

INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
KENNEDY, OBERACKER, MARIETTA, FARWELL, SHANNON
November 27, 2018

ECONOMIC FEASIBILITY –ELIZABETH HORVATH/CHRIS BRIGGS

Elizabeth Horvath of Delaware Engineering and Chris Briggs, Town of Hartwick Deputy Supervisor discussed the need for an economic development study along the Route 28 corridor, stating that the study would leverage an investment made by the USDA and the Town of Hartwick for a Preliminary Engineering report that will evaluate alternatives for providing water and sewer service along the Route 28 corridor. After discussion, Representative Marietta moved for approval to allocate \$50,000 of the program income funds for the Route 28 Corridor Economic Study for the Town of Hartwick. Seconded, Oberacker. Total: 2,393; Ayes: 2,393. Motion carried.

OTHER

The committee discussed creating a work plan for the IGA committee including but not limited to:

- Legislative matters
 - o County Government organization improvements
 - o County Administrator
 - o Off set terms, term lengths
 - o Charter
 - o IGA to work with Admin on policy development
- What questions to ask the Greene County Administrator
- Status of a County Historian
- Census/Reapportionment
- Professional development for the Board
 - o Orientation for new members
 - o Defining responsibilities and authority of a Committee Chair
 - o How should meetings be run?
- Increase interactions with the State, other local governments, NYSAC and other organizations and associations
- Improve communication between other governments, invite State elected officials
- County wide trainings
- Partnering with Town Supervisors Association and Highway Superintendents
- Taking a Skills Inventory of Board members
- Marketing/branding for the County

- Promotion & Publicity—is there money in the budget to improve the County website?
- Website redesign

There being no further business to discuss, the committee adjourned until Tuesday, December 11th at 9 a.m. at the County Office Building.