

Introduced by Presiding Officer, on request of the County Executive and Legislator Muratore

RESOLUTION NO. 310 -2015, AMENDING THE 2015 ADOPTED OPERATING BUDGET TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS IN CONNECTION WITH THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE FIRE ISLAND BARRIER BEACH AND DUNE NETWORK FROM THE FIRE ISLAND INLET TO MORICHES INLET (FIMI)

WHEREAS, the Fire Island to Moriches Inlet (“FIMI”) project was developed as a consequence of Superstorm Sandy and in recognition of the urgency to repair and implement immediate stabilization measures particularly between the Fire Island and Moriches Inlet; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Resolution No. 586-2014, Suffolk County is a local sponsor of the FIMI project; and

WHEREAS, as a local sponsor of FIMI, the County is responsible for the acquiring the real estate interests necessary for implementation of the Project, including the acquisition of approximately 41 properties and the procurement of more than 400 easements on private properties; and

WHEREAS, all necessary real estate interests must be acquired prior to August 2015 in order for construction of the project to proceed in accordance with the United States Army Corp of Engineers (“USACE”) schedule; and

WHEREAS, the work involved to acquire the necessary properties and easements is primarily being performed in the Division of Real Property Acquisition and Management in the County Department of Economic Development and Planning; and

WHEREAS, as the FIMI project progresses in 2015, the volume of work associated with securing the required property acquisitions and easement procurements will increase dramatically, rendering it necessary to engage additional personnel in order for it to be feasible for the County to acquire all necessary real estate interests; and

WHEREAS, the salaries of County personnel dedicated to completing work in connection with the FIMI project may be reimbursed by New York State; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 2184-2014 amended the Suffolk County Temporary Classification and Salary Plan to include positions necessary to complete said work; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, that the County Comptroller and the County Treasurer be and hereby are authorized to accept and appropriate \$178,655 in State Aid as follows:

<u>REVENUES:</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
001-EDP-6417-4941	\$178,655

and be it further

2nd **RESOLVED**, that the 2015 Adopted Operating Budget be and herby is amended as follows:

EXPENDITURES:

<u>Fund</u>	<u>Organization</u>	<u>Object</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
001	EDP-6417	1130	FIMI Program	\$178,655

DATED: April 28, 2015

APPROVED BY:

County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: