

Public Hearing
Application of 2011 NYS Office of Community
Renewal Agriculture and Community Relief Grant Program-
Farm Operations Grant
December 8, 2011

The Public Hearing on application of 2011 NYS Office of Community Renewal Agriculture and Community Relief Grant Program-Farm Operations Grant was called to order by the Chair at 1:01 P.M. Seven Legislative members were present, Legislators Quinlan and Roberts being absent.

There were 11 people in attendance.

The Clerk read the legal notice as published in the official newspapers.

Elaine Jardine, Planning Director, spoke. "This grant through New York State Office of Community Renewal is for 50% of replacement costs for farm operation supplies such as seed, feed, produce, and even livestock. Our farmers were told of this program probably in October and already have applied for their costs through New York State Department of Ag and Markets, and the County is simply a pass through to disburse that money to them.

"The amount is already predetermined at \$122,000 and the recipients have already been predetermined. We are just passing the money through."

Legislator Sauerbrey inquired if this was flood related.

Elaine Jardine indicated that it was.

There being no further comments, the hearing was adjourned at 1:05 P.M.