

**A RESOLUTION TO BE SUBMITTED BY  
LEGISLATOR McCRACKEN**

**RE: Requesting Commissioner of Agriculture and Markets to  
Extend Review Dates of Agricultural Districts 2 & 4**

WHEREAS, Erie County is in the process of consolidation of the County's fourteen Agricultural Districts into four, and

WHEREAS, Section 303-a of the Agricultural Districts Law allows counties with multiple districts with review dates in any 12-month period, to petition the Commissioner of Agriculture and Markets to approve for good cause, an extension of up to four years for a district review, and

WHEREAS, the review anniversary for Agricultural District 2 and Agricultural District 4 both fall on April 16, 2013, and

WHEREAS, the review anniversary for Agricultural Districts 2 and 4 must be aligned with the review anniversaries of Agricultural Districts 8, 9, and 15 in order to make consolidation of these adjacent districts feasible.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT**

**RESOLVED**, that the Erie County Legislature petitions the Commissioner of Agriculture and Markets to extend the review dates of Agricultural Districts 2 and 4 to begin on August 26, 2015 and end the 300-day review period (anniversary) on June 21, 2016.

**FISCAL IMPACT: None**