

Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Intermunicipal Shared Services Agreement With Town Of Gardiner For Maintenance Of County Roads – Department Of Public Works (Highways And Bridges)

Referred to: The Public Works and Capital Projects Committee (Chairman Fabiano and Legislators Cahill, Greene, Heppner, and Litts), and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairwoman Archer and Legislators Bartels, Gavaris, Haynes, Maio, Ronk, and Walter)

Chairman of the Public Works and Capital Projects Committee, Dean J. Fabiano, Deputy Chair Manna Jo Greene, and Legislator Bartels offer the following:

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

WHEREAS, Sections 133-A, 135, and 135-A of Article 6 of the New York State Highway Law provide authorization for the County to execute intermunicipal agreements with towns for the maintenance of County roads and for the County to lease its highway machinery, tools or equipment to towns for the purpose of maintaining County roads, subject to approval by resolution of both the Ulster County Legislature and the respective town board; and

WHEREAS, some County roads are so located that it is more efficient for towns to perform summer light maintenance, snow plowing, sanding and salting of the roads, thereby greatly decreasing the cost to the County of the road maintenance performed; and

WHEREAS, a 2.59-mile length of County Road 127 (McKinstry Road) and a 2.49-mile length of County Road 129 (Sand Hill Road), both in the Town of Gardiner, are so located that it would be more efficient for the Town of Gardiner to maintain them; and

WHEREAS, the Ulster County Commissioner of Public Works has requested that the Chair of the Ulster County Legislature be authorized to execute an Intermunicipal Shared Services Agreement with the Town of Gardiner for the Town to perform snow plowing, sanding, and salting on these roads, which total 5.08 centerline miles, for the fixed fee of \$26,543.00 per year for the three-year period beginning October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2023, and

WHEREAS, as part of the agreement, the County will further compensate the Town, based on the number of centerline miles, a performance incentive in the amount of \$2,200.00 per year; and

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WHEREAS, as part of the agreement, the County will further compensate the Town, based on the increase, if any, in the cost of diesel fuel, in the amount of \$2,000.00 over the life of the agreement; and

WHEREAS, as part of the agreement, the County will further compensate the Town, in the amount of \$10,000.00 for each year that that McKinsty Bridge is closed; and therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Chair of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to enter an agreement with the Town of Gardiner for the performance of snow plowing, sanding and salting for the period from October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2023, in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney,

and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 22 NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislator Roberts)

Passed Committee: Public Works and Capital Projects on October 7, 2020

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on October 13, 2020

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$39,409.00 – ANTICIPATED 2021 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

\$39,409.00 – ANTICIPATED 2022 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

\$39,411.00 – ANTICIPATED 2023 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

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STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF ULSTER

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the original resolution adopted by the Ulster County Legislature on the 20th Day of October in the year Two Thousand Twenty, and said resolution shall remain on file in the office of said clerk.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this 23rd Day of October in the year Two Thousand Twenty.

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

Submitted to the County Executive this
23rd Day of October, 2020.

Approved by the County Executive this
27th Day of October, 2020.

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

|s| Patrick K. Ryan
Patrick K. Ryan, County Executive