



# County of Albany

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## Legislation Text

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**File #:** TMP-2876, **Version:** 1

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### REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

**Description (e.g., Contract Authorization for Information Services):**

Authorization to submit project for invasive species control for funding

Date: October 27, 2021  
Submitted By: Laura DeGaetano  
Department: Economic Development, Conservation and Planning  
Title: Sr. Natural Resource Planner  
Phone: 518-447-5670  
Department Rep.  
Attending Meeting: Laura DeGaetano

**Purpose of Request:**

- ☐ Adopting of Local Law
- ☐ Amendment of Prior Legislation
- ☐ Approval/Adoption of Plan/Procedure
- ☐ Bond Approval
- ☐ Budget Amendment
- ☐ Contract Authorization
- ☐ Countywide Services
- ☐ Environmental Impact/SEQR
- ☐ Home Rule Request
- ☐ Property Conveyance
- ☒ Other: (state if not listed) Submit project for funding

**CONCERNING BUDGET AMENDMENTS**

**Increase/decrease category (choose all that apply):**

- ☐ Contractual
- ☐ Equipment
- ☐ Fringe
- ☐ Personnel

- ☐ Personnel Non-Individual  
☐ Revenue

Increase Account/Line No.: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Source of Funds: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Title Change: Click or tap here to enter text.

### **CONCERNING CONTRACT AUTHORIZATIONS**

#### **Type of Contract:**

- ☐ Change Order/Contract Amendment  
☐ Purchase (Equipment/Supplies)  
☐ Lease (Equipment/Supplies)  
☐ Requirements  
☐ Professional Services  
☐ Education/Training  
☐ Grant

Choose an item.

Submission Date Deadline Click or tap to enter a date.

- ☐ Settlement of a Claim  
☐ Release of Liability  
☐ Other: (state if not listed) Click or tap here to enter text.

#### **Contract Terms/Conditions:**

Party (Name/address):  
Click or tap here to enter text.

Additional Parties (Names/addresses):  
Click or tap here to enter text.

Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Scope of Services: Click or tap here to enter text.

Bond Res. No.: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Date of Adoption: Click or tap here to enter text.

### **CONCERNING ALL REQUESTS**

Mandated Program/Service: Yes ☐ No ☒  
If Mandated Cite Authority: Click or tap here to enter text.

Is there a Fiscal Impact: Yes ☒ No ☐  
Anticipated in Current Budget: Yes ☐ No ☒

County Budget Accounts:

Revenue Account and Line: Click or tap here to enter text.

Revenue Amount: Click or tap here to enter text.

Appropriation Account and Line: Click or tap here to enter text.

Appropriation Amount: Click or tap here to enter text.

Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal: Click or tap here to enter text.

State: 100%

County: Click or tap here to enter text.

Local: Click or tap here to enter text.

Term

Term: (Start and end date) Click or tap here to enter text.

Length of Contract: Click or tap here to enter text.

Impact on Pending Litigation

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, explain: Click or tap here to enter text.

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number: 68

Date of Adoption: March 8, 2021

**Justification:** (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

The Department of Economic Development, Conservation and Planning is seeking authorization to submit a project proposal for funding to Capital Region Partnership for Invasive Species Management (PRISM). The project, not expected to exceed \$7,200, will address eradication of the invasive plant lesser celandine at Ann Lee Pond Nature and Historic Preserve. The invasive plant is spreading quickly and threatening the native plant diversity and habitat at the preserve. Due to the size of the infestation, the area must be treated with an herbicide. This will be the second year of treatment, after which, it is expected that any remaining or new growth can be controlled by hand- pulling. This will be performed by a certified applicator and under a NYS DEC permit and a variance from the County Pest Management Committee. Funding for the Capital Region PRISM is provided by the Environmental Protection Fund, administered through a sub-contract with the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation.