is it in their genes?: statistical determination of genetic influence on obesity in a Western Samoan population.” Senior honors thesis, Harvard University.
- 1994 Leadership Alliance Summer Research Program  
Brown University, Providence, RI  
Restructured and interpreted data on obesity in Samoa; created and implemented biostatistical algorithms for data analysis.
- 1993 Summer Medical and Research Training (SMART) Program  
Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX  
Gathered and interpreted data regarding feeding behavior as part of ongoing clinical trial in the Pediatric Gastroenterology department.
- 1992 Directed Behavioral Research  
Harvard University, Cambridge, MA  
Developed protocols and collected data to study cotton-top tamarin monkey behavior.

#### **RELATED PROJECTS & ROLES**

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##### **Advisory Board, Eastern Dutchess Rural Health Network**

This broad coalition address systemic solutions to address gaps in care and health equity among rural populations within the county.

##### **Board of Directors, New York State Association of County Health Officials**

Direct policy and activities to benefit and augment the work of local health departments, thereby supporting prevention efforts and health promotion throughout the State.

##### **Leadership Council, Poughkeepsie Children’s Cabinet**

This non-profit brings together dozens of stakeholder organizations to establish and align “cradle to career” supports for children and youth in the city of Poughkeepsie.

##### **Member, Poughkeepsie Healthy Black & Latinx Coalition**

Organized local organizations around community-minded activities and projects and care paradigms that consider social determinants of health.

##### **Nuvance Health Leadership Academy**

Nominated by hospital administration, among 20 participants selected to be enrolled in this provider-specific longitudinal leadership training program involving synchronous and asynchronous instruction, as well as individual and group projects. Emphasis on health care administration and finance, communication and engagement, and collaborative leadership.

##### **Throughput Committee, Vassar Brothers Medical Center**

Founded and co-chaired the hospital’s first Throughput Committee, encompassing a wide array of participants from the C-suite to environmental services, case management, med-

surg nursing, hospitalists and ED clinicians. Created a LEAN-based value stream to define and approach the operational components that define hospital flow and throughput and initiated projects to support streamlined hospital flow.

**Nuvance Health Physician Council**

Represented my institution and field in this comprehensive hospital-system steering group comprised of physicians representing seven hospitals and over a dozen specialties.

**Opiate Stewardship Committee, Vassar Brothers Medical Center**

Created an ED-based opioid stewardship program to support the goals of system initiatives to decrease opioid prescribing across the continuum of care. Within 14 months achieved an overall 65% reduction in opiate doses prescribed from the ED that continues to be sustained.

**Emergency Department Care Management, Physician Advisor, Queens Hospital Center; Co-Chair, Physician Advisor Workgroup, NYC Health + Hospitals**

Support the goals of the Center for Medicare & Medicaid Innovation Grant for Enhanced Care Management. Develop standardized evidence-based guidelines to optimize care for high-risk and otherwise vulnerable patients. Conceptualize and deploy educational programs for staff at all levels to increase awareness of, and adherence to, care guidelines. Coordinate quality assurance activities. Collaboratively develop and disseminate standardized model of ED Care Management.

**Emergency Department Flow Project, Process Owner, NYC Health + Hospitals**

Identify high-impact interventions to support improved flow. Participate in visioning activities to promote patient flow, including workflow design, standard work and step-wise implementation at the facility level. Establish project goals and timelines promoting front line staff participation and engagement with prompt implementation.

**Emergency Department Scribes Champion, NYC Health + Hospitals**

Conceptualize and promote a pilot utilizing scribes to improve flow and documentation in the ED. Secure administrative support, approval by legal counsel, and funding. Initiate and maintain communication with stakeholders in health information management, information technology, and administration to ensure seamless implementation. Oversee quality assurance and metrics related to the performance of scribes in the ED.

**Co-Creator, Trauma Alert Program, Queens Hospital Center**

Develop and implement a formalized, multidisciplinary Trauma Alert program to achieve prompt response for patients with moderate to severe traumatic injuries arriving in a non-trauma center ED. Obtain buy-in from participating departments including General Surgery, Radiology, Anesthesiology, Respiratory Therapy and Administration to ensure a seamless coordinated response.

**Director of Education, Queens Hospital Center Emergency Department**

Coordinate educational endeavors for the department; supervise and evaluate rotating residents and medical students; instituted and supervise daily Morning Report cases; created and currently organize and moderate monthly Journal Club meetings.

*Medical Student Education:* Managed EM rotation for medical students from Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai and St. George's University (SGU).

*Resident Education:* Instituted a robust four-week EM rotation for IM residents. Led multiple didactic sessions and hands-on workshops with the IM residents as an integral part of their daily "Noon Conference".

*Rotator Handbook:* In order to further formalize the rotation experience for both residents and students, I developed a rotator handbook that covers topics of interest to the rotators that are crucial in Emergency Medicine, as well as providing additional materials to supplement their learning.

*Physician Assistant Education:* Hosted a primary clinical site for rotating PA students from Touro College, York College and Stony Brook University.

*Continuing Education:* Established a daily Morning Report to be part of our weekday morning routine. Physicians, PAs, and rotating students and residents are assigned to deliver a brief discussion directed to staff at all levels.

*Triage:* Instituted the use of the Emergency Severity Index (or ESI system) to guide our triage decisions. Developed a teaching module to explain the basic structure of the system which became a pre-requisite to perform triage functions in the Department.

*Journal Club:* Established a monthly departmental Journal Club as a forum for discussion and ongoing education, and to facilitate faculty board recertification.

## **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

### 2001-Present **Mentor**

Recruited to participate as mentor to a resident becoming junior faculty through New York ACEP's Opportunities for Women in Leadership (OWL) program

- Elaine Rodriguez MD

Participated in minority student mentoring program through Columbia College of Physicians and Surgeons' Campaign for Diversity and as Assistant Professor at Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai

- Bryan Medina MD
- Tiffany Fieldings MD

Mentored residents in Emergency Medicine and Internal Medicine

- Anita Vashi MD
- Nalin Ranasinghe MD
- Ghassan Habib MD
- Mary McLean MD
- Alanna Dompkowski MD
- Miriam Bello MD

Faculty development mentorships

- Melissa Nelson-Perron MD
- Jesse Wolstein MD
- Jonathan Epstein MD
- Frayda Kresch MD
- Cheryl Lewison MD
- Jessica Berrios MD
- Kashif Creary, RPA-C, MPP
- Rasheed Davis, RPA-C, MA

2008-2010 **Master of Ceremonies**

Emergency Nurses' Week Program and Awards Ceremony, QHC  
Women's History Month Celebration, QHC

2001 **Actor and Playwright**, Second-Year Resident Play, Mount Sinai Hospital  
Authored the script for traditional resident satirical production; actively participated with featured role

1990-present **Spanish-English Translator**

Translated multiple legal, academic and medical documents after successful completion of the Federal Court Interpreters written examination

1995-1999 **Actor and Singer**, Bard Hall Players, Columbia University  
Performed in several theatrical productions and musicals

1988-1995 **Volunteer Medical Interpreter**

Spanish-English interpreter in medical settings at Miriam Hospital in Rhode Island, Texas Children's Hospital and Massachusetts General Hospital

**PERSONAL**

Native proficiency in spoken and written Spanish. Elementary proficiency in French.

Married to Mark C. Stillman, MD.

Children: Mariana Santiago Stillman, 18 years; Diego Santiago Stillman, 16 years.

**References provided upon request.**

FAMILY & HUMAN SERVICES

RESOLUTION NO. 2021209

RE: CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT OF LIVIA SANTIAGO-ROSADO, MD AS THE DUTCHESS COUNTY COMMISSIONER OF BEHAVIORAL & COMMUNITY HEALTH FOR A TERM OF ON OR ABOUT DECEMBER 28, 2021 THROUGH DECEMBER 27, 2027

Legislators GARITO, PULVER, BOLNER, and CASWELL offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, the County Executive has appointed Livia Santiago-Rosado, MD, FACEP FAAEM to be the Commissioner of the Department of Behavioral & Community Health for a six (6) year term effective on or about December 28, 2021 through December 27, 2027, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article VII, Section 7.01 of the Dutchess County Charter and Section 351(5) of the New York State Public Health Law, respectively, contingent upon the approval of the Commissioner of the New York State Department of Health, such appointment has been made, and

WHEREAS, the curriculum vitae of Dr. Santiago-Rosado is attached hereto and made a part hereof, and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Dutchess County Human Resources has determined that Dr. Santiago-Rosado is qualified to perform the duties of the position of Commissioner of Behavioral & Community Health, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Santiago-Rosado resides in the Town of LaGrange, County of Dutchess, now therefore

RESOLVED, that the appointment of Livia Santiago-Rosado, MD., as Commissioner of the Department of Behavioral & Community Health is hereby confirmed by this Legislature effective on or about December 28, 2021 through December 27, 2027, contingent upon the approval of the Commissioner of the New York State Department of Health, and it is further,

RESOLVED, that the salary for Dr. Santiago-Rosado as Commissioner of Behavioral & Community Health shall be commensurate to that of the position of Commissioner of Department of Behavioral & Community Health contained in the 2021 Dutchess Adopted County Budget.

CA-132-21  
TJL/kvh  
G-1652-B 11/10/2021  
Fiscal Impact: Attached

APPROVED

MARCUS J. MOLINARO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date DEC 8 2021

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

ss:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess 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 2nd day of December 2021, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 2nd day of December 2021.

Leigh Wager  
LEIGH WAGER, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

L Aid ON THE DESKS 7/15/2024  
GOVERNMENT SERVICES & ADMINISTRATION

RESOLUTION NO. 2024135

RE: LOCAL LAW NO. 1 OF 2024, A LOCAL LAW AMENDING  
THE DUTCHESS COUNTY CHARTER AND ADMINISTRATIVE CODE TO  
REORGANIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL AND COMMUNITY  
HEALTH INTO TWO SEPARATE DEPARTMENTS: THE DEPARTMENT OF  
HEALTH AND THE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND TO ADD  
THE OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIRS AS A DISTINCT UNIT OF COUNTY  
GOVERNMENT

Legislators TRUITT, HOUSTON, POLASEK, GARITO, GORMAN, MC HOUL,  
TRAVELPIECE, VALDÉS SMITH, ATKINS, KEARNEY, and LAWLER offer the following  
and move its adoption:

RESOLVED, that the Legislature of the County of Dutchess adopt Local Law No. 1 of  
2024 which has been submitted this day for consideration by said Legislature.

CA-076-24  
CEB/rjw  
G-1899-A  
7/2/2024  
Fiscal Impact: None

APPROVED

*Susan J. Serino*

SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date 9/4/2024

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

ss:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 2024, and that the  
same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 2024



*Leigh Wagner*  
LEIGH WAGNER, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

RE: LOCAL LAW NO. 1 OF 2024, A LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE DUTCHESS COUNTY CHARTER AND ADMINISTRATIVE CODE TO REORGANIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL AND COMMUNITY HEALTH INTO TWO SEPARATE DEPARTMENTS: THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND THE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND TO ADD THE OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIRS AS A DISTINCT UNIT OF COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

BE IT ENACTED by the County Legislature of the County of Dutchess, State of New York as follows:

SECTION 1. Legislative Intent. The Legislature hereby determines that the Department of Behavioral and Community Health should be reorganized, such that two separate departments shall be created: the Department of Health and the Department of Mental Health in order to coordinate the services set forth herein in an efficient manner, and to elevate the current Division of Mental Hygiene, from a division within the Department of Behavioral & Community Health to a distinct Department of Mental Health. The Department of Health shall be under the supervision of a Commissioner of Health and the Department of Mental Health shall be under the supervision of a Commissioner of Mental Health. The Legislature further determines that the Director of Veterans Services, formerly the head of a division of the Department of Behavioral and Community Health, shall direct the Office of Veterans Affairs, which shall be a distinct unit of County government.

SECTION 2. Articles VII of the Charter and Administrative Code of Dutchess County, entitled, "Department of Behavioral and Community Health" are hereby amended and renamed to "Department of Health." All references in Articles VII of the Charter and Administrative Code, as well as any other references in the Charter or the Administrative Code to the "Department of Behavioral and Community Health" or to the "Commissioner of Behavioral and Community Health," or the "Acting Commissioner of Behavioral and Community Health" shall be amended to "Department of Health" and to "Commissioner of Health", and to "Acting Commissioner of Health" respectively. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the County of Dutchess shall remain a "Health District," as defined by Article 3, Section 340 of the New York Public Health Law. The Commissioner of Health shall retain all the powers and duties conferred or imposed by law upon a county commissioner of health.

#### DUTCHESS COUNTY CHARTER

SECTION 3. Article VII, Section 7.01, of the Dutchess County Charter is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 7.01. County Health District; Commissioner; Appointment; Qualifications; Term. The County of Dutchess shall be a health district. There shall be a Department of Health under the direction of a Commissioner of Health, who shall be appointed by the County Executive subject to confirmation by the County Legislature. At the time of his/her appointment, and

throughout his/her term of office, the Commissioner shall be and remain duly licensed and entitled to practice medicine in the State of New York and shall have such other qualifications as may be required by law. He/she shall be appointed on the basis of his/her professional experience and other qualifications for the responsibilities of his/her office. He/she shall be directly responsible to the County Executive, and shall be entitled to written charges, a hearing, and any other rights afforded in the Public Health Law or applicable law before he/she may be removed during the term for which he/she shall have been appointed. The term of the Commissioner shall be four years. The term having commenced December 28, 2021, shall expire December 27, 2025. A new term shall commence December 28, 2025, for four years, and every four years thereafter.

SECTION 4. Article VII, Section 7.04, of the Dutchess County Charter is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 7.04. Deputy Commissioners and Staff. The Commissioner of Health shall have the power to appoint such Deputy Commissioners, assistants and employees of his/her department as shall be authorized by the County Legislature. At the times of their appointment, and throughout their terms of office, all Deputy Commissioners of Health, if any, assistants and employees shall have such qualifications as may be required by law. All Deputy Commissioners, assistants and employees of the department shall be directly responsible to, and serve at the pleasure of, the Commissioner, except as otherwise provided by this Charter, the Administrative Code or applicable law.

SECTION 5. Article VII, Section 7.05, of the Dutchess County Charter is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 7.05. Acting Commissioner. The Commissioner of Health, subject to approval by the County Executive, shall designate in writing, and in order of succession, starting with a Deputy Commissioner followed by other deputies, if any, and assistants, who shall be Acting Commissioner of Health in the event of the Commissioner's absence from the County or inability to perform and exercise the powers and duties of his/her office. Such designation shall be filed with the County Clerk and the Clerk of the County Legislature and may be revoked at any time by the Commissioner by filing a new written designation and order of succession. The Acting Commissioner of Health shall have all the powers and perform all the duties of the Commissioner.

SECTION 6. Article VII, Section 7.07 of the Dutchess County Charter shall be deleted in its entirety.

SECTION 7. Article VII, Section 7.08 of the Dutchess County Charter shall be deleted in its entirety.

SECTION 8. Article VII, Section 7.09 of the Dutchess County Charter shall be deleted in its entirety.

SECTION 9. Article VII, Section 7.10 of the Dutchess County Charter shall be deleted in its entirety.

SECTION 10. Article VII, Section 7.11 of the Dutchess County Charter shall be deleted in its entirety.

SECTION 11. Article IX of the Dutchess County Charter shall be renamed, "Department of Mental Health" and shall be amended by the addition of the following sections:

Section 9.01. Department of Mental Health; Commissioner; Appointment; Qualifications; Term. There shall be a Department of Mental Health under the direction of Commissioner of Mental Health, who shall be appointed by the County Executive, subject to confirmation by the County Legislature. At the time of his/her appointment, and throughout his/her term of office, he/she shall possess the qualifications prescribed by the Mental Hygiene Law, the New York State Commissioner of Mental Hygiene, or any other applicable law, and he/she shall be appointed on the basis of his or her professional experience and other qualifications for the responsibilities of his or her office. He or she shall be directly responsible to, and serve at the pleasure of, the County Executive.

Section 9.02. Powers and Duties; Director of Community Services. The Commissioner of Mental Health shall be the chief administrative officer of the department and shall be designated the county Director of Community Services. At the time of his/her appointment, and throughout his/her term of office, he/she shall possess the qualifications prescribed by the Mental Hygiene Law, the New York State Commissioner of Mental Hygiene, or any other applicable law. Except as otherwise provided in this Charter, he/she shall have all the powers and perform all the duties conferred or imposed by law upon a county commissioner or board of mental health or hygiene and a county director of community services, and shall perform such other and related duties required by the County Executive or the County Legislature.

Section 9.03. Community Services Board; Powers and Duties; Vacancies. There shall be within the Department of Mental Health a Community Services Board which shall be advisory to the Department of Mental Health. Its composition, duties and responsibilities shall be as set forth in the Dutchess County Administrative Code and Mental Hygiene Law.

Section 9.04. Deputy Commissioners and staff. The Commissioner of Mental Health shall have the power to appoint such Deputy Commissioners, assistants and employees of his/her department as shall be authorized by the County Legislature. At the times of their appointment, and throughout their terms of office, all Deputy Commissioners, if any, shall have such qualifications as may be required by law. Except as otherwise provided by this Charter, the Administrative Code, or applicable law, all Deputy Commissioners, assistants and employees of the department shall be responsible to, and serve at the pleasure of, the Commissioner.

Section 9.05. Acting Commissioner. The Commissioner of Mental Health, subject to approval by the County Executive, shall designate in writing, and in order of succession, starting with a Deputy Commissioner followed by other deputies, if any, and assistants, who shall be Acting Commissioner of Mental Health, and thereby also Acting Director of Community Services, in the event of his/her absence from the County or inability to perform and exercise the powers and duties of his/her office. Such designation shall be filed with the County Clerk and the Clerk of the County Legislature and may be revoked at any time by the Commissioner filing a new

written designation and order of succession. Each Acting Commissioner shall, at the time of his/her designation, and throughout his/her term of office, possess the qualifications prescribed by the Mental Hygiene Law, the New York State Commissioner of Mental Hygiene, or any other applicable law. The Acting Commissioner of Mental Health shall have all the powers and perform all the duties conferred or imposed by law upon a county commissioner or board of mental health or hygiene and a county director of community services.

SECTION 12. Article XXX, Section 30.06, of the Dutchess County Charter is hereby amended to add the following:

Section 30.06. Office of Veterans Affairs; Director of Veterans Affairs; Appointment; Term; Qualifications. There shall be an office of Veterans Affairs under the direction of a Director of Veterans Affairs, who shall be appointed by the County Executive, subject to confirmation by the County Legislature. She or he shall be a veteran of the armed forces of the United States and shall be directly responsible to and serve at the pleasure of, the County Executive. She or he shall have all the powers and perform all the duties now or hereafter conferred or imposed upon her or him by law and perform such other and related duties required by the County Executive or County Legislature.

#### DUTCHESS COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

SECTION 13. Article VII, Section 7.05 of the Dutchess County Administrative Code shall be deleted in its entirety.

SECTION 14. Article VII, Section 7.06 of the Dutchess County Administrative Code shall be deleted in its entirety.

SECTION 15. Article IX of the Dutchess County Administrative Code shall be renamed "Department of Mental Health" and amended to add new Sections and shall provide as follows:

Section 9.01. Community Services Advisory Board; Appointment; Officers; Meetings. There shall be in the Department of Mental Health a Community Services Advisory Board whose members shall be appointed by the County Legislature in the manner and for the term provided in the Mental Hygiene Law for Community Mental Health Boards. Each member of the Community Services Board shall continue to hold office for the balance of his or her other respective term, at the conclusion of which the applicable appointive provisions of this Code shall become effective. The Community Services Advisory Board shall elect annually a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and a Secretary from among its members. Meetings of the Community Services Advisory Board shall be held at least quarterly at the call of the Chairman of such Board or the Director of Community Services, on three (3) days' written notice, mailed to such board members. Vacancies in the membership of said Board, occurring otherwise than by expiration of term shall be filled by appointment by the County Legislature for the unexpired terms.

Section 9.02. Community Services Advisory Board; Powers and Duties. The Community Services Advisory Board shall, in consultation with the Director of Community Services, prepare recommendations for meeting the mental health needs of Dutchess County.

Copies of the recommendations shall be transmitted to the County Executive for his or her evaluation and referral within sixty (60) days to the County Legislature and the State Commissioner of Mental Hygiene. The Community Services Advisory Board shall have and exercise such other powers and duties conferred upon such Board by the County Charter or this Code.

SECTION 16. Article XXX, Section 30.06, of the Dutchess County Administrative Code is hereby amended to add the following:

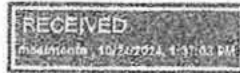
Section 30.06. Veterans Affairs.

1. The Director of Veterans Affairs shall inform military and naval authorities of the United States and assist members of the armed forces and veterans, who are residents of this County, and their families, in relation to:
  - a. Matters pertaining to educational training and retraining services and facilities;
  - b. Health, medical and rehabilitation services and facilities;
  - c. Provisions of federal, state and local laws and regulations affording special rights and privileges to members of the armed forces and veterans and their families;
  - d. Employment and re-employment services;
  - e. Other matters of similar, related or appropriate nature;
  - f. Assist families of members of the reserve components of the armed forces and organized militia ordered into active duty to ensure that they are made aware of and receiving all appropriate support available to them and are placed in contact with the agencies responsible for such support, including, but not limited to, the Division of Military and Naval Affairs and other state agencies responsible for providing such support;
  - g. Perform such other duties as may be assigned by the State Director of Veterans' Affairs; and
  - h. Such other services as may from time to time be allowed or deleted by state statute, rule or regulation.
2. The Director of Veterans Affairs shall also hold the title of the County Director of Veterans' Services Agency as set forth in Article 17 of the New York State Executive Law and he/she shall be a veteran.
3. The Director of Veterans Affairs may from time to time add or delete such programs as allowed by statute, rule or regulation.

SECTION 17. SEQRA Determination. It is hereby determined, pursuant to the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, 8 NYECL Section 0101, et seq., and its implementing regulations, Part 617 of 6 NYCRR, that the adoption of this local law is a "Type II" Action within the meaning of Section 617.5(c)(26) and (33) of 6 NYCRR, and, accordingly, is a class of actions which do not have a significant impact on the environment and no further review is required.

SECTION 18. SEVERABILITY. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section, or part of this law or the application thereof to any person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such order or judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section, or part of this law, or in its application to the person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance directly involved in the controversy in which such order or judgment shall be rendered.

SECTION 19. Effective Date. This local law shall take effect immediately upon full compliance with all the requisite statutes and laws applicable to its adoption and promulgation.



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October 24, 2024

County of Dutchess  
22 Market Street  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601

**RE: County of Dutchess, Local Law 1 2024, filed on 9/11/2024**

Dear Sir/Madam:

The above referenced material was filed by this office as indicated. Additional local law filing forms can be obtained from our website, [www.dos.ny.gov](http://www.dos.ny.gov).

Sincerely,  
State Records and Law Bureau  
(518) 473-2492



The foregoing Resolution No. 2024135, Local Law No. 1 of 2024, A LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE DUTCHESS COUNTY CHARTER AND ADMINISTRATIVE CODE TO REORGANIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL AND COMMUNITY HEALTH INTO TWO SEPARATE DEPARTMENTS: THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND THE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND TO ADD THE OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIRS AS A DISTINCT UNIT OF COUNTY GOVERNMENT, was laid on desks on July 15, 2024, and considered on August 12, 2024.

Roll call vote at that time resulted as follows:

AYES: 24 Atkins, Brendli, Caswell, D'Aquanni, Drago, Faust, Garito, Gorman, Houston, House, Johnson, Kaul, Kearney, Lawler, Metzger, Munn, Page, Paoloni, Polasek, Rolison, Travelpiece, Truitt, Valdés Smith, and Versaci

NAYS: 0

ABSENT: 1 McHoul

Resolution adopted.

The County Executive held a public hearing on the foregoing Local Law on August 29, 2024, and signed it into Law on September 4, 2024. The effective date of the Local Law was September 11, 2024.

## *Government Services and Administration Roll Call*

<i>District</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>
District 7 - Hyde Park and Pleasant Valley	Truitt*	✓	
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Houston*		
District 3 - LaGrange	Polasek*		
District 16 - Fishkill and Beacon	Valdés Smith*		
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins*		
District 6 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Kaul		
District 14 - Wappinger and Town of Poughkeepsie	Versaci		
District 17 - Town and Village of Fishkill	McHoul (C)		
District 18 - City of Beacon and Fishkill	Page		
District 20 - Red Hook, Tivoli, and Rhinebeck	Munn		
District 21 - East Fishkill	Caswell		
District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House (VC)		

Present: <u>12</u>	Resolution: <u>✓</u>	Total: <u>12</u>
Absent: <u>0</u>	Motion: <u>—</u>	Yes <u>0</u>
Vacant: <u>0</u>		No <u>0</u>

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**AUGUST 8, 2024**

# Roll Call Sheets

District	Last Name	YES	NO
District 7 - Hyde Park and Pleasant Valley	Truitt	✓	
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Houston		
District 3 - LaGrange	Polasek		
District 16 - Fishkill and Beacon	Valdés Smith		
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins		
District 1 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Gorman		
District 2 - LaGrange, Pleasant Valley & Town of Poughkeepsie	Travelpiece		
District 4 - Hyde Park and Town of Poughkeepsie	Lawler		
District 5 - Town of Poughkeepsie	D'Aquanni		
District 6 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Kaul		
District 8 - City and Town of Poughkeepsie	Brendli		
District 10 - City of Poughkeepsie	Johnson		
District 11 - Clinton, Pleasant Valley, and Rhinebeck	Kearney		
District 12 - East Fishkill	Metzger		
District 13 - East Fishkill and Wappinger	Paoloni		
District 14 - Wappinger and Town of Poughkeepsie	Versaci		
District 15 - Wappinger	Faust		
District 17 - Town and Village of Fishkill	McHoul	Absent	
District 18 - City of Beacon and Fishkill	Page		
District 19 - North East, Stanford, Pine Plains, Milan & Red Hook	Drago		
District 20 - Red Hook, Tivoli, and Rhinebeck	Munn		
District 21 - East Fishkill	Caswell		
District 22 - Beekman and Union Vale	Garito		
District 23 - Pawling, Beekman and East Fishkill	Rolison		
District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House		

Present: 24 Resolution: ✓ Total: 24 0  
 Absent: 1 Motion: — Yes No  
 Vacant: 0 Abstentions: 0

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AUGUST 12, 2024

FAMILY & HUMAN SERVICES

RESOLUTION NO. 2026060

RE: APPOINTMENT TO THE DUTCHESS COUNTY VETERANS AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, MUNN, ARNOFF, BRENDLI, KAUL, LAWLER, RHODES and SHAH offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, a vacancy will exist on the Veterans Affairs Committee due to the resignation of Deirdre Houston, and

WHEREAS, Thomas Zurhellen has expressed an interest in being appointed to the Veterans Affairs Committee for the remainder of the term rendered vacant by the resignation of Deirdre Houston; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, the Dutchess County Legislature thanks Deirdre Houston for her service on the Veterans Affairs Committee and accepts her resignation effective immediately; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature does hereby appoint Thomas Zurhellen to the Veterans Affairs Committee, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Deirdre Houston, to a term set forth below:

RESIGNATION	TERM
Deirdre Houston	01/01/2025 – 12/31/2026

APPOINTMENT	TERM
Thomas Zurhellen	04/13/2026 – 12/31/2026 (unfinished term)

APPROVED

*Susan J. Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026 and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*Julie Shiroishi*  
JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE



# FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

## APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS (To be completed by requesting department)

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds (check one):  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other (explain).

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Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments/Explanation:

Prepared by: Yvette Valdes Smith Prepared On: 3/13/26

**From:** Deirdre Houston <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 5, 2026 3:02:42 PM  
**To:** Valdes Smith, Yvette <yvaldessmith@dutchessny.gov>  
**Subject:** Veterans Affairs committee

Hi Yvette,

Hope this email finds you well. It is with regret that I tender my resignation to the Veterans Affairs Committee. I feel that the person in this role should be a sitting County Legislator, as the duty is to report directly to the Legislature on Veterans Affairs and their issues.

I truly enjoyed serving on this committee and wish my successor the best of luck serving on this committee. It truly is an important one!

Warm regards,

Deirdre Houston

**From:** Valdes Smith, Yvette <yvaldessmith@dutchessny.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 5, 2026 3:06 PM  
**To:** Shiroishi, Julie <jshiroishi@dutchessny.gov>; Masters, Clara <cmasters@dutchessny.gov>  
**Subject:** Fw: Veterans Affairs committee

RESOLUTION NO. 2026061

RE: APPOINTMENTS TO THE CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, MUNN, ALEXANDER, ARNOFF, BRENDLI, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES, SHAH and WINSBY offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 421 of 1989, the Dutchess County Legislature did create a Citizens Advisory Committee on Domestic Violence the members of which are appointed by the Chair of the Legislature subject to confirmation by the County Legislature, and

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 42 of 1993, the membership of such committee was fixed at 12 members, and

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Legislature has appointed the following members to the Citizenship Advisory Committee on Domestic Violence; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature does hereby appointment members to the Citizens Advisory Committee on Domestic Violence as follows:

<u>Appointments:</u>	<u>Term Ending:</u>
Louise Daniele Town of Fishkill, NY, 12524	6/30/2026
Nancy Lenhart Poughkeepsie, NY, 12603	6/30/2026
Sarah Levy Fishkill, NY, 12524	6/30/2026
Dave Swift [REDACTED] Poughkeepsie, NY, 12603	6/30/2026

APPROVED

*Susan J. Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
ss:  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*Julie Shiroishi*  
JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

# FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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Additional Comments/Explanation:

Prepared by: Yvette Valdes Smith Prepared On: 3/13/26

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Resume

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From [REDACTED]  
Date Wed 3/11/2026 11:04 AM  
To Yvette Valdés Smith [REDACTED] Masters, Clara <cmasters@dutchessny.gov>

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**Louise Daniele, Retired NYSP Station Commander  
Legal Resident of Town of Fishkill for 34 Years**

**Mission Statement**

- **Build public trust and maintain transparency between Domestic Violence Victims and the Community as well as Law Enforcement.**
- **Promote accountability and integrity**
- **Highlight partnerships with local, state, or federal agencies, including emergency services, municipal boards, and community organizations to address complex issues regarding Domestic Violence.**

**Professional Experience**

**Elected Official**

**Town of Fishkill Town Board Councilmember**

**January 2020 - December 2023**

- **Organized the first Hometown Hero Banner program in Fishkill**
- **Spearheaded the Fishkill Sensory Park for all to use**
- **Supported, served, and celebrated with Seniors**
- **Advocated for the interests of the people of Fishkill over developers**
- **Committed to public service, promoting women's rights and equality**
- **Developed and implemented Town policies and new laws**
- **Participated in and approved Town Budgets**
- **Reviewed the Town's fiscal reports monthly**
- **Participated in hiring Town employees**
- **Liaison to Senior Center, Town water issues, Planning Department, and employee/resident issues**

**Member of the Town of Fishkill Police Commission**

**January 2022 - December 2023**

- **Reviewed weekly reports from the Chief of Police regarding arrests, accidents, and incidents involving the Police Department**
- **Investigated personnel complaints brought before the Police Commission**

- **Determined informal disciplinary matters and conferred with the Town Labor Attorney for serious cases**

#### **New York State Police**

**March 1992 - April 2012**

**Station Commander, Wappinger Station**

**2009 - 2012**

- **Supervised 30 Troopers, two Sergeants, and a civilian employee**
- **Conducted performance evaluations for Troopers and Sergeants**
- **Managed daily operations, ensuring proper maintenance of vehicles and station facilities**
- **Reviewed and corrected reports, including accidents, arrests, and domestic incidents**
- **Responded to emergency calls and complaints**
- **Oversaw Station warrants, Evidence locker, and Gun locker**
- **Supervised civilian employee schedules and tasks**
- **Investigated and documented personnel complaints**
- **Organized and actively supervised special assignments, including 9/11 detail**

#### **Sergeant**

**2001 - 2009**

- **Supervised 30 Troopers and a civilian employee in both Somers and Wappinger Stations**
- **Managed patrols across multiple towns and counties, including Fishkill**
- **Reviewed and corrected Troopers' reports and schedules**
- **Conducted performance evaluations**
- **Organized special assignments and emergency responses**

#### **Trooper**

**1992 - 2001**

- **Investigated civil and criminal complaints, including domestic incidents**
- **Processed arrests and conducted vehicle and traffic enforcement**
- **Documented reports and handled criminal investigations**
- **Transported defendants and completed processing tasks**
- **Assigned to special details and rotated desk duties, including radio communications**

#### **Education**

**Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice**

**Northeastern University, Boston, MA | 1989**

#### **Community Involvement**

- **Member of the Verplanck Garden Club**
- **Advocate for women's rights and equality**
- **Liaison for senior citizens and local government departments**
- **Organizer of community improvement initiatives, including sensory parks and veteran recognition programs**

#### **References**

**Available upon request**

## **Nancy Lenhert (aka Shook)**

Poughkeepsie, NY 12603



### **Professional Summary**

Dedicated and compassionate Registered Nurse with over 30 years of experience across a wide range of clinical and community settings. Proven track record in hospital care, school nursing, pediatric practice, psychiatric care, and public health. Committed to patient advocacy, institutional integrity, and maintaining the highest standards of professionalism.

### **Education**

- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)

SUNY New Paltz, 2000

- Associate of Applied Science in Nursing (AAS)

Dutchess Community College, 1990

### **Licensure**

New York State Registered Professional Nurse

### **Professional Experience**

- Public Health Nurse

Dutchess County Department of Health and Family Services – Poughkeepsie, NY

1998 – Present

- Provide nursing services, health education, and case management to diverse populations
- Advocate for vulnerable individuals and families in accessing care and resources
- Collaborate with multidisciplinary teams to support community wellness and disease prevention

- School Nurse

Poughkeepsie City School District – Poughkeepsie, NY

1992 – 1998

- Delivered daily healthcare services and emergency care to students and staff
- Developed care plans and monitored chronic conditions among the student population
- Promoted a safe and healthy school environment through education and prevention initiatives

- Psychiatric Nurse

New York State Department of Corrections and Supervision (NYSDOCS)

1993 – 2000

- Provided psychiatric nursing care to incarcerated individuals in a maximum-security setting
- Supported mental health assessment, treatment planning, and medication administration
- Maintained professionalism and ethical standards in a highly regulated environment

#### **Core Competencies**

- Public Health Nursing
- Psychiatric and Correctional Nursing
- School & Pediatric Care
- Patient Advocacy
- Interdisciplinary Collaboration
- Crisis Response
- Health Education & Outreach
- Confidentiality & Professional Ethics

# Sarah K. Levy

Fishkill, NY 12524

*Professional with experience in marketing, communications, graphic design, UX/UI design, content management/creation, social media, music, fine art, art history, history, photography, museums, non-profits, social media, writing, research, editing, law, and more.*

## **Experience**

### **Historic Huguenot Street 2021-present**

A historical society and museum located in a National Historic Landmark District, devoted to teaching about the many historical forces that have shaped America.

#### *Marketing and Communications Coordinator*

- Executes all aspects of a non-profit organization's marketing and communications operations.
- Serves as the organization's social media manager and social media content creator
- Manages budgets and ad planning, as well as ad design and creation.
- Designs, develops, and produces all printed communications-related collateral, including brochures, invitations, annual budget reports, semi-annual newsletters, and solicitations.
- Collaborates to develop policies and procedures for the site, including photography and filming guidelines.
- Delivers, implements, and measures the success of all marketing and communications plans, including advertising, promotions, and general outreach.
- Refines the institution's core messages and maintains a style to ensure organizational and brand consistency.
- Executive edits the organization's website and email communications, including heavy use of the CMS, Neon.
- Serves as the site's resident photographer/videographer and photographic/videographic content creator and manager.
- Develops relevant website pages and ensures all website content is up to date, organized and user-friendly.
- Designs, develops, strategizes, and schedules timely marketing emails and other content.
- Composes press releases and serves as the liaison for all press inquiries, actively seeking story placement.
- Develops and implements key strategic partner strategies at a local and national level.

### **Kaplan 2017-2024**

A test prep company

#### *Pre-College and LSAT Test Prep Teacher, Tutor, Virtual Off-Cam Teacher, and Bar Review Course Administrator*

- Taught a wide range of students both online and in person, including middle and high school students, and adults.
- Taught SHSAT Prep at an underserved Intermediate School; Fingerprints on file at the NYC Dept of Education.
- Provided guidance and knowledge to students preparing to take standardized tests: LSAT, SAT, SHSAT.
- Bar Exam Review Administrator.
- Evaluated students based on work progress; Built classroom management and knowledge retention skills.

### **The Art Story Foundation, New York, NY 2016-2020**

A non-profit website devoted to modern art insight and education.

#### *Freelance Graphic Designer:*

- Employed Illustrator and Photoshop for icon, banner, mobile and UI design.
- Employed Photoshop for image resizing, cropping, optimizing, comps, thumbnail/icon creation, layouts.
- Drove website traffic through use of clear and effective communication design.
- Gained further expertise and knowledge in the field of Modern Art.

### **Family Publications LLC, New York, NY 2017-2018**

A website and publisher for family-oriented content.

#### *Special Project Freelance Graphic Designer and Content Associate:*

- Employed Photoshop for photo editing, resizing, color correction, re-touching, file optimization, etc.
- Employed WordPress for photo uploads, site entries and organization; use of SEO to optimize web traffic.
- Researched and curated appropriate photos, with respect to subject, size, and resolution.

### **Graphis Inc., New York, NY 2016-2017**

A publishing company committed to presenting and promoting the work of exceptional talent in graphic design, advertising, photography, and art/illustration.

#### *Graphic and Production Designer:*

- Heavily used InDesign for magazine, book, catalog, and email marketing campaign layouts.
- Employed Photoshop, Illustrator, HTML, and WordPress for campaigns, blogs, catalogs etc.
- Art direction and talent management duties; Strategized and implemented E-marketing campaigns using MailChimp.
- Strategized and implemented UX/UI changes to the website.
- Edited and wrote copy for books, magazines, emails, blog posts and social media, using AP style.
- Extensive image curation and selection while gaining insight, knowledge about, and inspiration from, the work and life of masters in the fields of design, photography, advertising, and illustration.

### **Moon Phases Productions, Los Angeles, CA 2015**

A small production company.

#### *Graphic Designer/Camera Assistant:*

- Used Adobe CC programs for logo & photobook design.
- Used DSLR camera to assist on photo/video shoots.

### **Delaware Pacific, LLC, Pasadena, CA 2015**

A mortgage broker/lender.

#### *Administrative and Marketing Associate:*

- Used Campaigner and MailChimp for email marketing campaigns.
- Executed spreadsheets and layouts
- Used various programs for open house flyer research and execution, as well as blogs.
- Drove inquiries and conversions using Salesforce; Edited the app UI for marketing and customer service purposes.
- Constantly communicated with clients via mail, email, and phone.

## ***Education***

### **UCLA, Los Angeles, CA**

Academic Certificate in Design Communication Arts; 64 credit comprehensive professional program

### **Seton Hall Law School, Newark, NJ**

J.D.

### **University of Maryland, College Park, MD**

B.A. in Social and Cultural History, Minor in International Studies

### **Springboard, Remote**

UX Certificate; UX/UI Knowledge, Practice and Mentorship

## ***Special Skills and Associations***

Member, soloist, "work-study" participant, and section leader in the *Beacon Rising Choir*; Former Member of Juilliard Choral Union; Independent Singer/Songwriter; Oil painting, jewelry design, ink illustration & fashion design skills; Member of AIGA; Former member IAPWE; Expert level Mac and PC proficiency; Expert level MS Office skills including PowerPoint, Word and Excel; Expert level Adobe CC knowledge including visual, motion, and audio design programs. Experience with HTML and CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, Figma, and Sketch; Copyright and trademark expertise; Expert level research, writing and strategy skills; Easily grasps complicated/specialized content; Able to quickly condense dense information to create effective communication; Able to take case studies to finished campaigns; Experience working effectively across departments and industries; Excellent time management skills; Budget management skills; Former member of ASCAP; Improv and stand-up comedy experience; Former trained birth doula, childbirth educator, and women's health advocate.

# **David Swift**

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[REDACTED]  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12603  
Telephone [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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## **Education**

**MARIST COLLEGE;** Poughkeepsie, New York

Master of Business Administration, 2015  
- Concentration in Financial Management

Master of Arts Degree in Psychology, 1995  
- Concentration in Counseling/Community Psychology

Bachelor of Arts Degree, 1994  
- Major: Psychology  
- Minor: Spanish

## **Experience**

**GRACE SMITH HOUSE;** Poughkeepsie, NY  
**Child Counselor;** 1997 – 2001, 2002 – 2012  
**Support Staff,** 2012 – 2017  
**Director of Residential Services,** 2017 - present

**GRACE CHURCH;** Millbrook, NY  
**Financial Administrator;** 2012 – present

**SPACKENKILL UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT;** Poughkeepsie, NY  
**Head Cross Country and Track Coach;** 1997 – 2017, 2024-25

**MILLBROOK HOLLOW CONDOMINIUMS, INC.**  
**Property Manager,** 2016 – present

**MARATHON MAN HANDYMAN SERVICES**  
**Independent Contractor,** 2015 – 2017

**MILLENIUM INFORMATION SERVICES**  
**Property Inspector;** 2012 – 2016

**NEW YORK STATE INSTITUTE FOR BASIC RESEARCH;** Staten Island, NY  
**Regional Coordinator of Data Collection;** 1998 – 2009

**HUDSON RIVER REGIONAL OFFICE OF MENTAL HEALTH**  
**Statistical Analyst;** 1995

**POUGHKEEPSIE CHILDREN'S HOME;** Poughkeepsie, NY  
**Childcare Worker;** 1994

RESOLUTION NO. 2026062

RE: APPOINTMENTS TO THE COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, ALEXANDER, ARNOFF, BRENDLI, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES, SHAH and WINSBY offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 2024135, the Dutchess County Legislature adopted Local Law #1 of 2024; and


WHEREAS, Article 41 of the Mental Hygiene Law, Section 9.03 of the Dutchess County Charter, and Section 9.01 of the Dutchess County Administrative Code provide for the Creation of a Community Services Advisory Board whose members are appointed by the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Section 41.11(d) of the Mental Hygiene Law provides that each member shall be appointed for a four-year term, that vacancies shall be filled for unexpired terms and that no member may serve more than two consecutive terms; and

WHEREAS, vacancies exist on said Board and Board member Barbara Citarella has offered her resignation from the Board; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature does hereby accept the resignation of Barbara Citarella, and further appoints the following to the Dutchess County Community Services Advisory Board:

<u>Appointments</u>	<u>Term Expiring</u>
Kate Macaluso Beacon, NY, 12508	12/31/2028
Katherine Mahoney [REDACTED] Beacon, NY, 12508	12/31/2028
Margaret Stofsky [REDACTED] Poughkeepsie, NY, 12603	12/31/2028
Krisztina Kovacs [REDACTED] Beacon, NY, 12508 (filling unexpired term of Barbara Citarella)	12/31/2027

APPROVED  
  
 SUSAN J. SERINO  
 COUNTY EXECUTIVE

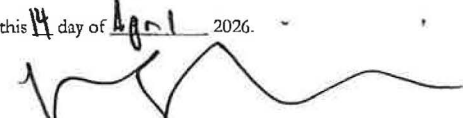
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STATE OF NEW YORK  
 COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

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Additional Comments/Explanation:

Prepared by: Yvette Valdes Smith Prepared On: 3/13/26

**Kate Macaluso, LCSW** Beacon, NY 12508

**PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

LCSW with over 20 years of experience in a variety of practice settings working with diverse clientele. I have a Masters in Social Work from Fordham University, am SIFI certified to supervise interns, and have held supervisory and leadership roles. I have worked in non-profit agencies, higher education, and private practice. I am professional, organized, proficient with technology and software, and a team player. My colleagues know me as a dedicated social worker, who used evidence based and collaborative approaches to help individuals, families, and agencies to achieve their goals.

**EXPERIENCE**

**Program Director, Enhanced Step Down Program (CTI), Constructive Partnerships Unlimited 10/25-present**

- Implementation of NYS OMH grant to provide Critical Time Intervention and Transitional Residential Services to individuals with co-occurring mental health and IDD diagnoses
- Develop program manual, workflow, policies and procedures
- Create EHR to capture documentation and data
- Liaison with stakeholders including hospitals and community providers
- Oversee multi disciplinary team including Team Lead, Behavior Interventionist, Nurse and Care Manager

**Home Based Crisis Intervention (HBCI) Supervisor, Astor Services 8/2024-10/2025**

- Assess, consult, and triage referrals of high risk youth from multiple community stakeholders to determine appropriateness for OMH hospital diversion services
- Provide clinical supervision to team of social work and mental health counseling staff
- Participate and consult in internal and external stakeholder meetings around best practices and services for high risk youth and their families
- Facilitate interdisciplinary treatment team meeting

**Crisis Services Intake Discharge Coordinator, Astor Services 8/2022-10/2024**

- Triage referrals for clients seeking OMH hospital diversion services and assign cases to appropriate clinicians
- Conduct clinical intake assessments for Partial Hospitalization Program and Home Based Crisis Intervention
- Engage families of high risk youth in risk assessments and safety planning
- Provide linkage to community resources for discharge planning
- Act as licensed clinician on site as per OMH regulations
- Collaborate and consult with external providers and stakeholder for program outreach and strengthening partnerships

**Adjunct Faculty, Adelphi University School of Social Work, MSW program, 1/2016-present**

- Clinical supervision for MSW students in field placements
- Liaison between social work students, human service agencies, and the university
- Facilitate online integrative seminar course for field students
- Taught Human Behavior in the Social Environment course as per university syllabus

**Consultant, Mental Health Association of Orange County, 7/2018- 12/2024**

- Crisis assessment and intervention to individuals with disabilities and their families including creating behavior plans and linkage to community resources
- Clinical support services provided to clients with chronic and persistent mental illness

**Faculty Field Liaison, Fordham University Graduate School of Social Services, 5/2022- 9/2022, 9/2019-6/2021**

- Liaison between social work students, human service agencies, and the university
- Facilitate online integrative seminar course for field students

**Community Outreach Coordinator, Adelphi University School of Social Work, 9/2014- 8/2022**

- Develop and strengthen the university's partnerships with community agencies, colleges, and civic and public entities to promote the MSW program throughout the Hudson Valley region
- Present at Open Houses, Graduate Fairs, and other venues regarding the field of social work and Adelphi's MSW program
- Successfully launched initiative that recruited a large cohort of new students
- Recruit, advise, and support students applying to the program
- Provide support to students experiencing psychosocial stressors
- Served as Interim Assistant Director of Field from 5/17-9/17 and 4/19-8/19

**Therapist, Riverview Psychological Services, Fishkill, NY, 1/2018-8/2019**

- Provide psychotherapy to individuals, children, and families
- Conduct intakes, create treatment plans, and document in EHR

**Consultant, YAI- National Institute for People with Disabilities-New York, NY, 3/2015-12/2015**

- Manage and facilitate clinical phone in support group for caregivers of individuals with disabilities.
- Conduct psychosocials for YAI Autism Center
- Review and edit psychosocial evaluations in Article 16 clinic for quality assurance

**YAI -National Institute for People with Disabilities-New York, NY, Supervisor: June 2011-March 2015**

**Assistant Supervisor: January 2010 – May 2011, Senior Intake Specialist: December 2007– December 2009**

- Non for profit manager with diverse clinical and administrative responsibilities.
- Managed high volume information and referral department including supervision of staff and social work interns.
- Conducted training and educational presentations for diverse community groups about access to services for individuals with developmental disabilities.
- Presented at YAI's International Conference and featured writer on YAI's website and in Autism Newsletter
- Conducted needs assessments and intakes with families from diverse populations and helped facilitate access to services.
- Administered OPWDD contracts for family support programs serving individuals with autism
- Outreach and marketing projects for YAI programs.

**Mental Health Clinician, YAI Center for Specialty Therapy, New York, NY 5/09-6/2014**

- Provided individual and family therapy to individuals and families seeking treatment at an Article 16 clinic for individuals with developmental disabilities.
- Utilized a variety of treatment modalities to help clients achieve treatment goals
- Conducted psychosocial evaluations and mental health screenings

**Social Worker/ Social Work Intern/ LEND Fellow, Westchester Institute for Human Development Family Program, Valhalla, NY, 9/05-10/06**

- Provided clinical services to children in foster care utilizing individual and group modalities. Initiated and maintained collateral contacts on all cases. Formulated psycho-social assessments for use in making service plan recommendations to DSS.
- Trained interns on intake and assessment process.

**Graduate Assistant, Children FIRST (Fordham Institute for Research and Training, Tarrytown, NY, 10/05-6/06**

**Medicaid Service Coordinator/ Transition Services Intern, Westchester Independent Living Center, White Plains,**

**NY, 11/05-6/05**

**Case Manager, Hudson River Housing Follow-Through Program, Poughkeepsie, NY, 10/03 – 9/04**

**Preventive Caseworker, Livingston County Department of Social Services, Mt. Morris, NY, 10/98-8/03**

**TRAINING**

- Seminar in Field Instruction, Fordham University (SIFI Certified) as of 5/2011
- Fellowship - Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (LEND) New York Medical College, Valhalla, NY, 9/05-5/06
- Children FIRST Scholar, 9/05-5/06

**COMMUNITY**

- Taconic Resources for Independence, Board Member (1/15-present)
- United Way of Dutchess/ Orange, Grant Reviewer, Community Impact Council (2017-present)
- Boy Scouts of America, Volunteer (2018-present)

Katherine Mahoney  
[REDACTED]  
Beacon, New York 12508  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**Education**

**City University of New York, Hunter College**  
STAC Program  
TESOL Advanced Certificate Program  
2017 graduation

**City University of New York, Brooklyn College, Brooklyn, New York**  
Master of Science in Education  
Master's in Teaching Reading  
2003 graduation

**Empire State College, New York, New York**  
Fine Arts Studio Program  
1987-1988

**Corcoran School of Art, Washington, D.C.**  
Bachelor of Fine Arts  
1983 graduation

**Certifications**

**English To Speakers Of Other Languages**  
*New York State Professional Certification*  
2/15/2019 -  
present

**Reading Teacher, K-12**  
*New York State Permanent Certification*  
2003 - present

**Fine Arts Teacher, K-12**  
*New York State Permanent Certification*  
2003 – present

**Wilson Reading System, Brooklyn, New York**  
*Certificate: Intervention Model, Steps 1 – 6*  
2008

**The Brooklyn Museum Summer Teacher Institute**  
*Certificate*  
2006

**All Kinds Of Minds, New York City**  
*Schools Attuned*  
*Separate Generalist Path*  
June 2006

**Grants/ Fellowships/  
Professional Development**

**Fund for Teachers Grant**  
*Fellowship*  
Awarded a teacher's grant to participate in a language immersion program in Puebla, Mexico and research the artwork of Diego Rivera and Frieda Kahlo,

in Mexico City.	2015
<b>Vermont Studio Center</b> , Johnson, Vermont <i>Writer's Residency</i> Participated in a 4-week writer's residency.	August 2014
<b>The National Endowment for the Humanities</b> <i>Teacher's Grant</i> <i>A Reverence for Words</i> Awarded a grant to participate in a two week program about the influence of Islam on poetry.	July 2014
<b>International Reading Association</b> <b>59<sup>th</sup> Conference</b> , New Orleans, Louisiana Participated in various workshops related to literacy and language development.	May 2014
<b>Vermont Studio Center</b> <i>Writer's Residency</i> Participated in a 2-week writer's residency.	February 2012
<b>Cullman Center for Research</b> , New York City <b>The New York City Public Library</b> By invitation, participated in workshops for teachers: 1) Frankenstein in the Library Conducted by Cullman Fellow, John Tresch 2) Fact or Fiction, Writing Workshop Conducted by Cullman Fellow, Owen Shears	November 2009 summer 2008
<b>The Internationals Network</b> Conducted and participated in various Professional Development workshops	2005 – present
<b>Department of Education</b> , New York City <b>The Jewish Museum</b> <i>Teaching Bookmaking</i> Ezra Jack Keats Bookmaking Competition	2008
<b>New Visions for Education</b> , New York City <i>Performance-Driven Assessment</i> Led by Debbi Ferris-Cole	2006 - 2007
<b>Wilson Academy</b> , New Jersey <b>Wilson Reading System</b> <i>Overview</i>	spring 2006
<b>Department of Education</b> , New York City <b>Wilson Reading System</b> <i>Introduction to Foundations</i>	spring 2005
<b>International Dyslexia Association</b> , New York City	

**Employment**

10/2005 – present

**The International High School @ Prospect Heights, Brooklyn, New York**

***Literacy Teacher for English Language Learners and SIFE Students***

***Environmental Justice Teacher***

***Art Teacher***

***Newcomers English Teacher***

***Academic Advisor***

***Literacy Teacher (9/22 – present)***

- Create Literacy curriculum using backward design.
- Work with 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade students to support English literacy.
- Use Reading Horizons Elevate to support English language development.
- Develop curriculum for foundational literacy curriculum that includes both skills work and elements of project-based learning; collaboratively design literacy curriculum to align with one or more core content class.
- Work with small groups of students to expand foundational reading and writing skills.
- Liaise with teams to determine roster for literacy program; provide ongoing feedback to teams about student progress.
- Work with Assistant Principal to coordinate intake assessments (NYSITELL, SIFE interviews) and NYSESLAT.
- Coordinate and implement multi-lingual screener to all new students.

***Art Teacher (9/21-6/22)***

- Create Art curriculum using Backward Design process for lower school students (9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grades)
- Use schoolwide learning outcomes to assess students.
- Plan with other Art teachers to build units of study.
- Collaborate with artists from the Park Avenue Armory to plan and implement lessons.
- Member of the Professional Development Committee.

***Environmental Justice Teacher (during the pandemic) (3/20-6/21)***

- Work with a team of teachers to create Science, Social Studies, Art and Literacy curriculum for 9<sup>th</sup> and 10 graders.
- Meet with students in Zoom classes.
- Organize, grade and post class assignments in Google Classroom.
- Use teacher-created interactive slides (Pear Deck), videos (such as YouTube, BrainPop, Flocabulary) and other platforms (Jamboard, Padlet) to teach lessons.
- Use online reading programs, Reading Horizons and Reading Plus, to support English language development.
- Provide opportunities for student interaction in Zoom breakout rooms.

- Assess student work based on outcomes.
- Create rubrics and check-lists for student self-assessment.
- Creates scaffolds to support English language development.
- Conference with students about their progress.
- Provide English Language Learners opportunities for English language development.
- Collaborate with the Park Avenue Visiting Artists program to create lessons.
- Member of the Professional Development Committee.

***Art Teacher (9/19-6/20)***

- Worked with other Art teachers in the school to create outcomes for learning.
- Created and implemented lessons on the fundamentals of Art for 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, and 11<sup>th</sup> graders.
- Collaborated with the Park Avenue Armory Visiting Artists program to create lessons.

***Literacy Teacher (10/05-6/19)***

- Use backward planning design model to create and implement project-based unit plans to support second language development.
- Create and implement learning segments with aligned language and content objectives.
- Create and implement differentiated literacy lessons to support content classes.
- Work collaboratively with an interdisciplinary team of teachers to support language development for English Language Learners, and develop inquiry-based curriculum.
- Cultivate critical thinking.
- Provide experiential learning opportunities.
- Provide hands-on opportunities to promote growth in speaking, listening, reading and writing, viewing and visually representing in English.
- Design and implement curriculum for ELA Regents Prep.
- Design curriculum to support PBAT (Performance Based Assessment Tasks) readiness.
- Design lessons based on enduring understandings and essential questions.
- Create scaffolds for independent and collaborative learning projects.
- Use Common Core Standards to support curriculum design.
- Interview and identify SIFE students (Students with Interrupted Formal Education) and communicate the results of the Oral SIFE Interviews with the staff.
- Administer analytical oral reading inventories to determine instructional, independent and frustration reading levels.
- Administer MLS (Multilingual Literacy SIFE Screener) and create spreadsheet to keep track of scores for staff.
- Utilize technology, such as Achieve 3000 and Reading Horizons to support literacy development.
- Participate in teacher committees such as the Professional Development Committee.
- Assist in grant-writing.
- Participate in action-research groups.
- Organize student presentations of their work for the staff.
- Administer the NYSITELL and share results with teacher teams.
- Administer and score the NYSESLAT.
- Provide input to teachers on curriculum development to support struggling ELLs.

***Newcomers Teacher (overlap with Literacy classes)***

- Design and implement project-based curriculum to support basic English language skills for recent immigrant students.
- Provide hands-on opportunities for students to practice speaking, listening, reading and writing in English.
- Provide experiential learning opportunities.

***Academic Advisor (ongoing)***

- Provide guidance support on a year by year basis for a group of approximately twenty students from ninth – twelfth grade.
- Ninth-grade: community building curriculum.
- Tenth grade: health curriculum.
- Eleventh grade: career/college exploration curriculum.
- Twelfth grade: college application support.
- Work with a team of teachers to create advisory curriculum and plan ways to support students.
- Participate in guidance meetings to provide socio-emotional support to students.

***Wilson Reading Teacher (2005-2012)***

- Using the Wilson Reading System, provide highly structured instruction in decoding, encoding and reading comprehension.
- Use the WADE (Wilson Assessment of Decoding and Encoding) assessments to measure student progress.

12/03 – 10/05

**P.S. 59, Brooklyn, New York**

***Reading Intervention Teacher***

- Assess reading skills of K-3 students using Voyager, pre- and post-tests, and benchmarks. Skills assessed: Phonemic awareness, phonics, reading comprehension and reading fluency.
- Utilize ongoing assessments, such as: miscue analysis, retellings, timed fluency readings, non-sense words and phonemic segmentation, based on DIBELS (Dynamic Indicators of Basic Literacy Skills).
- Provide literacy instruction to second and third grade students.
- Incorporate strategies and activities, such as vocabulary games, chunking phrases, flip cards, Leap Pad decodable books, games and other activities in order to engage various learning styles.

10/02 - 12/03

**P.S. 59, Brooklyn, New York**

***Third Grade Classroom Teacher***

- Implement the Teachers College Balanced Literacy Program.
- Utilize Month by Month Phonics.
- Use designated math text in order to provide instruction in third grade math skills and concepts.
- Utilize hands-on science projects in order to teach third grade science.

9/99 - 6/03

**P.S. 59, Brooklyn, New York**

***Third Grade Classroom Teacher***

- Provide English Language Arts instruction in compliance with New York State Third Grade Reading and Writing Standards.
- Provide time for independent, paired, and choral reading.
- Utilize teacher-guided reading, shared-reading and reading-aloud as modes of instructional reading.
- Provide instruction in reading comprehension, fluency and genre awareness using the literature-based basal (McGraw-Hill).
- Provide opportunities for cooperative learning in all subjects.
- Create on-going assessments for phonics, vocabulary development, fluency and comprehension.
- Organize and implement Readers Theater projects to support reading fluency and reading comprehension.
- Support writing development through use of daily journal-writing, written responses to reading, graphic organizers, report-writing and provide opportunities for independent and cooperative writing activities.
- Utilize E-CLASS to determine individual reading levels.
- Provide hands-on science, math and social studies instruction in compliance with New York State standards.

7/99 - 8/99

**P.S. 18, Brooklyn, New York**

***Third/Fourth Grade Summer School Classroom Teacher***

- Provide English Language Arts and math instruction.
- Provide support for students to work cooperatively at learning centers.

9/98 - 6/99

**P.S. 18, Brooklyn, New York**

***Literacy Cluster Teacher, K-5***

- Create authentic-literature based literacy lessons in order to provide reading and writing support.

***Margaret Stofsky***

***Poughkeepsie, NY 12603***

Immediately prior to retirement (2014) I was a New York State Certified School Psychologist, psychotherapist, and compliance monitor and advisor for special education services in residential programs for foster care and at-risk adolescents and their families.

### **Education**

**2005:** Master's Degree in Clinical Psychology, Fielding Graduate University.

**1986:** Master's Degree and Advanced Certificate in School Psychology, City College of New York. New York State Certified School Psychologist.

**1984:** Bachelor's Degree in Psychology, Mercy College.

### ***March 2000 – 2013: Candidate in PhD, Clinical Psychology (ABD)***

Fielding Graduate University. Dissertation study investigated trauma history and risk for compassion fatigue and burnout in residential child care workers. Due to a head injury, I was unable to complete my dissertation.

Clinical Externship at Hudson River Psychiatric Center Outpatient Clinic & Day Program in Putnam County.

### **Experience**

#### ***2007 - 2013: Regional Associate, New York State Education Department, Office of Special Education Quality Assurance***

Responsible for the provision of technical assistance and monitoring of the quality and regulatory compliance of special education programs and services for children with severe emotional, social, behavioral, educational, intellectual/developmental disabilities and family system challenges who were in residential care in state operated or licensed facilities and agencies.

#### ***September 1985 – January 2013: School Psychologist:***

Provided school-based psychological services in both public and private schools and agencies, serving on the Committee on Special Education and Preschool Committee, and consulting with teachers, administrators and families on developmental, mental health and educational issues.

Field supervisor for Marist College (NY) undergraduate and graduate interns in the School and Community Psychology program (1997-2005).

***Developmental Specialist: 1975-1984***

Taught at Putnam Area Resource Center (PARC) which serves adults with intellectual/developmental disabilities and/or psychiatric.

**Community Service and Volunteer Experience**

Eureka (CA) Branch of NAACP and Legal Redress Committee

League of Women Voters

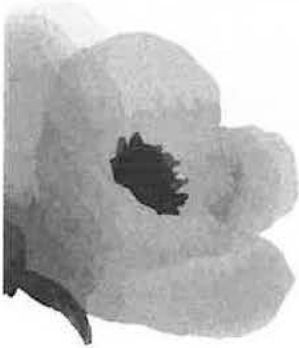
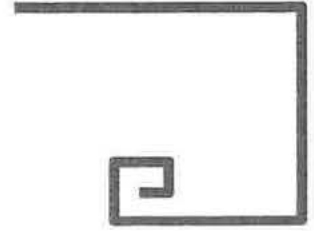
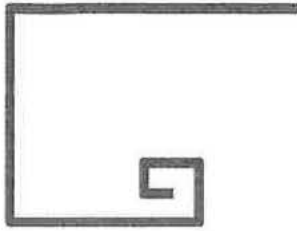
Humboldt County Mediation Services (trained, not active due to COVID-19)

Putnam County Community Services Board

Putnam Family Services Board



# Krisztina Kovacs (she/her)



## Experience

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### October 2024–Present

Associate Scientist • Internal Genetic Medicines - Auditory Sciences • Regeneron Pharmaceuticals

- Primary role: In vivo rodent surgeon - inner ear injections via the posterior & lateral semicircular canals in neonatal, juvenile and adult mice.
  - Blood collection techniques – cardiac puncture, retro-orbital, submental, tail nick and submandibular.
  - Systemic injections – intraperitoneal, subcutaneous, intramuscular, intravenous-tail, retro-orbital, intranasal and intrafemoral.

### September 2023–October 2024

Associate Scientist • Regeneron Genetic Medicines - Non-Viral Delivery Technologies • Regeneron Pharmaceuticals

- Primary role: In vivo lipid-nanoparticle injectionist – systemic IV tail injections of LNPs into rodents.
  - IVIS™ Spectrum – fluorescent and luminescence imaging
  - Necropsy – post-mortem organ and tissue collection

### August 2021–September 2023

Animal Research Associate • Velocigene - Animal Production • Regeneron Pharmaceuticals

- Husbandry and breeding management of internal mouse colonies.

### November 2019–August 2021

Animal Care Technician • Velocigene - Vivarium Operations • Regeneron Pharmaceuticals

- Husbandry of internal rodent colonies.

## Education

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Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY – May 2019

*Bachelor of Science in Psychology & Biology Minor; GPA 3.64*

- Functional Neuroanatomy, Learning & Memory, Evolution of Social Complexity, Animal Development, Chordate Zoology, Chemistry I & II

Dutchess Community College, Poughkeepsie, NY – May 2017

*Associate's degree in liberal arts & sciences; GPA 3.80*

- General Genetics, Ecology, Biology I & II



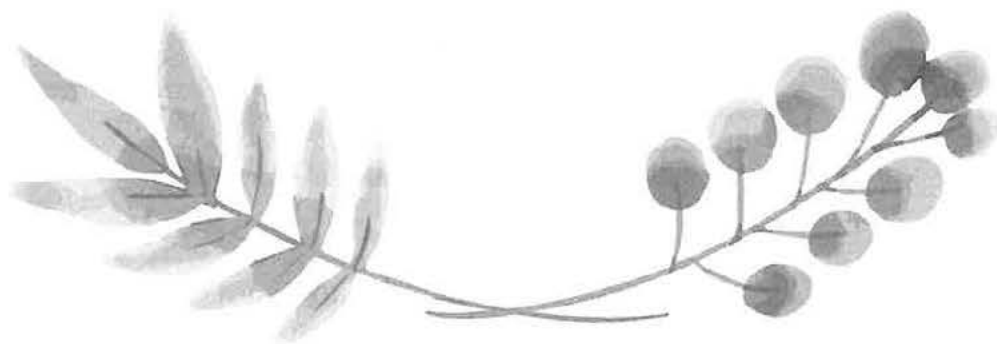
Beacon, NY 12508



## **Certifications**

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- *Workshop on stereotaxic surgery in the laboratory mouse*  
The Jackson Laboratory  
Issued Sep 2025
- *Laboratory Animal Technologist (LATG)*  
AALAS  
Issued Oct 2023
- *Laboratory Animal Technician (LAT)*  
AALAS  
Issued Aug 2022
- *Assistant Laboratory Animal Technician (ALAT/RALAT)*  
AALAS  
Issued Oct 2021



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**From:** Barbara Citarella [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 2, 2025 10:37 AM  
**To:** Niebuhr, Jean-Marie <[jmniebuhr@dutchessny.gov](mailto:jmniebuhr@dutchessny.gov)>  
**Subject:** Resignation from the Advisory Board

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Jean-Marie,  
Recent changes in both my personal and professional life have made active participation in the Advisory Board challenging. Thank you for the opportunity. Please pass along my sentiments of encouragement and solidarity with the group.

Barbara B. Citarella RN, BSN ,MS, CHCE,NHDP-BC  
Subject Matter Expert to U.S. Assistant Secretary of Preparedness and Response ASPR  
TRACIE  
President  
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RESOLUTION NO. 2026063

RE: AUTHORIZING CONDEMNATION PROCEEDING TO ACQUIRE A TEMPORARY EASEMENT ON REAL PROPERTY OWNED BY 789 SALISBURY TURNPIKE LLC IN CONNECTION WITH BRIDGE M-20, SALISBURY TURNPIKE (CR 53) OVER LITTLE WAPPINGER CREEK REPLACEMENT PROJECT, IN THE TOWN OF MILAN

Legislators VALDÉS SMITH, BRENDLI, LAWLER and RHODES offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works (“DPW”) has proposed replacement of Bridge M-20 located on Salisbury Turnpike (CR-53) over Little Wappinger Creek, in the Town of Milan, which project includes the acquisition of various portions of real property (the “Project”), and

WHEREAS, DPW has determined that this Project is classified as a Type II Action pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law and Part 617.5(c)(1) and (2) of the NYCRR (SEQR) and will not have a significant impact on the environment and as a Type II Action no further review is required, and

WHEREAS, DPW has made a determination that in order to complete the Project, it is necessary to acquire a temporary easement over real property owned by 789 Salisbury Turnpike LLC, described as a 4,056 +/- square foot parcel, Map No. 1, Parcel No. 1 of Tax Grid No. 133600-6471-00-818291-0000, and

WHEREAS, negotiations with the property owners to acquire these properties have reached an impasse and authorization is requested to begin Eminent Domain Proceedings to acquire the temporary easement over a portion of property owned by 789 Salisbury Turnpike LLC, and

WHEREAS, it is now necessary for this Legislature to authorize the commencement of proceedings pursuant to the Eminent Domain Procedure Law for the acquisition of said property as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Map</u> No.	<u>Parcel</u> No.	<u>Area Sq. ft.</u>	<u>Proffered</u> <u>Amount</u>
789 Salisbury Turnpike LLC	1	1	4,056.00 +/-	\$625.00

now therefore, be it

PUBLIC WORKS

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Public Works on behalf of Dutchess County be and is hereby authorized and empowered to commence proceedings against 789 Salisbury Turnpike LLC pursuant to the Eminent Domain Procedure Law for a temporary easement over the above property in furtherance of the replacement of Bridge M-20, Salisbury Turnpike (CR-53) over Little Wappinger Creek in the Town of Milan, Dutchess County, New York.

CA-033-26  
BP/CEB/rjw  
L-6615  
3/5/2026  
Fiscal Impact: See Attached.

APPROVED  
*Sue Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE  
Date April 22, 2026

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

ss:

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



*[Signature]*  
JULIE HIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

COORDINATION

Initialing indicates information only:

W County Executive

GP County Attorney (as to form)

RS | GP Public Works

JF | GP Finance

DAS | GP Comptroller

Jm Budget

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



**ROBERT H. BALKIND, P.E.**  
COMMISSIONER

**DAVID C. WHALEN**  
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

**DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Robert H. Balkind, P.E., Commissioner  
**FROM:** Matthew W. Davis, Assistant Civil Engineer I MD  
**DATE:** February 27, 2026

**RE: RESOLUTION REQUEST TO BEGIN CONDEMNATION PROCEEDINGS TO ACQUIRE A TEMPORARY EASEMENT FROM 789 SALISBURY TURNPIKE LLC IN CONNECTION WITH THE REPLACEMENT OF BRIDGE M-20, SALISBURY TURNPIKE (CR 53) OVER LITTLE WAPPINGER CREEK, TOWN OF MILAN, DUTCHESS COUNTY, NY**

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The Department of Public Works is seeking authorization to begin condemnation proceedings to acquire a temporary easement to 4,056+/- square for the purchase price of \$625.00 as described in the attached agreement to purchase real property.

The temporary easement is located at 779-793 Salisbury Turnpike in the Town of Milan, Parcel Identification Number: (133600-6471-00-818291-0000).)

The initial offer package was mailed certified and regular to the property owner on September 20, 2025. The certified mailing was returned as unclaimed, but the regular mailing was not returned. Several phone messages were left for the owner but never responded too. The County Attorney's Office sent a final reminder letter that the ninety (90) calendar days to consider this offer had passed. The County Attorney's Office will continue to try to contact and work with the property owner to secure the temporary easement without condemnation. If the County Attorney's Office can secure all the necessary closing documents before the April 13, 2026, legislative board meeting this condemnation request will be pulled from the agenda.

The subject project is classified as a Type II Action as per 6 CRR-NY 617.5.(c).(1) and (2).

**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

**APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS**  
*(To be completed by requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost \$ 625

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds *(check one)*:  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other *(explain)*.

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \$625  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Comments/Explanation:**

RESOLUTION REQUEST TO BEGIN CONDEMNATION PROCEEDINGS TO ACQUIRE A TEMPORARY EASEMENT FROM 789 SALISBURY TURNPIKE LLC, IN CONNECTION WITH THE REPLACEMENT OF BRIDGE M-20, SALISBURY TURNPIKE (CR 53) OVER LITTLE WAPPINGER CREEK, TOWN OF MILAN, DUTCHESS COUNTY, NEW YORK

Prepared by: <sup>MD</sup> Matthew W. Davis Prepared On: 2/26/26

## AGREEMENT TO PURCHASE REAL PROPERTY

Project: REPLACEMENT OF BRIDGE M-20, SALISBURY TURNPIKE (CR 53) OVER LITTLE WAPPINGER CREEK, TOWN OF MILAN, DUTCHESS COUNTY, NY

This Agreement by and between 789 SALISBURY TURNPIKE LLC, with an address at 789 Salisbury Turnpike, Red Hook, NY 12571, hereinafter referred to as "Seller", and the COUNTY OF DUTCHESS, with offices at 22 Market Street, Poughkeepsie, New York, 12601 hereinafter referred to as "Buyer.

1. PROPERTY DESCRIPTION. The Seller agrees to sell, grant, convey,

- a temporary easement to 4,056.00 +/- square feet of real property.  
Purchase Price: \$625.00

Located at 779-793 Salisbury Turnpike, Milan, NY 12571, being further described on Map 1, Parcel 1, attached hereto.

Being a portion of those same lands described in that certain deed dated September, 2015, and recorded November 10, 2015, as Document Number 02 2015 7361, in the Office of the County Clerk for Dutchess County, re: Parcel Number (133600-6471-00-818291-0000).

2. IMPROVEMENTS INCLUDED IN THE PURCHASE. The following improvements, if any, now in or on the property are included in this Agreement: None
3. TEMPORARY EASEMENT USE. The temporary easement shall be exercised for the purpose of access and constructing or reconstructing a bridge together with all appearances.
4. TERM OF TEMPORARY EASEMENT. The term of the temporary easement shall be for two (2) years. The commencement date may be up to nine (9) months after the date of execution of the temporary easement. If required, the temporary easement may be extended as agreed to by both the Seller and Buyer.
5. PURCHASE PRICE. The total purchase price is SIX HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$625.00). This price includes the real property described in paragraph 1 and the improvements described in paragraph 2, if any.
6. THE PARTY OF THE SECOND PART is required to restore the property of the party of the first part that is disturbed as a result of construction personnel or equipment

access to the condition that it was on the date of the execution of the temporary easement, to the extent reasonably possible.

7. THE PARTY OF THE FIRST PART AND ITS HEIRS, SUCCESSORS AND/OR ASSIGNS shall not be liable for personal injury or property damage caused by the carelessness, negligence or conduct of the party of the second part, its employees, contractors, invitees or agents in the use of the Easement Premises in connection with this temporary easement. The party of the second part agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the party of the first part, its successor's and assigns from any and all claims and damages caused directly by the existence of this temporary easement, the use and occupancy by the party of the second part of the easement premises, or the acts of party of the second part, its agents, employees or contractors.
8. THE CONTRACTOR hired by the party of the second part shall maintain in effect during the term of this temporary easement, general liability insurance coverage to cover the work being done on the property that is the subject of the temporary easement. The party of the first part shall be listed as additional insured on the contractor's certificate of insurance.
9. TITLE DOCUMENTS. Buyer shall provide the following documents in connection with the sale:
  - A. Deed. Buyer will prepare and deliver to the Seller for execution at the time of closing all documents required to convey the real property interest(s) described in paragraph 1 above. Buyer will pay for a title search.
10. MARKETABILITY OF TITLE. Buyer shall pay for curative action, as deemed necessary by the Buyer, to insure good and valid marketable title in fee simple and/or permanent easement to the property. Such curative action is defined as the effort required to clear title, including but not limited to attending meetings, document preparation, obtaining releases and recording documents. Seller agrees to cooperate with Buyer in its curative action activities. The Seller shall be responsible for the cost to satisfy liens and encumbrances identified by the Buyer. Said cost shall be deducted from the amount stated in paragraph 3 and paid to the appropriate party by the Buyer at the time of closing. In the alternative, the Seller may elect to satisfy the liens and encumbrances from another source of funds.
11. RECORDING COSTS AND CLOSING ADJUSTMENTS. Buyer will pay all recording fees, if any. The following, as applicable and as deemed appropriate by the Buyer, will be prorated and adjusted between Seller and Buyer as of the date of closing: current taxes computed on a fiscal year basis, excluding delinquent items, interest and penalties; rent payments; current common charges or assessments.

- 12. RESPONSIBILITY OF PERSONS UNDER THIS AGREEMENT; ASSIGNABILITY.** The stipulations aforesaid shall bind and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns of the parties hereto.
- 13. ENTIRE AGREEMENT.** This Agreement when signed by both the Buyer and the Seller will be the record of the complete Agreement between the Buyer and Seller concerning the purchase and sale of the property. No verbal agreements or promises will be binding.
- 14. BUYER'S POSSESSION OF THE PROPERTY.** For fee simple acquisitions and permanent and temporary easements, the Buyer shall have possession of the property rights on the day payment is received by the Seller. Any closing documents received by the Buyer prior to payment pursuant to paragraph 4 above, shall be held in escrow until such payment has been received by the Seller or the Seller's agent.
- 15. NOTICES.** All notices under this agreement shall be deemed delivered upon receipt. Any notices relating to this Agreement may be given by the attorneys for the parties.
- 16. CLOSING DATE AND PLACE.** Transfer of title shall take place through the mail or at a mutually acceptable location. This Agreement may be subject to the approval of the Dutchess County Legislature.
- 17. COUNTERPARTS. SIGNATURES TRANSMITTED BY ELECTRONIC MEANS.** This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, all of which taken together shall constitute one Agreement, and any of the parties hereto may execute this Agreement by signing any such counterpart. A facsimile of signature transmitted by electronic means applied hereto or to any other document shall have the same and effect as a manually signed original. This provision contemplates giving legal force and effect to copies of signatures. This provision does not contemplate the use of "electronic signatures" as regulated by New York State Technology Law Article 3, "Electronic Signatures and Records Act."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2026, the parties have entered into this Agreement.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Department of Law

SELLER: \_\_\_\_\_  
789 Salisbury Turnpike LLC,

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Department of Public Works

BUYER: \_\_\_\_\_  
County of Dutchess

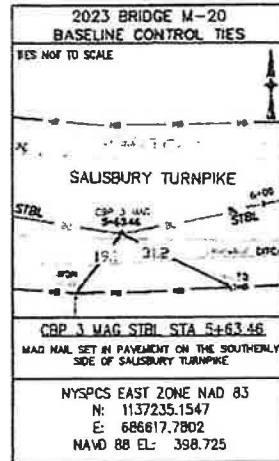
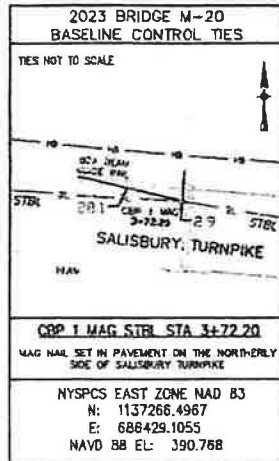
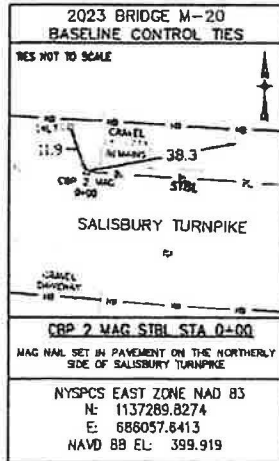




EXHIBIT A  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS  
ACQUISITION MAP

MAP NO. 1  
PARCEL NO 1  
SHEET 2 OF 2 SHEETS

REPLACEMENT OF BRIDGE M-20  
SALISBURY TURNPIKE OVER  
LITTLE WAPPINGER CREEK



Temporary Easement for Work Area

A temporary easement to be exercised for the purpose of installing a bridge and wing walls, in, on, and over all that tract or parcel of land situate in the Town of Milon, County of Dutchess, and State of New York, designated as Map No. 1, Parcel No. 1, as shown on the accompanying map and described as follows:

Parcel 1:

BEGINNING at a point on the northerly side of Salisbury Turnpike, said point being 133 1/2 feet distant northerly measured at right angles from STBL Station 3+03 1/2 of the 2023 survey baseline (STBL) established for the Salisbury Turnpike over the Little Wappinger Creek Replacement of Bridge M-20 Project;

thence runs North 50° 08' 06" East for a distance of 33 1/2 feet, said point being 36 1/2 feet distant northerly measured at right angles from STBL Station 3+27 1/2 of said baseline; thence runs South 85° 05' 12" East for a distance of 150 1/2 feet, said point being 43 1/2 feet distant northerly measured at right angles from STBL Station 4+74 1/2 of said baseline; thence runs South 40° 40' 29" East for a distance of 33 1/2 feet, said point being 22 1/2 feet distant northerly measured at right angles from STBL Station 4+99 1/2 of said baseline; thence runs North 85° 05' 05" West for a distance of 198 1/2 feet to the point or piece of beginning and containing an area of 4,056 1/2 square feet or 0.923 1/2 acres, more or less.

The above-mentioned survey baseline is a portion of the 2023 Survey Baseline (STBL) for the Replacement of Bridge M-20, Salisbury Turnpike over Little Wappinger Creek Project, in the Town of Milon, and is described as follows:

Beginning at STBL Station 0+00 (BL 2 Mag Nail); thence runs South 26° 24' 22" East along the northerly side of Salisbury Turnpike to STBL Station 3+72.20 (BL 1 Mag Nail);

thence runs South 80° 34' 06" East crossing over Salisbury Turnpike to STBL Station 5+63.46 (BL 3 Mag Nail).

All bearings referred to True North at the 74° 30' Meridian of West Longitude.

Reserving, however, to the owner of any right, title or interest in and to the property above delineated, and such owner's successors or assigns, the right of access and the right of using such property and such use shall not be further limited or restricted under this easement beyond that which is necessary to effectuate its purposes for the construction or reconstruction of the herein identified project.

I hereby certify that the property mapped above is necessary for this project, and the acquisition thereof is recommended.

Date August 14 2025

Robert H. Balkind, P.E.  
Commissioner of Public Works



"Unauthorized alteration of a survey map bearing a licensed land surveyor's seal is a violation of the New York State Education Law."

I hereby certify that this map was prepared in accordance with current NYSDOT policies, standards and procedures.

Date: May 30th 2025

Stephen P. Dolson - Land Surveyor  
P.L.S. License No. 050554

MAP NO. 1  
REVISED DATE  
DATE PREPARED May 30th, 2025

Prepared By: T. RUBIO Checked By: L. GRAF Final Check By: S. DOLSON

File Name: Map 1-Par 1

## **Non-Consent Agenda**

### **Resolution**

**2026051** Authorizing grant agreement with the New York State Emergency Services IP Network Readiness Grant Program and amending the 2026 adopted County Budget as it pertains to the Department of Emergency Response

Moved by Majority Leader Atkins, seconded by Assistant Majority Leader Munn.

Discussion: Legislator Shah expressed her support for the modernization of critical public safety infrastructure, but also her concern about a lack of transparency regarding the Vesta program through the County, noting a series of previous unindicated payment requirements to municipalities including the City of Poughkeepsie and Town of Poughkeepsie Police Departments.

Legislator Shah inquired when the required payments were determined.

Deputy County Executive Pulver said that the required payments predated his appointment as Deputy County Executive.

Legislator Shah asked if the requirements predated his appointment, why that information was not available prior to a Legislature vote taken in March. Deputy County Executive Pulver said that Commissioner Beale was the person who could answer that question.

Legislator Shah asked if the Resolution before the Legislature tonight has any further pass-through costs for municipalities. Deputy County Executive Pulver said not to his knowledge.

Legislator Shah asked why specifically the City and Town of Poughkeepsie had pass-through costs from the prior vote. Deputy County Executive Pulver said each municipality's circumstances and systems are different and he could not answer the question definitively.

Majority Leader Atkins asked when the demand of payment was sent to the City of Poughkeepsie. Deputy County Executive Pulver said it may have been within the past two weeks.

Legislator Kaul asked a further question regarding when the required payments were agreed/originated and if that occurred under County Executive Molinaro. Deputy County Executive Pulver said he wasn't sure but that it predated his time in the County Executive's Office.

Motion to postpone to May Regular Meeting by Minority Leader Polasek, seconded by Assistant Minority Leader Metzger.

Discussion: Legislator Rhodes asked if there was any consequence to accepting the grant funds caused by postponement. Deputy County Executive Pulver said he did not believe so.

Point of order called by Assistant Minority Leader Metzger whether discussion followed a motion to postpone.

Legislative Counsel Treybich advised that discussion does follow a motion to postpone.

A vote was called, the foregoing motion passed unanimously, with Legislators Caswell, Faust and Redl absent. Resolution postponed to the May Regular Meeting.

**2026053** Resolution of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, electing a cents per gallon rate of sales and compensating use taxes on motor fuel and diesel motor fuel, in lieu of the percentage rate of such taxes, pursuant to the authority of Article 29 of the Tax Law of the State of New York

Moved by Majority Leader Atkins, seconded by Assistant Majority Leader Munn.

Discussion: Legislator Atkins spoke in favor.

Legislator Lawler spoke in favor of the Resolution and against President Trump's policies and the War in Iran.

A vote was called, and the Legislature unanimously adopted the foregoing Resolution, with Legislators Caswell, Faust and Redl absent.

**2026058** Memorialization urging passage of New York Senate Bill S.8462 and New York Assembly Bill A.8908 by the New York State Legislature

Moved by Majority Leader Atkins, seconded by Assistant Majority Leader Munn.

Discussion: Legislator Johnson spoke against the Resolution, stating that the MELT Act would strip undercover Drug Task Force officers operating in the City of Poughkeepsie, of the means to protect their identities.

Legislator Arnoff spoke in favor of the Resolution.

Legislator Kaul spoke in favor of the Resolution.

Assistant Minority Leader Metzger spoke against the Resolution, agreeing with Legislator Johnson's statement about the Drug Task Force.

Legislator Rolison spoke against the Resolution, arguing the State bill is poorly written and does not protect officers in undercover or risky operations.

Majority Leader Atkins spoke in favor of the Resolution, stating that public safety requires accountability and the need for the public to be able to tell the difference between law enforcement officers and those impersonating law enforcement officers. He further requested to

be added as a sponsor.

Legislator McHoul spoke against the Resolution, and stated that no sponsors of the Resolution contacted the County Sheriff prior to the vote.

Legislator Alexander spoke in favor of the Resolution, thanking Legislators Rolison and McHoul for their positions, and acknowledging that the MELT Act is an imperfect bill. He further stated that difficult decisions are necessary in order to fulfill legislators' oath to protect the Constitution.

Legislator Kearney spoke in favor of the Resolution.

Assistant Majority Leader Munn spoke in favor of the Resolution, stating that there are a number of carveouts in the law for safety and medical purposes as well as undercover operations.

Assistant Minority Leader Metzger reiterated concerns about the safety of undercover officers, and stated that there are no carveouts as mentioned.

Legislator Arnoff spoke about sponsoring the Resolution, stating that she spoke to members of the immigrant community affected by Immigration and Customs Enforcement activities.

Legislator Shah spoke in favor of the Resolution, stating it was a Constitutional issue elated to due process.

Legislator McHoul clarified his prior remark, acknowledging an issue with Immigration and Customs Enforcement but stating that the Resolution itself does not take any action in the County.

Legislator Lawler spoke in favor of the Resolution and against Immigration and Customs Enforcement and its arbitrary deployment.

Legislator Alexander spoke in favor of the Resolution, noting that Immigration and Customs Enforcement has a larger budget than the United States Marine Corps.

A roll-call vote was called:

AYES: 13                    ALEXANDER, ARNOFF, ATKINS, BRENDLI, DRAGO, KAUL,  
KEARNEY, LAWLER, MUNN, RHODES, SHAH, VALDÉS SMITH,  
WINSBY

NAYS:9                    DARROW, GILES, HOUSE, JOHNSON, MCHOUL, METZGER,  
POLASEK, ROLISON, TRESCA

ABSENT: 3                CASWELL, FAUST, REDL

The Legislature adopted the foregoing Resolution.

# Roll Call Sheets

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District 16 - Fishkill and Beacon	Valdés Smith	X	
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins	X	
District 20 - Red Hook, Tivoli, and Rhinebeck	Munn	X	
District 3 - LaGrange	Polasek	X	
District 12 - East Fishkill	Metzger	X	
District 1 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Redl		ABSENT
District 2 - LaGrange, Pleasant Valley & Town of Poughkeepsie	Arnoff	X	
District 4 - Hyde Park and Town of Poughkeepsie	Lawler	X	
District 5 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Shah	X	
District 6 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Kaul	X	
District 7 - Hyde Park and Pleasant Valley	Darrow	X	
District 8 - City and Town of Poughkeepsie	Brendli	X	
District 10 - City of Poughkeepsie	Johnson	X	
District 11 - Clinton, Pleasant Valley, and Rhinebeck	Kearney	X	
District 13 - East Fishkill and Wappinger	Giles	X	
District 14 - Wappinger and Town of Poughkeepsie	Winsby	X	
District 15 - Wappinger	Faust		ABSENT
District 17 - Town and Village of Fishkill	McHoul	X	
District 18 - City of Beacon and Fishkill	Rhodes	X	
District 19 - North East, Stanford, Pine Plains, Milan & Red Hook	Drago	X	
District 21 - East Fishkill	Caswell		ABSENT
District 22 - Beekman and Union Vale	Tresca	X	
District 23 - Pawling, Beekman and East Fishkill	Rolison	X	
District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House	X	
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Alexander	X	

**Present:** 22                      **Resolution:** 2026051                      **Total :**    22                      0  
**Absent:**    3                              **Motion:**    Polasek, Metzger                              **Yes**                      **No**  
**Vacant:**    0    **Abstentions:**       

MOTION TO POSTPONE: 2026051 AUTHORIZING GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE EMERGENCY SERVICES IP NETWORK READINESS GRANT PROGRAM AND AMENDING THE 2026 ADOPTED COUNTY BUDGET AS IT PERTAINS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY RESPONSE

RESOLUTION NO. 2026053

RE: RESOLUTION OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF DUTCHESS, ELECTING A CENTS PER GALLON RATE OF SALES AND COMPENSATING USE TAXES ON MOTOR FUEL AND DIESEL MOTOR FUEL, IN LIEU OF THE PERCENTAGE RATE OF SUCH TAXES, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF ARTICLE 29 OF THE TAX LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

Legislators MUNN, VALDÉS SMITH, ATKINS, ALEXANDER, ARNOFF, BRENDLI, KAUL, KEARNEY, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES, SHAH and WINSBY offer the following and move its adoption:

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, as follows:

SECTION 1. Resolution No. 598 of 1975, is amended by adding a new section 4-B to read as follows:

Section 4-B. Cents per gallon rate of sales and compensating use taxes on motor fuel and diesel motor fuel.

Notwithstanding any provision of this enactment to the contrary, in lieu of the percentage rate of sales and compensating use taxes imposed on receipts from the retail sale of and consideration given or contracted to be given for, or for the use of, motor fuel and diesel motor fuel, such taxes shall be imposed at a rate of cents per gallon of such motor fuel or diesel motor fuel, in the manner prescribed by subdivision (m) of section 1111 of the New York Tax Law, provided that, for purposes of calculating the cents per gallon rate of tax, such receipts or consideration shall be limited to three (3) dollars per gallon of either such fuel. Provided that, if the average price of such fuels changes as described in such subdivision (m) of section 1111 of the Tax Law, the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance shall adjust the cents per gallon tax rate on such fuels in the manner prescribed in such subdivision (m) of section 1111 of the Tax Law.

SECTION 2. This resolution shall take effect June 1, 2026, and shall expire and be deemed repealed on December 1, 2026.

APPROVED

*Sue Serino*  
SUSAN J. SERINO  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2026.



*[Signature]*  
JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

# FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

## APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

*(To be completed by the requesting department)*

Total Current Year Cost        \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue    \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds (check one):

- Existing Appropriations         Contingency                       Transfer of Existing  
 Additional Appropriations     Other (explain)                      Appropriations

Identify Line Item(s):

Related Expenses:    Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments / Explanation:

By capping the sales tax on gasoline and diesel as a percentage of the per-gallon price of \$3/gallon, effective June 1 through November 30, 2026, the impact is a projected loss of \$460,000 compared to the 2026 adopted budget.

Prepared by: Kristofer Munn, advised by Budget Director Jessica White    Prepared On: 4/01/2026

# Roll Call Sheets

District	Last Name	YES	NO			
District 16 - Fishkill and Beacon	Valdés Smith	X				
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins	X				
District 20 - Red Hook, Tivoli, and Rhinebeck	Munn	X				
District 3 - LaGrange	Polasek	X				
District 12 - East Fishkill	Metzger	X				
District 1 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Redl		Absent			
District 2 - LaGrange, Pleasant Valley & Town of Poughkeepsie	Arnoff	X				
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District 21 - East Fishkill	Caswell		Absent			
District 22 - Beekman and Union Vale	Tresca	X				
District 23 - Pawling, Beekman and East Fishkill	Rolison	X				
District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House	X				
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Alexander	X				
<b>Present:</b>	<u>22</u>	<b>Resolution:</b>	<u>2026053</u>	<b>Total :</b>	<u>22</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Absent:</b>	<u>3</u>	<b>Motion:</b>	<u>Atkins, Munn</u>		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Vacant:</b>	<u>0</u>			<b>Abstentions:</b>	<u>        </u>	

2026053 RESOLUTION OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF DUTCHESS, ELECTING A CENTS PER GALLON RATE OF SALES AND COMPENSATING USE TAXES ON MOTOR FUEL AND DIESEL MOTOR FUEL, IN LIEU OF THE PERCENTAGE RATE OF SUCH TAXES, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF ARTICLE 29 OF THE TAX LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

RESOLUTION NO. 2026058

RE: MEMORIALIZATION URGING PASSAGE OF NEW YORK SENATE BILL S.8462 AND NEW YORK ASSEMBLY BILL A.8908 BY THE NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE

Legislators MUNN, VALDES SMITH, ALEXANDER, ARNOFF, BREDLI, DRAGO, KAUL, KEARNEY, LAWLER, REDL, RHODES, SHAH and WINSBY offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, the Mandating End of Lawless Tactics (MELT) Act (S.8462/A.8908) would require all law enforcement officers, including federal immigration enforcement agents, operating in New York State to wear clearly visible uniforms, display name badges, and show agency-identifying apparel during civilian enforcement actions; and

WHEREAS, the use of masks, face coverings, and plainclothes attire by federal agents during immigration enforcement operations has created widespread fear and confusion in communities across New York State, undermining public trust in law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Legislature is committed to public safety, the rule of law, accountable government, and the protection of strong families and healthy communities; and

WHEREAS, the ability of the public to identify law enforcement officers acting in an official capacity is a fundamental principle of transparency and accountability in a democratic society; and

WHEREAS, the concealment of identity by agents of the federal government during civilian enforcement actions is inconsistent with the standards expected of law enforcement in a free and open society, and echoes the tactics of authoritarian regimes rather than those of a constitutional republic; and

WHEREAS, there have been documented reports of individuals impersonating ICE and other federal law enforcement officers to commit robberies, assaults, and other crimes, demonstrating that the use of masked, unidentified agents creates a serious and tangible public safety risk; and

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Legislature recognizes that immigrant and non-immigrant communities alike are living in fear as a result of enforcement actions carried out by masked, unidentified agents, causing residents to withdraw from public life and avoid seeking essential services, including healthcare, education, and access to the courts; and

WHEREAS, the ability of individuals to seek legal recourse for misconduct by law enforcement officers is severely hampered when those officers cannot be identified, effectively shielding agents from accountability for their actions; and

PUBLIC SAFETY

WHEREAS, the MELT Act includes reasonable exemptions for legitimate safety needs, including medical-grade masks, protective gear for fire and smoke, water rescue equipment, cold weather protection during declared emergencies, and tactical face coverings for SWAT operations; and

WHEREAS, the State of California has already enacted comparable legislation prohibiting the masking of law enforcement officers, including federal immigration agents, during civilian enforcement operations, demonstrating that such protections are legally and practically achievable; and

WHEREAS, the allocation of tens of billions of dollars in new federal funding to expand ICE operations makes the need for robust transparency and accountability measures all the more urgent; and

WHEREAS, the MELT Act reflects the foundational democratic principle that when government exercises power over the people, the people have the right to know who is acting in their name;

WHEREAS, every level of government has a responsibility to protect the civil liberties, due process rights, and constitutional protections of all persons within its jurisdiction, regardless of immigration status; and

WHEREAS, Dutchess County holds a unique place in constitutional history as the site of New York State's ratification of the United States Constitution, and its elected officials are sworn to uphold principles of due process, accountability, transparency, and the rule of law; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Dutchess County Legislature hereby urges the New York State Senate and Assembly to approve New York Senate Bill S8462 and Assembly Bill A8908; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be sent to New York State Governor Kathy Hochul, New York State Senators Michelle Hinchey and Rob Rolison, and New York State Assembly Members Sarahana Shrestha, Jonathan G. Jacobson, Anil Beephan, Jr., and Didi Barrett.

STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, 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 13 day of April, 2026, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 14 day of April, 2026.



JULIE SHIROISHI, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

**SUE SERINO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE



22 Market Street  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601  
Phone: 845-486-2000

## DUTCHESS COUNTY GOVERNMENT

To: Members of the Dutchess County Legislature

From: Sue Serino, Dutchess County Executive

Date: April 22, 2026

Re: Resolution No. 2026058

At the monthly board meeting of the Dutchess County Legislature on Monday, April 13, 2026, Resolution No. 2026058 was adopted by a majority vote. This resolution memorializes the passage of the Mandating End of Lawless Tactics (MELT) Act (S.8462/A.8908) in the New York State Legislature. While I understand that this legislation aims to increase transparency, I have several concerns about how its implementation could adversely impact the ability of important specialized units, such as our very own Dutchess County Drug Task Force, from effectively keeping drugs off our streets. I have made these concerns clear to the Governor and our state legislative delegation in a recent letter.

As written, the MELT Act would require that our Dutchess County Drug Task Force forego facial coverings while engaging in their important work. The nature of the Drug Task Force's work is such that this requirement could undermine crucial investigations and even put members in danger of potential retaliation. These concerns were made clear during the legislative debate by members from both sides of the aisle, and I share these concerns. Just last year, we celebrated a reduction of nearly 50% in overdose deaths in Dutchess County. This is due in no small part to the enforcement efforts of the Drug Task Force. Any action that would make their already dangerous work more difficult is not an action that I can support.

I believe it is important that we listen to our partners in law enforcement when drafting regulations that would impact their work. Rarely are one size fits all policies effective, and this act is no exception. Dutchess County Sheriff Kirk Imperati stated that this bill "puts our drug task force agents in danger." Dutchess County District Attorney Anthony Parisi stated that the MELT Act would adversely affect the Drug Task Force's work. I share these concerns and believe that any such bill should carefully consider carve-outs for specialized units such as these. The MELT Act does not do this.

Public Safety Committee Chairman Eric Alexander stated that this legislation is flawed without exceptions for units such as the Drug Task Force but voted to support the "imperfect bill." Having spent four terms in Albany as a State Senator, I know firsthand how well meaning,

imperfect bills can have devastating consequences on our community. It is more often the case than not. As such, until these issues are corrected, I simply cannot endorse the legislature's actions in memorializing this legislation.

Resolution No. 2026058 is returned without my support.

# FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

## APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

(To be completed by requesting department)

Total Current Year Cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Current Year Revenue \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
and Source

Source of County Funds (check one):  Existing Appropriations,  Contingency,  
 Transfer of Existing Appropriations,  Additional Appropriations,  Other (explain).

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: \_\_\_\_\_

Net County Cost (this year): \_\_\_\_\_  
Over Five Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments/Explanation:

Prepared by: Kristofer Munn Prepared On: 3/13/26

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District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House		X	
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Alexander	X		
<b>Present:</b>	<u>22</u>	<b>Resolution:</b> <u>2026058</u>	<b>Total :</b> <u>13</u>	<u>9</u>
<b>Absent:</b>	<u>3</u>	<b>Motion:</b> <u>Atkins, Munn</u>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Vacant:</b>	<u>0</u>		<b>Abstentions:</b> <u>    </u>	

2026058 MEMORIALIZATION URGING PASSAGE OF NEW YORK SENATE BILL S.8462 AND NEW YORK ASSEMBLY BILL A.8908 BY THE NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE

## **Other County Business**

Majority Leader Atkins spoke on the Resolution and its discussion. He further spoke about 26 Oakley and that the City of Poughkeepsie and the County Executive's Office are in negotiations which are not subject to disclosure to the Legislature.

Legislator Darrow recognized the emergency telecommunications workers of Dutchess County in light of Public Safety Telecommunicators Week.

Assistant Minority Leader Metzger asked when the negotiations between the City of Poughkeepsie and the County Executive's Office began, and questioned comments made by City of Poughkeepsie Common Council members about the topic at a recent meeting.

Minority Leader Polasek announced a letter circulating regarding an Assembly bill allowing municipalities to have stipends for volunteer firefighters.

Legislator Kaul announced two letters circulating, one related to packaging and recycling and one related to public food service waste of plastics and condiments.

Legislator Arnoff thanked all Legislators who wore a neurodiversity pin for the meeting in honor of Autism Acceptance Month.

Legislator Drago spoke about a beaver dam failure in Milan which caused a thriving 8-acre wetland to drain and flood the Taconic State Parkway, stating that the failure was caused by the County euthanizing eight beavers in the Milan area.

Legislator Alexander thanked Legislator Drago for his comments and expressed his anger at the situation resulting in the destruction of the Milan ecosystem.

## **Clerk Announcements**

None.

## **Privilege of the Floor with respect to agenda and non-agenda County items**

Jamar Cummings of the City of Poughkeepsie thanked the Legislature for recognizing Jane Bolin, and spoke about the MELT Act and historical injustices.

Hon. Daniel Atonna spoke, calling on County Executive Serino to support fare-free buses and to either fund or return the You property.

Carissa of Dutchess County spoke about the need for further services and protections for domestic violence survivors. Sarah of Saugerties thanked the Legislature for its support of the LAP Assessment bill in the State Legislature and spoke about the need for further services and protections for domestic violence survivors.

Kelly Burns of Dutchess County spoke about the need for further services and protections for domestic violence survivors.

Jessica Ramirez spoke about the need for assistance in dealing with a family mental health issue.

**Condolences**

Chair Valdés Smith announced condolences to the families of former County Attorney James Fedorchak; former County Attorney's Office assistant Eileen Bogan; former Town of Fishkill Councilman and Police Commissioner Dennis Zack; retired US Army Sgt. 1st Class Vincent Richards; and Barbara Moseman, mother of Veterans Affairs Jeff Moseman.

There being no further business, the Chair of Legislature adjourned the meeting with consent at 9:07 p.m.