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Richard Onorati, II Chairperson Wawayanda Planning Board 80 Ridgebury Hill Road Slate Hill, NY 10973

RE: Dolsontown Road DGEIS

Dear Chairman Onorati:

The Orange County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board (AFPB) is writing asking that the Town of Wawayanda's Planning Board do its due diligence an taking notice of the natural, cultural and recreational resources in the Dolsontown Road Corridor while reviewing the Draft General Environmental Impact Statement (DGEIS) for this project. The Planning Board should carefully consider the impacts of the proposed projects proposed in this corridor on the Monhagen Brook, which is a meandering stream that has been around for several generations, and the wildlife living in this area. Your careful consideration of this project is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Leonard DeBuck

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Chairman of the Agricultural and Farmland

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