

WITHDRAWN AS OF 11/21/2011

Intro. Res. No. 1453-2011

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Introduced by Legislators Cilmi and Schneiderman

**RESOLUTION NO. -2011, ESTABLISHING A CENTRAL
PHONE NUMBER FOR SCAT BUS SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the County of Suffolk provides bus services for disabled County residents within the areas serviced by the County's public transportation system via the SCAT system; and

WHEREAS, multiple telephone numbers are associated with SCAT service, including separate numbers for those applying for service, making reservations, and reporting complaints regarding service to the County; and

WHEREAS, none of SCAT's existing telephone numbers allows a caller to access the other lines associated with this service; and

WHEREAS, a central telephone number should be established for SCAT service and related inquiries at 854-SCAT to provide access to all of SCAT services at one quick, easy to remember telephone number; and

WHEREAS, the new central SCAT telephone number should be publicized to both SCAT passengers and the public at large; and

WHEREAS, an audio loop on SCAT buses would be an efficient and effective way to publicize 854-SCAT to existing passengers; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, that Department of Public Works, Division of Transportation is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to establish a central telephone number for SCAT services at 854-SCAT; and be it further

2nd RESOLVED, that the Division of Transportation is further authorized and directed to examine the feasibility of publicizing the new 854-SCAT telephone number using an audio loop on SCAT buses; and be it further

3rd RESOLVED, that the Division of Transportation shall submit a written report of the findings and determinations of this study to the County Executive and each member of the Suffolk County Legislature no later than sixty (60) days subsequent to the effective date of this Resolution; and be it further

4th RESOLVED, that this Legislature, being the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA) lead agency, hereby finds and determines that this resolution constitutes a Type II action pursuant to Section 617.5(c)(20), (21) and (27) of Title 6 of the NEW YORK CODE OF RULES AND REGULATIONS (6 NYCRR) and within the meaning of Section 8-0109(2) of the NEW YORK ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION LAW as a promulgation of regulations, rules, policies, procedures, and legislative decisions in connection with continuing agency administration, management and information collection, and the Suffolk County Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) is hereby directed to circulate any appropriate SEQRA notices of determination of non-applicability or non-significance in accordance with this resolution.

DATED:

APPROVED BY:

County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: