

Introduced by Presiding Officer, on request of the County Executive

**RESOLUTION NO. 1153 -2013, APPROVING THE VECTOR CONTROL PLAN OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS DIVISION OF VECTOR CONTROL PURSUANT TO SECTION C8-4(B)(2) OF THE SUFFOLK COUNTY CHARTER**

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Public Works, Division of Vector Control is responsible for the suppression of mosquitoes, ticks and other arthropods which are vectors of human disease and require public action for control; and

**WHEREAS**, Section C8-4(B)(2) of the Suffolk County Charter requires the annual filing of a Vector Control Plan with the Legislature outlining the work to be done, methods to be employed and general description of lands to be entered to carry out these responsibilities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Vector Control 2014 Annual Plan of Work was filed with the Clerk of the Legislature; and

**WHEREAS**, at its meeting on October 16, 2013, the Suffolk County Council on Environmental Quality recommended a determination that the Vector Control 2014 Annual Plan of Work will be carried out in conformance with the conditions and thresholds established for such actions as set forth in the Suffolk County Vector Control and Wetlands Management Long Term Plan Final Generic Environmental Impact Statement (FGEIS) and associated Finding Statement, as approved by Suffolk County in Resolution No. 285-2007, and that, therefore, no further compliance is required pursuant to Title 6 New York Code of Rules and Regulations (NYCRR) Section 617.10(d)(1) and the State Environmental Quality Review Act, NY Environmental Conservation Law Article 8, (SEQRA); and

**WHEREAS**, this Legislature, being the SEQRA lead agency, has independently considered the FGEIS, Findings Statement, Environmental Assessment Form (EAF) and relevant testimony and materials concerning the same; now, therefore be it

**1st RESOLVED**, that this Legislature, being the lead agency under SEQRA and Chapter 279 of the Suffolk County Code, hereby determines that, as demonstrated in the Environmental Assessment Form and relevant documents and testimony, the Vector Control 2014 Annual Plan of Work will be carried out in conformance with the conditions and thresholds established for such actions in the Suffolk County Vector Control and Wetlands Management Long Term Plan Final Generic Environmental Impact Statement (FGEIS) and associated Finding Statement as approved by Suffolk County in Resolution No. 285-2007; and be it further

**2nd RESOLVED**, and determined that, pursuant to Title 6 New York Code of Rules and Regulations Section 617.10(d)(1) implementation of this action requires no further SEQRA compliance; and be it further

**3rd RESOLVED**, that in accordance with Section 279-5(c)(4) of the Suffolk County Code, the Suffolk County Council on Environmental Quality is hereby directed to prepare and circulate any appropriate notices or determinations in accordance with this resolution; and be it further

**4th**            **RESOLVED**, that the Vector Control 2014 Annual Plan of Work is hereby approved in its entirety.

DATED: December 3, 2013

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone  
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: December 19, 2013