

Whereas, the Town of Hamburg has an existing Local waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) Plan adopted in 2009; and

Whereas, the Town understands that the existing LWRP is becoming outdated and does not reflect the current issues related to the Town's important and vital waterfront areas; and

Whereas, 18 Mile creek has been designated an Inland Waterway and is an important Critical Environmental Area (CEA), and the current LWRP does not include 18 Mile Creek; and

Whereas, Town of Hamburg has pursued and obtained a grant from New York State to update the LWRP; and

Whereas, the next step in the process is to hire a qualified waterfront consultant to assist in completing the LWRP update and to hire a firm to assist with the management and reporting requirements of NYSDOS; and

Whereas, the Town's previous LWRP was completed by Wendel, a qualified waterfront planning consultant who have completed numerous LWRP's in NYS, and who has been chosen to complete the Town's Comprehensive Plan Update and has been the Town of Hamburg Planner for over 25 years; and

Whereas, Wendel has been hired through procurement processes for their other work with the Town of Hamburg and is acceptable to the NYSDOS; and

Whereas, Wendel has submitted a proposal/contract that meets the contract requirements of the Town's contract with NYS for the completion of this LWRP update; and

Whereas, EECG Consulting prepared the grant application for the LWRP and is included in the contract with NYSDOS as the Grant Manager.

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Supervisor is authorized to enter into contracts with Wendel for the completion of the LWRP update for \$56,000.00 and with EECG Consulting for grants management for \$5,000.00, with the understanding that the Town of Hamburg is committed to an additional \$4,000.00 in "in-kind" services.