

Intro. Res. No. 1448-2016  
Introduced by Presiding Officer, on request of the County Executive

Laid on Table 5/10/2016

**RESOLUTION NO. 446 -2016, AUTHORIZING 2016  
CULTURAL TOURISM FUNDING**

**WHEREAS**, the Adopted 2016 Operating Budget provides \$226,794 from Fund 192-6414 for support of cultural programs and activities relevant to the continuation and enhancement of the tourism industry; and

**WHEREAS**, the Citizen's Advisory Board for the Arts has met and recommends the 2016 funding be awarded as detailed on Exhibit "A"; and

**WHEREAS**, the Community Re-Grant Program will be administered by the Suffolk County Alliance of Arts Councils, comprised of the Babylon Citizens Council on the Arts, Brookhaven Arts and Humanities Council, East End Arts Council, Greater Port Jefferson-Northern Brookhaven Arts Council, Huntington Arts Council, Islip Arts Council, and Patchogue Arts Council; now, therefore be it

**1st RESOLVED**, that the Suffolk County Legislature hereby approves the allocation of funding in the amount of \$226,794 for the organizations as set forth in Exhibit "A" attached, and that such funding to be paid at the commencement of the pertinent contract, with the exception of the Destination Downtown awards; and be it further

**2nd RESOLVED**, that this Legislature, being the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA) Lead Agency, hereby finds and determines that the adoption of this resolution constitutes a Type II Action pursuant to Title 6 NYCRR Part 617.5(c)(20)(27) as this legislative decision involves the routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment. As such, this Legislature has no further responsibilities under SEQRA.

DATED: June 1, 2016

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone  
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: June 9, 2016