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OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK - TREASURER VITAL STATISTICS CITY HALL 216 PAYNE AVENUE NORTH TONAWANDA, N.Y. 14120

Treasurer's Office: (716) 695-8575 Clerk's Office: (716) 695-8555 Fax: (716) 695-8557

June 27, 2019

The following meetings have been scheduled for TUESDAY, JULY 2, 2019:

- 6:00PM Public Hearing to discuss the City's Economic Development Programs and Submission of an application to the New York State Office of Community Renewal for funding to provide assist in the creation of a restaurant in North Tonawanda
- 6:15PM Common Council Re: Agenda Discussion

6:30PM Common Council Meeting in the Common Council Chambers.

Respectfully submitted,

Matthew L. Parish City Clerk-Treasurer

- TO: Honorable Mayor & Common Council President Zadzilka Aldermen Braun, Berube, Pecoraro, Tylec
- FROM: Matthew L. Parish, City Clerk-Treasurer
  - RE: Agenda for regular session TUESDAY, JULY 2, 2019 6:30PM

<u>AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION</u> – Agenda items only, not to exceed 90 minutes with each speaker limited to a five-minute maximum.

# PROOF OF PUBLICATION PUBLISHED 6/14/2019

1) Legal Notice – Invitation for Bids for the Purchase of Natural Gas for the Wastewater & Water Treatment Plants – Supt. of Water/Wastewater

## PROOF OF PUBLICATION PUBLISHED 6/21/2019

1) Legal Notice – Public Hearing to discuss the City's Economic Development Programs and submission of an application for Community Development Block Grant Funding – Community Development

# **COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS**

<u>#1. Robert Pecoraro</u>	-	Re:	Permission to form a Committee to Explore Security Options in all North Tonawanda Municipal Buildings
V.1 Supt. Wastewater/Water	-	Re:	Approval to participate in the Cooperative Bid for Water & Wastewater Chemicals
V.2 Supt. Wastewater/Water	-	Re:	Award of Bids for the Backup Generator General Construction and Electrical Contract at the Water Treatment Plant
VII. Accountant	-	Re:	Payment of the Abstract of Claims Dated July 2, 2019

XXV. Monthly Reports

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**Community Development** 

Re: Permission to apply for the 2019 New York State Consolidated Funding

# **COMMUNICATIONS FROM OTHERS**

A. North Tonawanda Botanical Garden Organization

Re: Permission to apply for the DEC Environmental Justice Community Impact Grant

Respectfully submitted,

Matthew L. Parish City Clerk-Treasurer

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NIAGARA COUNTY, } SS,

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Janet M. Slipko, of said county, being duly sworn, deposes and says that she is now and during the whole time hereinafter mentioned was the Clerk of

## NIAGARA GAZETTE

A newspaper published in the County and State aforesaid, and that the annexed printed legal # 250188 was printed and published in said paper on the following dates:

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 - 17 - 19

archy Teresa L McCarthy 02/26/2022

Notary Public

**Expiration** Date

TERESA L MCCARTHY NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK Registration No. 01MC4962698 **Oualified** in Niagara County Commission Expires February 26, 2022

**LEGAL NOTICE CITY OF NORTH TONAWANDA** WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT

INVITATION FOR BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE **OF NATURAL GAS** 

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the purchase of Natural Gas from gas producers, gas supply companies, or authorized marketers of Natural Gas for the City of North Tonawanda Wastewater & Water Treatment Plants will be received by the City Clerk-Treasurer of the City of North Tonawanda until 11:00 A.M., prevailing time, Friday, July 12, 2019 at which time they will be publicly opened.

Specifications may be obtained at the Water/Wastewater Office, 830 River Road, North Tonawanda, NY. The City of North Tonawanda reserves the right to waive any informalities in or to reject any and all bids.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty (60) days after the actual opening thereof. Bidders must agree to sign a statement of non-collusion in accordance with Chapter 751 of the Laws of the State of New York.

> William M. Davignon Superintendent of Water/Wastewater **BID PACKAGES SHOULD BE SENT TO: City Clerk-Treasurer**

**City of North Tonawanda** 216 Payne Avenue North Tonawanda, NY 14120

LABEL BID PACKAGE: NATURAL GAS BID **City of North Tonawanda** Wastewater & Water Treatment Plants 6/14/2019

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Notary Public

**Expiration** Date

TERESA L MCCARTHY NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK Registration No. 01MC4962698 Qualified in Niagara County Commission Expires February 26, 2022

**LEGAL NOTICE** NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF NORTH TONAWANDA OFFICE OF COMMUNITY RENEWAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT **BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM** 

A public hearing will be held on July 2nd, 2019 at 6:00 PM in the Common Council chambers located at City Hall, 216 Payne Avenue, North Tonawanda, New York 14120 to discuss the City's economic development programs, and the potential submission of an application to the New York State Office of Community Renewal for Community Development Block Grant funding to provide financing to assist in the creation of a restaurant operation by Santora's Pizza Pub and Grill, in the city of North Tonawanda. More detailed information regarding the project will be presented at the hearing. Accommodations for disabled and non-English speaking residents will be made available upon advance request. Resi-dents who cannot attend the hearing are welcome to express their ideas by calling the Community Development Office at 716-695-8580 or in writing to Director, Community Development Office, 500 Wheatfield Street, North Tonawanda, NY 14120. #N251129 6/21/2019

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JUL 0 2 2019 June 27, 2019

Dear Common Council Members,

Due to the recent events on Tuesday, June 25 2019, I am immediately calling for a committee to be formed to explore the physical security of the North Tonawanda City Hall. In addition, I would like to Chair this committee based on my previous military experience while serving in the United States Air Force. As a former base commander in Spain, we had plans established for the security and protection of people and resources. In addition, as a deployed senior United States Air Force commander in Oman, I underwent a Joint Force Vulnerability Assessment by the Department of Defense Team from the Pentagon. I state this because this is a priority and I have the experience to lead a team for success.

As such, I am submitting this resolution and request your support. Force Protection is everyone's job and for the security and safety of our personnel and resources, I am confident we can reach a successful conclusion.

//signed//

Sincerely, Robert E. Pecoraro North Tonawanda Alderman-at-Large Alderman-at-Large Robert E. Pecoraro

WHEREAS, as a Veteran who also works with Veterans groups, I see the daily challenges faced by veterans like former service member Timothy Payne, and

WHEREAS, an unforeseen incident took place at our North Tonawanda's City Hall on Tuesday June 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019 involving the North Tonawanda Police Department and this service member, and

WHEREAS, we are thankful to the North Tonawanda Police Department who took immediate steps to secure the premises and ensure the safety of the community, while appropriately considering the veteran and his challenges, and

WHEREAS, after reviewing this incident, it may be the appropriate time to address security measures in City Hall and all North Tonawanda government buildings, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, Alderman-At- Large Robert E. Pecoraro would like to ask City Clerk/Treasurer Matthew Parish with the guidance of Chief of Police Roger Zgolak to form a committee chaired by Alderman-At-Large Robert E. Pecoraro, to explore security options in all North Tonawanda Municipal Buildings.





CITY OF NORTH TONAWANDA WATER WORKS 830 RIVER ROAD NORTH TONAWANDA, NEW YORK 14120 Phone: (716) 695–8560, ext. #6411 Cell: (716) 583-1518 E-mail: <u>billdavignon@northtonawanda.org</u>

JUL 0 2 2019

William M. Davignon Superintendent

June 26, 2019

# Honorable Body,

The Cooperative Bid for Water & Wastewater Chemicals will be expiring on December 31, 2019. The City of Niagara Falls is the "Lead Agency" for this joint purchasing consortium and your approval is necessary for the City of North Tonawanda to participate again in 2020.

Please see the attached letter from the City of Niagara Falls regarding this issue. Our participation in the consortium ensures that we get the lowest price for our chemicals at the Water & Wastewater Treatment Plants and saves us thousands of dollars every year.

I respectfully request that you add this to your next available Common Council meeting agenda for approval. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding our participation in this Cooperative Bid.

Thank you for your time and consideration of my request.

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Sincerely,

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William M. Davignon, Superintendent

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# City of Niagara Falls, New York

P.O. Box 69, Niagara Falls, NY 14302-0069

June 10, 2019

City of North Tonawanda Water Works 830 River Road North Tonawanda, NY 14120 Attn: William Davignon

## RE: Cooperative Bid for Water/Waste Water Treatment Chemicals

Dear Sir/Madam:

As you are undoubtedly aware, the current cooperative bid for water and waste water treatment chemicals expires on December 31, 2019. Your organization has previously participated in this cooperative bid and we hope you will do so again this coming year. It is our intention to mail out bid packages to vendors on or about September 13, 2019, open the bids on October 23, 2019, and we anticipate awarding the bid at the November 25, 2019 meeting of the Niagara Falls Water Board (NFWB).

The NFWB will be awarding the bid on behalf of the participants in this cooperative bid. It is important that each of your governing bodies give approval for the NFWB to award the bid on your behalf, and that you forward a copy of that approval by mail or email to Ms. Leeann Huey no later than September 3, 2019.

Enclosed is the list of chemicals we intend to solicit bids for, as well as the estimated quantities you requested last year. Please update your contact information and list your estimated quantities for 2020 where indicated. If you require different items or sizes, or have any other requirements, please note this when returning this document. We ask that you return this document to Ms. Huey no later than August 13, 2019. Please note that this is a firm date for the information and that an accurate estimate is important. If you have any additional requirements, please note them in your response.

If there are any new vendors which have requested a bid package, please forward the vendor's contact information to Ms. Huey no later than September 3, 2019.

If you have any questions please contact Ms. Huey via telephone at 716-286-4371 or via email at leeann.huey@niagarafallsny.gov.

Very Truly Yours

Douglas A. Janese, Jr. Purchasing Agent

DAJ: lkh enc.

ADDRESS: 830 River Road, North	Tonawanda, NY	14120	
CONTACT NAME: William M. Dav	ignon PHON	<b>E:</b> (716) 695-856	0 ext. 6411
EMAIL ADDRESS: billdavignon@n	orthtonawanda.	org	
DESCRIPTION	YOUR 2019 ESTIMATED USAGE REQUEST	YOUR 2020 ESTIMATED USAGE REQUEST	UNIT
Chlorine – In One Ton Cylinders	256	246	Tons
Chlorine – 150 # Cylinders	N/A		Cylinders
Ferric Chloride (minimum 28%, maximum 38% solution) - Tank Trucks	120	115	Tons
Hydrofluosilicic Acid (minimum 23% solution) – Tank Trucks in 2,000 gallon lots	16	13	Tons
Hydrofluosilicic Acid (minimum 23% solution) – Tank Trucks in 900 gallon lots	N/A		Tons
Sodium Hypochlorite (commercial grade, 12% - 16% available chlorine)– Tank Trucks	N/A		Gallons
Hydrogen Peroxide (H <sup>2</sup> O <sup>2</sup> 50% technical grade, stabilized) – Tank Trucks	N/A		Tons
High Calcium, High Reactivity Rotary Kiln Quicklime – Hopper Trucks	N/A		Tons
Poly-Orthophosphate Blend, non-zinc – Tank Trucks	N/A		Tons
Poly-aluminum Chloride 70% Basicity – Tank Trucks	N/A		Tons
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William M. Davignon Superintendent

June 25, 2019

Honorable Mayor Arthur G. Pappas and Common Council Members 216 Payne Ave. – City Hall North Tonawanda, NY 14120

# <u>RE</u>: Award of Bids for the Backup Generator General Construction and Electrical Contracts at the Water Treatment Plant.

# Honorable Body,

On June 13, 2019 bids were received and opened for the Backup Generator General Construction and Electrical Contracts.

Based upon the attached bids and the recommendation of Nussbaumer & Clarke Engineering (see enclosed letter), I would like to recommend that we enter into contracts with the following low bidders:

# 1. <u>General Construction Contract</u> – STC Construction, Inc. at a cost of \$229,700.00 P.O. Box 459 Springville, NY 14141-0459

# 2. <u>Electrical Contract</u> – Goodwin Electric Corp. at a cost of \$934,000.00 201 S. Youngs Road Williamsville, NY 14221

I respectfully request that you review and approve this contract at your next available City Council meeting. The award of this contract is contingent upon the City Attorney's approval.

Thank you for your time and consideration of my request.

Sincerely,

William M. Davignon, Superintendent

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Mr. Bill Davignon Superintendent North Tonawanda Water Works Dept. 830 River Road North Tonawanda, NY 14120

#### Re: North Tonawanda Water Treatment Plant Standby Generator Replacement Bid Recommendation Letter File No. 17J1-0024

Dear Mr. Davignon:

On June 13, 2019, seven (7) bids were received, opened, and publicly read aloud for the construction of the referenced project. A copy of the bid tabulation is enclosed with this correspondence. A summary of the total base bid amounts is as follows:

General Contract		Electrical Contract		
STC Construction	\$ 229,700.00	Goodwin Electric	\$	934,000.00
Scrufari Construction	\$ 285,000.00	Frey Electric	\$	957,000.00
		Ferguson Electric	\$	975,000.00
-		CIR Electrical		1,130,000.00
		O'Connell Electric	-	1,296,800.00

Nussbaumer & Clarke, Inc. (Nussbaumer) contacted the apparent low bidders to ensure that the entire scope of work is covered in their respective base bids. Goodwin Electric however failed to provide the required EEO form (Attachment 1), pertaining to the NYS EFC Requirements. Goodwin Electric has acknowledged and submitted the form post bid to the satisfaction of Nussbaumer.

After review of the respective bids with the apparent low bidders, Nussbaumer recommends that the City of North Tonawanda award the North Tonawanda Water Treatment Plant Standby Generator Replacement Project to the lowest responsible bidders as follows; STC Construction for General Contract, in the total amount of \$229,700.00; and Goodwin Electric Corp. for Electrical Contract, in the total amount of \$934,000.00.

Should you have any questions or require additional information regarding this matter, please contact us at your convenience.

Sincerely,

NUSSBAUMER & CLARKE, INC.

Michael A. Chirico, P.E. CESCP Corporate Associate, Electrical Power Systems

Enclosure

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3556 Lake Shore Road | Suite 500 | Buffaio, NY 14219 | t: 716.827.8000 | f: 716.826.7958 j:2017/17j1-0024 north tonewanda/vecommendation letter.docx AMANDA REIMER CITY ACCOUNTANT

JENNIFER CRESS payroll personnel specialist

> SHERI GAMPP JUNIOR ACCOUNTANT

**City of North Tonawanda** DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING CITY HALL 216 PAYNE AVENUE NORTH TONAWANDA, N.Y. 14120 TELEPHONE: (716) 695-8545 FAX: (716) 695-8573

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Honorable Arthur G. Pappas, Mayor And Common Council City Hall, 216 Payne Avenue North Tonawanda, NY 14120

Dear Honorable Body:

In accordance with Article V, Division 1, Section 5.002 and 5.003 of the City Charter, an Abstract Sheet, comprised of a Warrant of Claims, has been submitted by this office for your review and approval.

Accordingly, please authorize for payment, the current Warrant of Claims for Common Council audit, dated July 2, 2019, and further authorize the Mayor and City Clerk-Treasurer to respectively sign and countersign said Warrant.

Regards,

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Ámanda Reimer City Accountant

MATTHEW L. PARISH City Clerk-Treasurer mattparish@northtonawanda.org

> Lori Swartz Assistant City Clerk

Denise Proefrock Assistant City Treasurer City of North Tonawanda

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Honorable Mayor & Common Council 216 Payne Avenue North Tonawanda, NY 14120

Dear Sirs and Mesdames:

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2019 JUN 14 PM2:33 The status of the City of North Tonawanda accounts is reflected by this cash statementNORTH TONAWANDA NY for the month of May 2019.

	General Fund	
Balance Fwd - Checking		6,978,545.21
Balance Fwd - Money Market		7,841.51
Investments		(5,000,000.00)
Receipts for the month		4,371,586.54
Warrants Drawn		(3,571,854.12)
		\$2,786,119.14
	Sewer Fund	
Balance Fwd - Checking		446,670.80
Balance Fwd - Money Market		252,388.70
Investments		0.00
Receipts for the month		336,446.74
Warrants Drawn		(498,333.64)
		\$537,172.60
	Water Fund	
Balance Fwd - Checking		1,961,533.96
Balance Fwd - Money Market		236,695.61
Investments		0.00
Receipts for the month		258,260.01
Warrants Drawn		(235,034.32)
		\$2,221,455.26
	Trust & Agency Fund	
Balance Fwd - Checking		345,039.77
Receipts for the month		49,327.32
Warrants Drawn		(39,366.56)
		\$355,000.53

# **Capital Construction Fund**

Balance Fwd - Checking		352,565.27
Balance Fwd - Money Market		3,481,219.61
Receipts for the month		878,622.90
Warrants Drawn		(498,566.82)
		\$4,213,840.96
	<b>Community Development Fund</b>	
Balance Fwd - Checking		1,697,572.46
Receipts for the month		131,153.31
Warrants Drawn		(63,232.55)
	-	\$1,765,493.22
	Rental Assistance Fund	
Balance Fwd - Checking		0.00
Receipts for the month		248,524.00
Warrants Drawn		(248,524.00)
	-	\$0.00
	Housing Rehabilitation Fund	
Balance Fwd	0	1,469.29
Receipts for the month		0.04
Warrants Drawn		0.00
		\$1,469.33
	Home Rehabilitation Fund	
Balance Fwd		40,974.56
Receipts for the month		0.00
Warrants Drawn		(36.50)
		\$40,938.06

Respectfully submitted, attin & diek

Matthew L. Parish City Clerk - Treasurer



# City of North Tonawanda

Department of Community Development 500 Wheatfield Street North Tonawanda, New York 14120 716-695-8580 716-614-0519 (fax) XXXII.

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June 18, 2019

Honorable Mayor and Common Council North Tonawanda City Hall 216 Payne Avenue North Tonawanda, NY 14120

Re: 2019 New York State Consolidated Funding Applications

Dear Honorable Body:

As you may be aware, the ninth round of state-wide economic development funding through the New York State Regional Economic Development Councils has been announced. \$800 Million is available through a pool of over 20 state programs. In previous rounds, North Tonawanda submitted 23 applications and secured over \$2 million. This year's application deadline is July 26th, 2019.

In consultation with Lumber City Development Corporation (LCDC), we have identified two potentially viable projects. These projects were selected based on a number of factors including project feasibility, project need, funding availability, and project readiness.

### 1.) CDBG Microenterprise Assistance program

The applicant for this project would be the City of North Tonawanda with grant administration performed by Lumber City Development (LCDC). This application will be for approximately \$200,000 to the NYS Office of Community Renewal Microenterprise program, which would allow LCDC to make grants (maximum of \$35,000) to business with 5 or fewer employees who expect to create new job positions. The City and LCDC have successfully implemented 5 previous CDBG Microenterprise programs since 2010, supporting 37 businesses and helping to create over 60 new jobs in that time. If awarded, the program is available to any qualifying business in the city with a specific emphasis on supporting business growth in the downtown and Oliver Street areas. This program does not require any matching funds commitment from the City.

Proposed Budget:	
Business Assistance:	\$170,000
Program Delivery:	\$25,000
Administration:	\$5,000

2.) New York Main Street- Downtown Anchor- 230 Oliver Street

The applicant for this project would be Lumber City Development Corporation but the New York Main Street program requires a municipal endorsement. NYMS Downtown Anchor funds can be utilized for redevelopment significant buildings in downtown or commercial corridors. The maximum grant application is \$500,000.

The owners of 230 Oliver have collected cost quotes to date of ~\$180,000 including new roof, electrical service, HVAC, and windows and are in the process of collecting additional quotes for basement, plumbing, siding, and finishing work. The total project budget is expected to be close to \$300,000.

Project budget:

Owner cash equity	\$50,000
National Grid grant (pendng)	\$25,000
Financing	\$50,000
NYMS Downtown Anchor grant	\$175,000
Total	\$300,000

Please let me know if you have any questions or require any additional information.

Thank you,

Michael Zimmerman Director

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North Tonawanda Botanical Garden Organization 134 Main Street North Tonawanda NY 14120 <u>Ntbgo@hotmail.com</u> (716) 692-5627



June 26, 2019

Honorable Common Council,

The North Tonawanda Botanical Garden Organization is developing an application for the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Environmental Justice Community Impact Grant Program.

The "North Tonawanda Sustainable Community Project" will be a two-year grant with an estimated budget of \$47,872. The application requires a municipal endorsement providing the authorization of our not-for-profit to conduct the proposed project at the Botanical Gardens.

Sincerely,

Daniel Conté

Chairman NTBGO

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2019 JUN 27 PM12:29 NORTH TONAWANDA NY Rosa Méndez, Director, Office of Environmental Justice Dept. of Environmental Conservation 625 Broadway, 14<sup>th</sup> Floor Albany, NY 12233

The North Tonawanda City Council would like to recommend the North Tonawanda Botanical Garden Organization, an incorporated 501(c)3 organization, for the DEC Environmental Justice Community Impact grant.

For the past three years, the NTBGO has taken on the task of revitalizing a neglected city park located along the Erie Canal. This 11-acre park was once an active botanical garden, and the NTBGO has worked hard to reclaim defunct flower beds and create native habitats, all while successfully maintaining pesticide-free and sustainable practices. NTBGO's focus is to incorporate sustainable plantings, pollinators, water conservation, and public education in this unique location, in order to provide North Tonawanda residents with a place for recreation as well as an example for environmental awareness practices.

The NTBGO has already initiated public education through engaging North Tonawanda High School students. This spring, the NTBGO organized and conducted two field trips by the Environmental Issues class to the North Tonawanda Botanical Garden coupled with tours of the Water Treatment Plant and Wastewater Treatment Plant, to educate them on the importance of clean water, water management, and the environmental impacts that plants have to help our community maintain clean water.

During these two field trips, the Environmental Issues students were able to see firsthand the importance of plants to control and filter water, the effects of water runoff into the canal, and the processes the City of North Tonawanda has in place to ensure that clean water returns to the Niagara River. The students learned the importance of preventing storm water runoff from contaminating Tonawanda Creek.

The DEC Environmental Justice Community Impact grant would enable the NTBGO to continue educating our high school and middle school students on the issues that face our city and Niagara County. Our youth are our future, and receiving this grant is vital to our mission of educating the public and ensuring that our youth know the value of the resources we have here in our city.

The NTBGO is revitalizing a unique and valuable location to our county. We wholeheartedly recommend this organization for the DEC Environmental Justice Community Impact grant, as we believe the grant would further the conservation and community education necessary to grow and sustain the environmental awareness practices and education needed for Niagara County.

Sincerely,