

**RESOLUTION NO. 601 -2014, TO FURTHER EXTEND
DEADLINE FOR TICK AND VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES TASK
FORCE**

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 689-2011 established the Tick and Vector-Borne Diseases Task Force to study the spread of tick and vector-borne diseases, and to develop a comprehensive needs assessment given the County's approach to this public health and safety issue; and

WHEREAS, the Tick and Vector-Borne Disease Task Force expired June 1, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the Tick and Vector-Borne Disease Task Force needs more time to complete its work; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature wishes to extend the life of this important task force; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, that the 12th RESOLVED clause of Resolution No. 689-2011, as amended by Resolution No. 991-2012 and Resolution No. 115-2014, is hereby amended as follows:

12th RESOLVED, that the Suffolk County Tick and Vector-Borne Diseases Task Force shall submit a written report of its findings and determinations together with its recommendations for action to each member of the County Legislature, the Commissioner of the Department of Health Services, and the County Executive no later than [June 1, 2014] December 1, 2014 for consideration, review, and appropriate action, if necessary, by the entire County Legislature; and be it further

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2nd RESOLVED, that the 13th RESOLVED clause of Resolution No. 689-2011, as amended by Resolution No. 991-2012 and Resolution No. 115-2014, is hereby amended as follows:

13th RESOLVED, that the Suffolk County Tick and Vector-Borne Diseases Task Force shall expire, and the terms of office of its members shall terminate as of [June 1, 2014] December 1, 2014, at which time the Suffolk County Tick and Vector-Borne Diseases Task Force shall deposit all records of its proceedings with the Clerk of the Legislature; and be it further

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3rd RESOLVED, that all other terms and conditions of Resolution No. 689-2011 shall remain in full force and effect; and be it further

4th 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.

[] Brackets denote deletion of language.

— Underlining denotes addition of new language.

DATED: July 29, 2014

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: August 8, 2014