

RESOLUTION NO. 498 -2015, APPROPRIATING FUNDS IN CONNECTION WITH PLANNING AND DESIGN FOR THE REHABILITATION OF GUGGENHEIM LAKE (DEER LAKE), TOWNS OF BABYLON AND ISLIP (CP 8716)

WHEREAS, Guggenheim Lake (Deer Lake), in the Towns of Babylon and Islip, has had periodic drops in the water level of the Lake; and

WHEREAS, surrounding property owners have asked the County for relief from this situation; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works has met with property owners to discuss possible options and solutions; and

WHEREAS, planning funds are needed at this time; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature, by resolution of even date herewith, has authorized the issuance of \$25,000 in Suffolk County Serial Bonds; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funding for this purpose has been included in the 2015 Adopted Capital Budget; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 471-1994, as revised by Resolution No. 571-1998, Resolution No. 209-2000 and Resolution No. 461-2006 established the use of a priority ranking system, implemented in the Adopted 2012 Capital Budget, as the basis for funding capital projects such as this project; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, that it is hereby determined that this project, with a priority ranking of thirty-seven (37) is eligible for approval in accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 471-1994 as revised by Resolution No. 571-1998, Resolution No. 209-2000 and Resolution No. 461-2006; and be it further

2nd RESOLVED, that the proceeds of \$25,000 in Suffolk County Serial Bonds be and they hereby are appropriated as follows:

<u>Project Number</u>	<u>JC</u>	<u>Project Title</u>	<u>Amount</u>
525-CAP-8716.110 (Fund 001-Debt Service)	50	REHABILITATION OF GUGGENHEIM LAKE (DEER LAKE) TOWNS OF BABYLON AND ISLIP	\$25,000

and be it further

3rd RESOLVED, that the County Comptroller and the County Treasurer are hereby authorized and empowered to take all steps necessary and appropriate to effectuate the transfer of this funding forthwith; and be it further

4th RESOLVED, that this Legislature, being the lead agency under the State Environmental Quality Review Act (“SEQRA”), Environmental Conservation Law Article 8, hereby finds and determines that this law constitutes a Type II action, pursuant to Section 617.5

(C) (18), (21) and (27) of Title 6 of New York Code of Rules and Regulations (“NYCRR”), in that the law authorizes information collection, including basic data collection and research, and preliminary planning processes necessary to formulate a proposal for an action, but does not commit the County to commence or approve an action. Since this law is a Type II action, the Legislature has no further responsibilities under SEQRA.

DATED: June 2, 2015

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steve Bellone
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: June 5, 2015