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By Legislators Frazier and Cruz

Intro. No. ____

MOTION NO. ____ OF 2025

PROVIDING THAT RESOLUTION (INTRO. NO. 276 OF 2025), ENTITLED "EIGHT-YEAR REVIEW OF MONROE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT NO. 5 AND DISTRICT NO. 6 AND CONSOLIDATING MONROE COUNTY DISTRICT NO. 6 INTO DISTRICT NO. 5, FORMING MONROE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT NO. 5," BE LIFTED FROM THE TABLE

BE IT MOVED, that Resolution (Intro. No. 276 of 2025), entitled "EIGHT-YEAR REVIEW OF MONROE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT NO. 5 AND DISTRICT NO. 6 AND CONSOLIDATING MONROE COUNTY DISTRICT NO. 6 INTO DISTRICT NO. 5, FORMING MONROE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT NO. 5," be lifted from the table.

File No. 25-0202

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County Executive

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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Eight-Year Review of Monroe County Agricultural District No. 5 and District No. 6 and Consolidation of Monroe County District No. 6 into District No. 5, Forming Monroe County Agricultural District No. 5.

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body approve the modification of Monroe County Agricultural Districts No. 5 and No. 6 and consolidate District No. 6 into District No. 5, forming Monroe County Agricultural District No. 5. Pursuant to Article 25AA of the NYS Agriculture and Markets Law, a report has been prepared by the Monroe County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board on the eight-year review of both districts and recommends consolidation of Districts No. 5 and No. 6 into one county-wide district.

Based on the findings from the annual addition and district review process, the report recommends the modification of District No. 5 by adding approximately 537 acres and removing zero acres - the modification results in a gain of 537 acres to District No. 5 and the modification of District No. 6 by adding approximately 288 acres and removing approximately 135 acres - the modification results in a gain of 153 acres to District No. 6. The modifications recommended include the following parcels:

Western Agricultural District No. 5

- a) Add 17 parcels (approximately 537 acres) to the Western Agricultural District No. 5:
- 816 Ballantyne Rd, Town of Chili, consisting of approximately 62.53 acres, tax account number 159.03-1-9.11, owned by Joseph D. & John A. Hellaby
 - 2684 Redman Rd, Town of Clarkson, consisting of approximately 26.70 acres, tax account number 028.03-1-20.2, owned by JDP Lands, LLC
 - 2214 Lake Rd, Town of Clarkson, consisting of approximately 5.46 acres, tax account number 029.03-1-32.11, owned by Chad Webster and Antonia Palumbo-Webster
 - Ridge Road, Town of Clarkson, consisting of approximately 11.20 acres, tax account number 053.04-1-1.9, owned by Thomas A & Robert E. Conrow
 - Ridge Road, Town of Clarkson, consisting of approximately 10.68 acres, tax account number 053.04-1-1.8, owned by Thomas A & Robert E. Conrow

- Ridge Road, Town of Clarkson, consisting of approximately 10.27 acres, tax account number 053.04-1-1.5, owned by Thomas A & Robert E. Conrow
- 2842 Redman Rd, Town of Clarkson, consisting of approximately 59.00 acres, tax account number 028.03-1-23, owned by Edward & Shelia Burch
- 318 Frisbee Hill Rd, Town of Greece, consisting of approximately 1.00 acres, tax account number 033.01-2-29, owned by Cory & Allisa Gurnett
- 269-289 Parma Center Road, Town of Parma, consisting of approximately 85.22 acres, tax account number 043.03-2-10.115, owned by John B. Martin & Sons LLC
- 4900 Ridge Rd, Town of Parma, consisting of approximately 70.00 acres, tax account number 072.01-2-23.1, owned by Norbut Farm 2 LLC
- 892 Burritt Rd, Town of Parma, consisting of approximately 14.95 acres, tax account number 031.03-2-62.1, owned by Amanda and Robert Roth
- Sweden Walker Rd, Town of Sweden, consisting of approximately 49.51 acres, tax account number 084.04-1-6.21, owned by Randall S. & Margery A. Robb
- 825 West Ave, Town of Sweden, consisting of approximately 39.20 acres, tax account number 068.01-2-4.1, owned by David Barlow
- 1884 Chili-Scottsville Rd, Town of Wheatland, consisting of approximately 30.98 acres, tax account number 186.04-1-3.121, owned by Michelle K. Ingham
- 1886 Chili-Scottsville Rd, Town of Wheatland, consisting of approximately 30.98 acres, tax account number 186.04-1-3.122, owned by Jeffrey & Michelle Ingham
- River Rd, Town of Wheatland, consisting of approximately 6.40 acres, tax account number 200.03-1-21.121, owned by Tim & Joeelyn Czapranski
- River Rd, Town of Wheatland, consisting of approximately 22.89 acres, tax account number 200.03-1-21.107, owned by Tim & Joeelyn Czapranski

Eastern Agricultural District No. 6

- a) Add 8 parcels (approximately 288 acres) to the Eastern Agricultural District No. 6:
- 411-511 Telephone Rd, Town of Henrietta, consisting of approximately 14.29 acres, tax account number 188.04-1-36.1, owned by Todd and William Ladd
 - Reeves Rd, Town of Henrietta, consisting of approximately 8.77 acres, tax account number 190.02-1-24.24, owned by Walter and Mary Ellen Liss
 - Mile Square Rd, Town of Mendon, consisting of approximately 65.10 acres, tax account number 216.02-1-14.1, owned by Tolegate Builders, LLC
 - 1954 Dublin Rd, Town of Penfield, consisting of approximately 57.50 acres, tax account number 125.03-1-41.1, owned by Matthew D. Capuano

- Rush Scottsville Rd, Town of Rush, consisting of approximately 53.70 acres, tax account number 201.04-1-31.1, owned by Marie Krenzer
 - Rush Scottsville Rd, Town of Rush, consisting of approximately 22.30 acres, tax account number 201.04-1-32, owned by Marie Krenzer
 - 1148 Honeoye Falls Five Points Rd, Town of Rush, consisting of approximately 20.00 acres, tax account number 220.04-1-11, owned by David J Kyle
 - Rush Scottsville Rd, Town of Rush, consisting of approximately 46.00 acres, tax account number 201.03-1-12.1, owned by Darylann Cherry
- b) Remove 3 parcels (approximately 135 acres) from the Eastern Agricultural District No. 6:
- Bridleridge Farms, Town of Pittsford, consisting of approximately 83.96 acres, tax account number 191.01-1-18.11, owned by Bridleridge Farms LLC
 - North Main Street, Village of Pittsford, consisting of approximately 45.60 acres, tax account number 151.19-1-15.1, owned by Powers Farm LLC
 - Rush Henrietta TL Rd, Town of Rush, consisting of approximately 5.73 acres, tax account number 201.03-1-1.11, owned by Daniel & Margaret Cornwell

The report also recommends the consolidation of the Eastern District No. 6 into the Western District No. 5, to be known as Monroe County Agricultural District No. 5. Doing so will increase the efficiency of the 8-year review process for County Staff, Land Owners, and the Towns and Villages of Monroe County while also reducing the confusion that occurs from multiple district reviews within Monroe County.

In accordance with Article 25AA, the Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board report and recommendation should be the subject of a public hearing held by the Legislature's Planning & Economic Development Committee at a place within the District, in its present form, or otherwise readily accessible to it. The Legislature has the option to continue the District in its present form; continue and modify the District; or terminate the District. I recommend adding and removing the parcels listed above to the Monroe County Agricultural Districts and the consolidation of the Eastern Agricultural District No. 6 into the Western Agricultural District No. 5, to be known as Monroe County Agricultural District No. 5.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Hold a public hearing on the modification and consolidation of Monroe County District No. 5 and No. 6 as set forth in the report prepared by the Monroe County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board within the District, in its present form, or a place readily accessible to the District.
2. Consider the recommendations and facts presented at the hearing relative to the modifications and consolidation to the Monroe County Agricultural Western District No. 5 and Eastern District No. 6.
3. Authorize the addition of the above named twenty-five (25) parcels and the removal of the above named three (3) parcels from, the Monroe County Agricultural Districts No. 5 and No. 6.
4. Authorize the Consolidation of the Monroe County Western Agricultural District No. 5 and Eastern Agricultural District No. 6. to form the Monroe County Agricultural District No. 5.

The provisions of the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act shall be complied with prior to Your Honorable Body undertaking, funding, or approving the action requested in this referral.

This consolidation and Agriculture District modification will have no impact on the revenues or expenditures of the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive