

RESOLUTION #66-2015

Resolution offered by the Conservation and UW-Extension Education Committee

Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, Wisconsin:

WHEREAS, Wisconsin Statutes Section 66.1001(4) and 91.10(3) establish the required procedure for a local government to adopt a Farmland Preservation Plan, and

WHEREAS, agriculture is a vital part of Wisconsin and Oneida County's economy and cultural identity, and

WHEREAS, farmland in Oneida County is being lost, and

WHEREAS, farmland preservation planning is crucial to preserve important agricultural land remaining in Oneida County, and

WHEREAS, the attached Farmland Preservation Plan provides a vision and guidelines for future growth, development, and land preservation in the County, and

WHEREAS, the Conservation and UW-Extension Education Committee has the authority to recommend that the Oneida County Board of Supervisors adopt the County's Farmland Preservation Plan under Section 66.1001(4) (b), and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on January 6, 2015, at which time the public had the opportunity to attend, and no opposition to the Farmland Preservation Plan occurred.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Oneida County Board of Supervisors does hereby adopt the attached Oneida County Farmland Preservation Plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Oneida County Planning and Developing Committee for incorporation into the Oneida County Comprehensive Plan Ordinance, pursuant to the procedures set forth in Wisconsin Statutes Section 66.1001(4)

Vote Required: Majority = _____ 2/3 Majority = _____ 3/4 Majority = _____

The County Board has the legal authority to adopt: Yes _____ No _____ as reviewed by the Corporation Counsel, _____, Date: _____

Approved by the Conservation and UW-Extension Education Committee, this 17th day of July, 2015.

Consent Agenda Item: YES NO

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Offered and passage moved by:

Supervisor

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FSA Representative

_____ Ayes

_____ Nays

_____ Absent

_____ Abstain

_____ Adopted

by the County Board of Supervisors this 18th day of August, 2015.

_____ Defeated

Mary Bartelt, County Clerk

Dave Hintz, County Board Chair