

TOWN OF WEST SENECA



SHEILA M. MEEGAN
TOWN SUPERVISOR

To: Fellow Town Board Members

From: Sheila M. Meegan, Town Supervisor

Date: July 18, 2012

Re: **Local Government Performance and Efficiency Program (LGPEP)**

Kindly move to adopt the attached resolution for a joint grant application to be submitted by West Seneca and Elma for their shared Assessor. The Town of Elma will serve as the designated Lead Agency, representing the two municipalities and entering into a contract with the New York State, Department of State on behalf of the Town of West Seneca and the Town of Elma upon award of the grant.

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WHEREAS, the New York State, Department of State (DOS) is soliciting grant applications for the Local Government Performance and Efficiency Program (LGPEP), to provide performance awards for existing cost savings actions that are substantial, measurable and transformative, and

WHEREAS, the Town of West Seneca and the Town of Elma have implemented a program to share the services of an Assessor, thereby resulting in reoccurring savings to taxpayers of both communities, and

WHEREAS, the Town of West Seneca and the Town of Elma desire to submit a grant application titled, "The Town of Elma and the Town of West Seneca Shared Assessor Program" to the New York State Department of State Local Government Performance and Efficiency Program and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Elma will serve as the designated Lead Agency, representing the two municipalities and entering into a contract with the New York State, Department of State on behalf of the Town of West Seneca and the Town of Elma upon award of the grant;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the West Seneca Town Board agrees to designate the Town of Elma as the Lead Agency for the purposes of submitting the grant application and administering the grant award, and BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, that the West Seneca Town Board hereby designates Dennis M. Powers, Elma Town Supervisor, (and his designee), to submit an application for the Town of Elma-Town of West Seneca Shared Assessor Program to the Local Government Performance and Efficiency Program, BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, that Dennis M. Powers is hereby authorized to execute all financial and/or administrative processes relating to the implementation of the program on behalf of the Town of West Seneca and BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, that, should it be necessary, the Supervisor of the Town of West Seneca, Sheila M. Mægan, be and hereby is authorized to execute any and all documents to effectuate the terms of the grant.