

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK



OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Steve Levy
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

December 19, 2011

Presiding Officer William J. Lindsay and
Members of the Suffolk County Legislature
William H. Rogers Legislative Building
725 Veterans Memorial Highway
Smithtown, New York 11787

RE: RESOLUTION NO. 1056-2011, AMENDING THE SCHEDULE OF FEES IN CONNECTION WITH THE PURCHASE OF THE SUFFOLK COUNTY TAX MAP AND OTHER ITEMS PERTAINING THERETO

Dear Presiding Officer Lindsay and Members of the Legislature:

I am returning herein **RESOLUTION NO. 1056-2011, AMENDING THE SCHEDULE OF FEES IN CONNECTION WITH THE PURCHASE OF THE SUFFOLK COUNTY TAX MAP AND OTHER ITEMS PERTAINING THERETO**; vetoed in its entirety.

Raising fees during one of the toughest economic periods endured by Suffolk County is problematic. The Real Property Tax Service Agency, is mandated by New York State as the sole authority entrusted to create and maintain the tax maps of Suffolk County. It is vital that these important services remain affordable and accessible to County taxpayers, and therefore, I do not support these fee increases at this time.

For these reasons, I strongly urge the Legislature to sustain my veto of this resolution.

Sincerely,

Steve Levy
County Executive of Suffolk County

cc: All Suffolk County Legislators
Tim Laube, Clerk of the Legislature

Christine Malafi, Esq., Suffolk County Attorney
Lynne A. Bizzarro, Esq., Chief Deputy County Attorney
Edward Dumas, Chief Deputy County Executive
Eric Naughton, Deputy County Executive for Finance and Management
Connie Corso, Budget Director
Eric Kopp, Assistant Deputy County Executive
Dan Aug, Director of Communications
Mark Smith, Deputy Director of Communications

Intro. Res.

2038

Res. No.

1056

December 6, 2011

Motion:

Romaine, Schneiderman, Browning, Muratore, Anker
Eddington, Montano, Cilmi, Lindsay, Viloría-Fisher, Barraga,
Kennedy, Nowick, Horsley, Gregory, Stern, D'Amaro, Cooper

Co-Sponsors:

Romaine, Schneiderman, Browning, Muratore, Anker
Eddington, Montano, Cilmi, Lindsay, Viloría-Fisher, Barraga,
Kennedy, Nowick, Horsley, Gregory, Stern, D'Amaro, Cooper

Second:

Romaine, Schneiderman, Browning, Muratore, Anker
Eddington, Montano, Cilmi, Lindsay, Viloría-Fisher, Barraga,
Kennedy, Nowick, Horsley, Gregory, Stern, D'Amaro, Cooper

LD	Legislator	Yes	No	Abs	NP	R
1	Edward P. ROMAINE					
2	Jay H. SCHNEIDERMAN					
3	Kate M. BROWNING					
4	Thomas MURATORE					
6	Sarah S. ANKER					
7	Jack EDDINGTON					
9	Ricardo MONTANO				/	
10	Thomas CILMI					
11	Thomas F. BARRAGA					
12	John M. KENNEDY, JR.					
13	Lynne C. NOWICK					
14	Wayne R. HORSLEY					
15	DuWayne GREGORY					
16	Steven H. STERN					
17	Lou D'AMARO		/			
18	Jon COOPER					
5	Vivian VILORIA-FISHER, D.P.O.					
8	William J. LINDSAY, P.O.					
	Totals	16	1	-	1	-

MOTION	
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Table Subject To Call _____	
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Waive Rule _____	
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No Motion _____ No Second _____	

RESOLUTION DECLARED
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ADOPTED
NOT ADOPTED _____

Tim Laube

Roll Call _____ Voice Vote

Tim Laube, Clerk of the Legislature

Introduced by Presiding Officer Lindsay, Deputy Presiding Officer Viloría-Fisher and Legislators Cooper, Gregory, Kennedy, Montano, Nowick, Schneiderman

RESOLUTION NO. 1056 -2011, AMENDING THE SCHEDULE OF FEES IN CONNECTION WITH THE PURCHASE OF THE SUFFOLK COUNTY TAX MAP AND OTHER ITEMS PERTAINING THERETO

WHEREAS, the fee schedule for charges in connection with the purchase of tax map sections and subdivision maps have been established via Resolution Nos. 890-1972, 477-1974, 752-1976, 837-1976, 826-1989, 808-1991, and 161-2003; and

WHEREAS, the 2012 Operating Budget includes revenue from increased printing and certification charges for the purchase of tax map sections and subdivision maps to offset the administrative expenses for the Real Property Tax Service Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Director of the Real Property Tax Service Agency has recommended the changes contained herein; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, that the fee schedule connected with the Suffolk County Tax Map and other items pertaining thereto is hereby amended as follows:

TAX MAP ORDER PRICES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Section Sheets:		Complete Town/Village	Certified Sections
Size B (12" x 18")	\$5.00	\$2.50 per section	\$50.00 plus price of map
Size C (18" x 24")	\$7.00	\$3.50 per section	\$50.00 plus price of map
Size D (24" x 36")	\$16.00		\$50.00 plus price of map
Key Map (Wall Size)			
Babylon	\$100.00	Riverhead	\$100.00
Brookhaven (East)	\$100.00	Shelter Island	\$75.00
Brookhaven (West)	\$100.00	Smithtown	\$100.00
East Hampton	\$100.00	Southampton	\$100.00
Huntington	\$100.00	Southold	\$100.00
Islip	\$100.00	All Ten Towns (42")	\$750.00

Custom Maps

1st is a \$30.00 processing fee plus \$7.00 for each Tax Map Section Assembled.

Custom Map Size	Cost per additional copies of same map
Letter Size	\$5.00
B Size	\$5.00
C Size	\$7.50
D Size	\$15.00

Colored Aerial Maps

Map Size	Cost	Cost per additional copies of same map
Letter Size	\$35.00	\$7.50
B Size	\$35.00	\$7.50
C Size	\$55.00	\$15.00

D Size \$75.00 \$25.00

Tax Map Maintenance (Filed Maps)

Number of parcels	Cost
1 to 3 parcels	\$75.00
4 to 6 parcels	\$150.00
7 to 9 parcels	\$200.00
10 to 20 parcels	\$250.00
21 or more	\$400.00

Pine Barrens Map (Size D)	\$25.00
School District Map	\$25.00

Postage Size	Cost
B and C sizes, 1 to 10	\$4.50
11 or more B or C size maps	\$8.00
D and custom sized maps	\$8.00

and be it further

2nd RESOLVED, all other fees for the Real Property Tax Service Agency not mentioned herein remain the same; and be it further

3rd 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 Section 617.5(c)(20), (21) and (27) of Title 6 of the NEW YORK CODE OF RULES AND REGULATIONS (6 NYCRR) and within the meaning of Section 8-0109(2) of the NEW YORK ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION LAW as a promulgation of regulations, rules, policies, procedures, and legislative decisions in connection with continuing agency administration, management and information collection, and the Suffolk County Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) is hereby directed to circulate any appropriate SEQRA notices of determination of non-applicability or non-significance in accordance with this resolution.

DATED: December 6, 2011

VETOED
APPROVED BY:

County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: **DEC 22 2011**