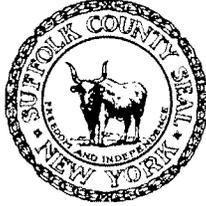


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COUNTY LEGISLATURE
SUFFOLK COUNTY, N.Y.
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December 30, 2011

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. 1137 – 2011, APPROPRIATING FUNDS IN CONNECTION WITH CONSTRUCTION OF MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS FACILITIES - CHARLES R. DOMINY COUNTY PARK (WEST SAYVILLE COUNTRY CLUB), WEST SAYVILLE, TOWN OF ISLIP (CP 7173)

Dear Presiding Officer Lindsay and Members of the Legislature:

I am returning herein **RESOLUTION NO. 1137 – 2011, APPROPRIATING FUNDS IN CONNECTION WITH CONSTRUCTION OF MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS FACILITIES - CHARLES R. DOMINY COUNTY PARK (WEST SAYVILLE COUNTRY CLUB), WEST SAYVILLE, TOWN OF ISLIP (CP 7173)**; vetoed in its entirety.

The executive branch made a policy determination to scale back the capital budget to deal with the difficult economic conditions we face. Major infrastructure was given priority in order to spur economic development, but other items that might have breezed through in better years, were delayed.

The legislature often says that the capital budget doesn't authorize spending, it merely creates a plan. However by placing every item in the budget up for authorization, it shatters that concept and eliminates any form of prioritization in order to control debt service levels.

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
Ken Crannell, Deputy County Executive
Connie Corso, Budget Director
Eric Kopp, Assistant Deputy County Executive
Dan Aug, Director of Communications
Mark Smith, Deputy Director of Communications

**RESOLUTION NO. 1137-2011, APPROPRIATING FUNDS
IN CONNECTION WITH CONSTRUCTION OF MAINTENANCE
AND OPERATIONS FACILITIES - CHARLES R. DOMINY
COUNTY PARK (WEST SAYVILLE COUNTRY CLUB), WEST
SAYVILLE, TOWN OF ISLIP (CP 7173)**

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Parks, Recreation and Conservation has requested funds for the extension of an existing maintenance building and construction of two additional buildings at Charles R. Dominy County Park (West Sayville Country Club), West Sayville, Town of Islip; and

WHEREAS, there are sufficient funds within the 2011 Capital Budget and Program to cover the cost of construction under Capital Program Number 7173; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 471-1994 as revised by Resolution No. 461-2006, established the use of a priority ranking system, implemented in the Adopted 2011 Capital Budget as the basis for funding capital projects such as this project; and

WHEREAS, the County Legislature, by resolution of even date herewith has authorized the issuance of \$650,000 in Suffolk County Serial Bonds; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, pursuant to State Environmental Quality Review Act Environmental Conservation Law, Article 8 (hereinafter "SEQRA"), Resolution Number 985-2008 determined that the Proposed Extension of an Existing Maintenance Building and Construction of Two Additional Structures at Charles R. Dominy County Park, (West Sayville Country Club), West Sayville, Town of Islip constitutes an unlisted action, pursuant to the provisions of Title 6 NYCRR, Part 617 and Chapter 279 of the Suffolk County Code, which project will not have significant adverse impacts on the environment for the following reasons:

- 1.) The proposed action will not exceed any of the criteria in Section 617.7 of Title 6 NYCRR, which sets forth thresholds for determining significant effect on the environment, as demonstrated in the Environmental Assessment Form; and
- 2.) The proposal does not appear to significantly threaten any unique or highly valuable environmental or cultural resources as identified in or regulated by the Environmental Conservation Law of the State of New York or the Suffolk County Charter or the Suffolk County Code; and
- 3.) The parcel does not appear to suffer from any severe environmental development constraints (limiting soil properties, no high groundwater and no unmanageable slopes); and
- 4.) The project will not adversely impact the historic integrity of the park; and
- 5.) Additional coniferous plantings will be installed to both restore the historic "pinetum" and further screen the maintenance area from the rest of the park; and be it further

2nd **RESOLVED**, that it is hereby determined that this project, with a priority ranking of forty-four (44) is eligible for approval in accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 471-1994, as revised by Resolution No. 461-2006; and be it further

3rd **RESOLVED**, that the County Department of Public Works is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to take such action as may be necessary, pursuant to Section C8-2(X) of the Suffolk County Charter; and be it further

4th **RESOLVED**, that the proceeds of the \$650,000 in Suffolk County Serial Bonds be and are hereby appropriated as follows:

<u>Project No.</u>	<u>J.C.</u>	<u>Project Title</u>	<u>Amount</u>
525-CAP-7173.314 (Fund 001-Debt Service)	26	Construction of Maintenance and Operations Facilities – Charles R. Dominy County Park (West Sayville Country Club)	\$650,000

DATED: **DEC 20 2011**

APPROVED BY:

VETOED

County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: 12-30-11

Intro. Res. 2133

Res. No. 1137

December 20, 2011

Motion:

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

Co-Sponsors:

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

Second:

Romaine, Schneiderman, Browning, Muratore, Anker
 Eddington, Montano, Cilmi, Lindsay, Vilorio-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.					
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MOTION
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APPROVED _____ FAILED _____
No Motion _____ No Second _____

RESOLUTION DECLARED
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Tim Laube

Tim Laube, Clerk of the Legislature

Roll Call _____ Voice Vote _____