



**Resolution**  
**Board of Supervisors**  
**County of Columbia**  
**New York**

RESOLUTION NO. 365 -2012

DATE: October 10, 2012

BY SUPERVISOR \_\_\_\_\_  
PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE  
CHAIRMAN: MICHAEL BENSON

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COLUMBIA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO EXECUTE A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH RYAN-BIGGS ASSOC. PC OF CLIFTON PARK, NY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$82,400.00 FOR A COMPREHENSIVE STRUCTURAL INSPECTION/ASSESSMENT AND BRIDGE ALTERNATIVES ANALYSIS REPORT OF THE STUYVESANT FALLS BRIDGE – BIN 3342250 – CO.RTE. 25A/KINDERHOOK CREEK IN THE TOWN OF STUYVESANT

UPON, recommendation of the Public Works Committee at a meeting held on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September 2012; of the Budget & Salary Review Committee at a meeting held on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 2012; and of the Finance Committee at a meeting held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 2012;

WHEREAS, the Stuyvesant Falls Bridge, a 110+ year-old historic county bridge, which also is the largest and most complex bridge structure Columbia County is responsible for, has received yellow structural flags recently; and

WHEREAS, the County is desirous of performing this detailed, hands-on structural assessment and understanding all available alternatives and costs for future maintenance, rehabilitation, replacement or relocation of this bridge; and

WHEREAS, this study is budgeted in the 2012 County Bridge Force Account Budget # – HISE 51114000E4000;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that the County is desirous of performing this detailed, hands-on structural assessment and understanding all available alternatives and costs for future maintenance, rehabilitation, replacement or relocation of this bridge; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Columbia County Chairman of the Board is hereby authorized to execute a Professional Services Agreement with Ryan-Biggs, Assoc. PC of Clifton Park, NY in the amount of \$82,400.00 for a Comprehensive Structural Inspection/Assessment and Bridge Alternatives Analysis Report of the Stuyvesant Falls Bridge – Bin 3342250 – Co.Rte. 25A/Kinderhook Creek in the Town of Stuyvesant; and be it further

RESOLVED, that this agreement is subject to the approval of the County Attorney’s Office; and be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Commissioner of Public Works, the Director of Engineering (8 certified copies) the Accounts Payable Department, the Columbia County Attorney and the Columbia County Treasurer.

Approved:

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County Attorney

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