

Intro. Res. No. 1203-2016  
Introduced by Presiding Officer, on request of the County Executive

Laid on Table 3/1/2016

**RESOLUTION NO. 234 -2016, CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE PURPOSE OF INCREASING AND IMPROVING FACILITIES FOR SUFFOLK COUNTY SEWER DISTRICT NO. 3 – SOUTHWEST (CP 8180)**

**WHEREAS**, by proceedings heretofore duly had and taken pursuant to Article 5-A of the County Law, the County Legislature of the County of Suffolk, New York has established a County sewer district designated and known as Suffolk County Sewer District No. 3 – Southwest; and

**WHEREAS**, the Suffolk County Sewer Agency is recommending an increase and improvement to Suffolk County Sewer District No. 3 – Southwest, namely, site work and truck scale; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to New York County Law Section 268, the Suffolk County Sewer Agency has prepared maps and plans pertaining to these proposed increases and improvements to the facilities of Suffolk County Sewer District No. 3 – Southwest and has also prepared an estimate of the costs of such increases and improvements and has filed these documents, along with its recommendations and reports of its proceedings, with the County Legislature of the County of Suffolk; and

**WHEREAS**, it would appear that these increases and improvements are in the best interests of the people of Suffolk County; and

**WHEREAS**, it is now desirable to call a public hearing on the Map and Plan pursuant to Section 253 and 254 of the New York County Law; now, therefore be it

**1<sup>st</sup> RESOLVED**, by the County Legislature of the County of Suffolk, New York, as follows

**Section 1.** A meeting of the Legislature of the County of Suffolk New York shall be held at the County Center in the meeting room of the County Legislature in Hauppauge, New York, in said County, on the 12th day of April 2016, at 2:30 p.m., Prevailing Time, for the purpose of conducting a public hearing on the aforesaid matter and for such other action on the part of said County Legislature as may be required by law or proper in premises.

**Section 2.** The Clerk of said County Legislature is hereby authorized and directed to cause a notice of said public hearing to be published once in each of the official newspapers of said County, and such other newspaper as the Legislature may designate, if any, said publication to be made in each of such newspapers not less than ten, nor more than twenty days before the day set herein for said public hearing. Such notice shall be in the following form, to wit:

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Legislature of the County of Suffolk New York will meet at the County Center in Hauppauge, New York in said County, on 12th day of April 2016 at 2:30 pm, Prevailing Time, for the purpose of conducting a public hearing upon the Map and Plan for

the increases and improvements to the facilities of Suffolk County Sewer District No. 3 – Southwest; in and about the Town of Babylon substantially in accordance with the maps, plans, report and recommendations prepared by the Suffolk County Sewer Agency, with the assistance of the Suffolk County Department of Public Works, and filed with the Legislature of the County of Suffolk, at which time and place said County Legislature will consider such proposal and hear all parties interested therein concerning the same.

The public hearing is being held to address a proposed cost associated with the Map and Plan for the increase and improvement to the facilities of Sewer District No. 3 – Southwest.

Notice of Cost

The cost of the increase and improvement to the facilities of Sewer District No. 3 – Southwest is estimated at \$1,600,000 as set forth in the Map and Plan.

There will be no fiscal impact to the benefited properties within Suffolk County Sewer District No. 3 – Southwest, since pursuant to the use of Southwest Assessment Reserve Fund 405 all benefitted properties in the district will have stabilized rates regardless of any improvements performed associated with this project or other capital projects proceeding concurrently. The Suffolk County Sewer District No. 3, 2016 charge is approximately \$692 per typical property within the District for this project, regardless of additional funds necessary to complete the increase and improvement. Therefore, there is no fiscal impact caused to the benefited properties in the District as a result of the Map and Plan that reflects the cost of the increases and improvements.

Copies of the map, engineering report, the public hearing report and the project summaries are available in the Office of the Department of Public Works, located in Yaphank and the Office of the Clerk of the County Legislature where they can be reviewed during normal business hours Monday through Friday. We encourage all interested parties to appear. Any questions should be forwarded to Ben Wright at 631-852-4184 at the Suffolk County Department of Public Works.

**Section 3.** This resolution shall take effect immediately.

**2<sup>nd</sup> 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 Title 6 NYCRR Part 617.5(c)(20) and (27) as the proposal involves the adoption of regulations, policies, procedures and local legislative decisions in connections with routine or continuing agency administration and management.

DATED: March 23, 2016

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone  
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: March 29, 2016