

Colony of the Arts

TOWN OF WOODSTOCK . 45 COMEAU DRIVE, WOODSTOCK NY 12498

**RESOLUTION 64-2020
DEC HUDSON RIVER ESTUARY**

Read by Supervisor McKenna, offered by Councilperson Ricci, seconded by Councilman Earls:

WHEREAS, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation ("DEC") Hudson River Estuary Program in partnership with the Ashokan Watershed Stream Management Program and Ulster County Department of the Environment has offered to assist the Town of Woodstock Environmental Commission (WEC) in 2020 with developing a Natural Resources Inventory for the Town, and

WHEREAS, an NRI contains information about a town's natural resources – groundwater, streams, mineral resources, wetlands, farmland, habitats, plants, and wildlife – that can inform land use planning and decision-making, climate resilience strategies, and serve as an education tool, and

WHEREAS, the DEC Hudson River Estuary Program will provide guidance to create a basic NRI incorporating information from prior town plans and studies and coordinate with partners to create a series of resource maps at no cost to the Town, and

WHEREAS, members of the WEC have committed to volunteer for the project and will be responsible for public outreach, map review, and contributions to the NRI report,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

1. That the Town Board of Woodstock does hereby agree to participate in the DEC Hudson River Estuary Program technical assistance opportunity and authorizes the WEC on behalf of the Town to work with DEC to create a Natural Resources Inventory.

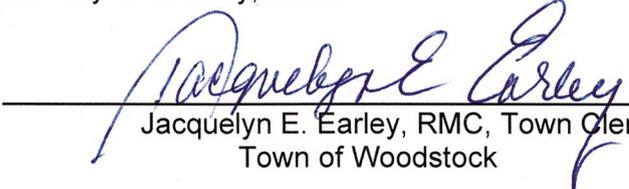
All voted 5-0: Supervisor McKenna - aye
Councilman Rose - aye
Councilman Heppner - aye
Councilwoman Ricci - aye
Councilman Earls – aye

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Town of Woodstock, Ulster County, New York, **DO HEREBY CERTIFY:**

THAT I have compared the above resolution of the Town Board of the Town of Woodstock is a true and correct copy of the said original as recorded in the minutes of the Town Board meeting held on January 21, 2020 and filed in the Office of the Town Clerk.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Town of Woodstock, New York this 30th day of January, 2020.

SEAL



Jacquelyn E. Earley, RMC, Town Clerk
Town of Woodstock