



Resolution
Board of Supervisors
County of Columbia
New York

RESOLUTION NO.: 68 -2013

DATE: February 13, 2013

BY SUPERVISOR _____
COUNTY GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE
CHAIRMAN: KEVIN MCDONALD

**APPROVING THE ADDITION OF NYS AGRICULTURE AND MARKET LAW
ARTICLE 25-AA AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS SECTION 303-B PROPERTIES TO
COLUMBIA COUNTY AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT NOS. 3, 4, 9 AND 10**

UPON, recommendation of the County Government Committee at a meeting held on the 22nd day of January 2013 and the Finance Committee at a meeting held on the 5th day of February 2013;

WHEREAS, the Columbia County Board of Supervisors received requests for inclusion of seven (7) parcels of predominantly viable agricultural land within a certified agricultural district pursuant to Agriculture and Markets Law Article 25-AA, Section 303-b during October 2012; and

WHEREAS, the Columbia County Agriculture and Farmland Protection Board reviewed the requests to add, two parcels owned by John Mokotoff (Claverack 120.-1-1.100 and Claverack 120.-1-4.21) to Columbia County Agricultural District 3; one parcel owned by Carl and Martha Lynn Popp (Gallatin 217.-1-11) to Columbia County Agricultural District 4; one parcel owned by Cary B. Miller (Canaan 60.-1-31) to Columbia County Agricultural District 9; and one parcel owned Ruby and Sather Duke (New Lebanon 18.-1-37.121) to Columbia County Agricultural District 9; one parcel owned by James and Lucinda Buckley (Chatham 15.-1-16.112) to Columbia County Agricultural District 10; and, one parcel owned by Gary D. Smith (Chatham 15.-1-45) to Columbia County Agricultural District 10, at their December 13, 2012 meeting and recommended that the requests be approved by the Columbia County Board of Supervisors in a report dated December 2012; and

WHEREAS, the Columbia County Board of Supervisors complied with all notice and associated report requirements for this action and conducted a public hearing on this application on Monday, January 7, 2013, at which no comments were received;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Columbia County Board of Supervisors approves the addition of the aforementioned parcels to Columbia County Agricultural District Nos. 3, 4, 9 and 10; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Columbia County Board of Supervisors proposes these additions to Columbia County Agricultural District No. 3, 4, 9 and 10 for certification by the Commissioner of the NYS Department of Agriculture and Markets; and be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Commissioner of the NYS Department of Agriculture and Markets, the Commissioner of Planning and Economic Development, Columbia County Real Property Tax Service Agency, the County Treasurer, and the County Attorney.

Approved:

County Attorney

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