

**New York State Department of State**  
**2016-2017 Environmental Protection Fund Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Grant Awards**

**CAPITAL DISTRICT**

**Applicant:** City of Albany

**County (ies):** Albany

**CFA Application Number:** 67184

**Project Name:** South End Multi-Use Trail Design and Construction

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Albany will complete final design and construction of 1.5 miles of the South End Multi-Use Trail, a two-way cycle track linking the Helderberg-Hudson Rail Trail to the Mohawk-Hudson Hike-Bike Trail through the South Waterfront District.

**Award Amount:** \$325,000

**Applicant:** Town of Bolton

**County (ies):** Warren

**CFA Application Number:** 65876

**Project Name:** Veterans Memorial Park Master Plan Update

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Bolton will update its master plan for Veterans Memorial Park, addressing the summer youth recreation buildings, green open space, playground, dedicated ball courts, parking, stormwater management and pedestrian linkages from the transient docks and to downtown.

**Award Amount:** \$18,750

**Applicant:** Town of Claverack

**County (ies):** Columbia

**CFA Application Number:** 63876

**Project Name:** Claverack Creek Historic Sites and Public Waterfront Access Study

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Claverack will prepare a study that will assess the existing visual and public access to important historic sites within the Claverack Creek watershed and identify waterfront access sites that will expand public recreation opportunities, including water-dependent activities such as fishing and boating.

**Award Amount:** \$25,000

**Applicant:** Town of Copake

**County (ies):** Columbia

**CFA Application Number:** 67273

**Project Name:** Planning for Waterfront and Hamlet Revitalization

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Copake will develop a waterfront and revitalization strategy for four hamlets along the Roeliff Jansen Kill, Bash Bish Brook and Taghkanic Creek in the Town of Copake, focusing on community and economic revitalization, as well as recreational and tourism development.

**Award Amount:** \$40,000

**Applicant:** Greene County

**County (ies):** Columbia, Greene

**CFA Application Number:** 67341

**Project Name:** Hudson River Skywalk Phase 2

**Project Descriptions:** Greene County will build on Phase 1 planning and design work and undertake Hudson River Skywalk Phase 2. This phase will construct the pedestrian connection between the west side of the Skywalk to the Thomas Cole National Historic Site, as well as pedestrian safety improvements

and look-out points along the south side of the Skywalk. Phase 2 will also study and design direct, safe pedestrian connections from the east side of the Skywalk to Olana State Historic Site.

**Award Amount:** \$875,000

**Applicant:** Town of Hague

**County (ies):** Warren

**CFA Application Number:** 64509

**Project Name:** Public Dock Expansion

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Hague will design and construct Americans with Disabilities Act-compliant public docks at the Hague Town Park as an addition to the existing Town Dock, which provides the only public dock access to a business district in Lake George's North Basin.

**Award Amount:** \$38,000

**Applicant:** City of Hudson

**County (ies):** Columbia

**CFA Application Number:** 64038

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program, Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Ordinance Updates

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Hudson will update its draft Local Waterfront Revitalization Program to address climate change and sea level rise, as well as current planning and potential new projects. Components of the City Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Ordinance may also be updated to reflect the changing demography and local vision for an equitable and resilient City.

**Award Amount:** \$45,000

**Applicant:** Village of Tannersville

**County (ies):** Greene

**CFA Application Number:** 65149

**Project Name:** Implementation of Gooseberry Creek Revitalization Strategy

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Tannersville will implement key projects in the Gooseberry Creek Revitalization Strategy including Gooseberry Park, a Creek overlook on Main Street, Gotay Pocket Park and trailhead, and stream channel restoration. Streetscape improvements will be installed along Main St. such as lighting, accessibility, public art, murals, a pocket park and a memorial garden. Phase 2 of the Kaaterskill Rail Trail and a trail network at Hathaway Estate will also be designed and constructed.

**Award Amount:** \$500,000

**Applicant:** Warren County

**County (ies):** Warren, Saratoga

**CFA Application Number:** 63348

**Project Name:** First Wilderness Plan Implementation 2016

**Project Descriptions:** Warren County and project partners will implement goals established in the First Wilderness Heritage Corridor Plan in Warren and Saratoga Counties. Projects include trail and parking construction, a covered passenger shelter at Corinth Station, a feasibility study for North Creek Ski Bowl trail connections, streetscape improvements around the North Creek Train Station, development of tourism materials, and improvements to the Pottersville water supply system to address flooding.

**Award Amount:** \$520,300

## **CENTRAL NEW YORK**

**Applicant:** City of Auburn

**County (ies):** Cayuga

**CFA Application Number:** 66248

**Project Name:** Owasco River Redevelopment Design

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Auburn will plan, design, engineer and prepare construction documents a downtown Visitor Welcoming Center and a Riverside Regional Public Market located within its designated Brownfield Opportunity Area along the Owasco River. The project will also include land appraisals and strategies for land acquisition and a series of studies that will assess parking capacity and the impact that the potential closing of the Loop Road could have on the local traffic.

**Award Amount:** \$289,750

**Applicant:** Town of Cicero

**County (ies):** Onondaga

**CFA Application Number:** 66719

**Project Name:** Riverfront Park Parking and Walnut Street Streetscape Improvements

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Cicero will continue the revitalization of its Riverfront Park along Oneida Lake outlet by improving the park's parking area and the streetscape of a portion of Walnut Street, which is the gateway to the Riverfront Park.

**Award Amount:** \$137,500

**Applicant:** City of Cortland

**County (ies):** Cortland

**CFA Application Number:** 67166

**Project Name:** Alternative Transportation Initiative

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Cortland will develop a pedestrian/bike path on Clinton Avenue from downtown to Exit 11, down River Street, and to Yaman Park via a trail and bridge over the Tioughnioga River. The trail will connect SUNY Cortland, the downtown, the main commercial area and Yaman Park, with existing streets. Work includes new bicycle and pedestrian facilities on Clinton Avenue, bike lanes on River Street, multi-use path from River St. to Yaman Park, and a new bridge on existing unused abutments.

**Award Amount:** \$500,000

**Applicant:** Town of DeWitt

**County (ies):** Onondaga

**CFA Application Number:** 66577

**Project Name:** Elevating Erie Towpath Road Corridor Design

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of DeWitt will design a segment of the old Erie Canal corridor, including historical markers, wayfinding, green infrastructure, landscaping, and street furniture. The design will include an alternative to connect the current Canalway Trail end with Erie Boulevard East.

**Award Amount:** \$229,000

**Applicant:** City of Fulton

**County (ies):** Oswego

**CFA Application Number:** 65102

**Project Name:** Multi-Use Trail Feasibility Study and Draft Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Fulton will prepare a feasibility study for the development of eight multi-use trail segments that will complement the existing trail network and update the City's draft LWRP to reflect current conditions and propose new projects.

**Award Amount:** \$61,500

**Applicant:** City of Oswego

**County (ies):** Oswego

**CFA Application Number:** 67794

**Project Name:** Oswego West Side Waterfront Enhancement

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Oswego will design and construct eight capital projects focused on enhancing the marina area of the Lake Ontario shoreline. Projects include Wright's Landing Marina fuel system and boat launch improvements, Oswego River dockage, marina area amenities, accessible park connection, Breitbeck Park and Oswego Riverwalk & Harbor Trail improvements, Oswego beach area, and Oswego West Pierhead Lighthouse.

**Award Amount:** \$590,000

**Applicant:** Oswego County

**County (ies):** Cayuga, Cortland, Madison, Onondaga, Oswego

**CFA Application Number:** 66773

**Project Name:** Central New York Regional Recreation and Heritage Plan - Phase II

**Project Descriptions:** Oswego County will work with communities identified as nodes of activities and landmarks in the five county Regional Recreation and Heritage Plan (RRHP) to establish a collaborative Implementation Task Force; launch community outreach including planning and design activities; develop a unified "wayfinding" program in collaboration with jurisdictional entities; and identify and establish municipal and inter-municipal partnerships to implement target opportunities identified in the RRHP.

**Award Amount:** \$300,000

**Applicant:** County of Oswego

**County (ies):** Oswego

**CFA Application Number:** 68560

**Project Name:** Oswego River Public Access Area

**Project Descriptions:** Oswego County will convert a vacant riverside parcel located in the City of Oswego into a public access area to the Oswego River. The site will include a launch for car top boats, a parking area, and approximately 800 linear feet of paved accessible trail down a steep bank to the river side. The new public waterfront site will accommodate fishing and other passive recreation activities.

**Award Amount:** \$103,500

## **LONG ISLAND**

**Applicant:** Village of Freeport

**County (ies):** Nassau

**CFA Application Number:** 67396

**Project Name:** New York State Water Trail and Tourism Summit

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Freeport will host a one-day New York State Water Trail and Tourism Summit to foster water-based trail development. The first of its kind Water Trail and Tourism Summit will bring together paddling enthusiasts and tourism interests for a day of learning, networking and

sharing information on the popularity of water trails and surge in interest in paddling activities across the State. Trail topics include resources, marketing, economic impact, and social media.

**Award Amount:** \$25,000

**Applicant:** Town of Huntington

**County (ies):** Suffolk

**CFA Application Number:** 65979

**Project Name:** Blueway Natural and Cultural Heritage Self Guided Trail System

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Huntington will create an ecotourism Blueway Self-Guided Trail System through Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island Sound and the Huntington-Northport Bay Complex to encourage non-motorized vessel use of the waterways. The Blueway will map the trail, downtowns, natural and cultural heritage points of interest, and assist visitors in trip planning and safety. A Blueway trail plan will identify future capital improvements to enhance visitor experiences and catalyze economic development.

**Award Amount:** \$76,000

**Applicant:** City of Long Beach

**County (ies):** Nassau

**CFA Application Number:** 64953

**Project Name:** Downtown Resilient Connectivity for Park Avenue Phase II

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Long Beach will design and construct improvements along Park Avenue to create complete streets and establish a more resilient downtown. Improvements, including permeable pavement utility strips, stormwater treatment, solar street lights, streetscape amenities and wayfinding signage, will mitigate stormwater flooding, revitalize the downtown, generate economic activity, and also enhance the quality of life in this commuter rail community by making it more pedestrian friendly.

**Award Amount:** \$775,000

**Applicant:** Town of North Hempstead

**County (ies):** Nassau

**CFA Application Number:** 66416

**Project Name:** Implementing North Hempstead's Manhasset Baywalk Trail

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of North Hempstead, in cooperation with the Villages of Baxter Estates, Port Washington North and Manorhaven will make shoreline improvements to construct the Baywalk Trail along the eastern shore of Manhasset Bay. This project will add 3,583 feet to the existing trail, which begins at the Town Dock in Port Washington and ends in Baxter Estate, to connect to Manorhaven Park in the Village of Manorhaven. When completed, the entire Baywalk trail will be 7,347 feet long.

**Award Amount:** \$655,458

**Applicant:** Town of Oyster Bay

**County (ies):** Nassau

**CFA Application Number:** 66013

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Oyster Bay will finalize its draft Local Waterfront Revitalization Program by identifying and assessing strategies to increase coastal resilience, address climate change, revitalize downtowns, and connect downtowns and waterfronts to foster economic development. The update will complete past work and address climate change, sea-level rise and greenhouse gas

reductions. Policies and implementation measures will be established to achieve greater resilience and revitalization.

**Award Amount:** \$25,000

**Applicant:** Village of Patchogue

**County (ies):** Suffolk

**CFA Application Number:** 66098

**Project Name:** Shorefront Park Resiliency and Enhancement Design

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Patchogue will develop final design plans and construction documents and obtain permit approval to remove a timber frame bulkhead at Shore Road Park and replace it with an offshore breakwater, soft shoreline treatment, boardwalk, and kayak launch, as well as stormwater controls. The project will provide erosion control, wave attenuation, and stormwater retention capabilities while enhancing and expanding public access to Great South Bay.

**Award Amount:** \$202,050

**Applicant:** Village of Sag Harbor

**County (ies):** Suffolk

**CFA Application Number:** 63382

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Sag Harbor will update its 2006 Local Waterfront Revitalization Program to mitigate climate risks such as experienced during Superstorm Sandy. It will also address water quality impairments from nonpoint source pollution and septic/cesspools, analyze stormwater, pollutant loads, and identify potential projects to protect the tourism economy. The work will also update the 1998 Harbor Management Plan to address surface water jurisdictions.

**Award Amount:** \$50,000

**Applicant:** Town of Southold

**County (ies):** Suffolk

**CFA Application Number:** 62311

**Project Name:** Bay to Sound Trails Initiative Phase II

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Southold will add trails, boardwalks, wildlife viewing areas, parking, kiosks, and educational materials at a newly acquired open space parcel. Dilapidated structures and septic systems will be removed and the area restored to a natural state. A section of a creek will be daylighted and restored for habitat and fish passage. Clean-ups and citizen science opportunities will involve the public in stewardship.

**Award Amount:** \$245,055

**Applicant:** Suffolk County

**County (ies):** Suffolk

**CFA Application Number:** 65110

**Project Name:** Suffolk County Blueway Trail Plan

**Project Descriptions:** Suffolk County, in partnership with towns, villages, and paddling organizations, will develop a Blueway Trail plan for both the North and South Shores as well as the Peconic Estuary. The plan will include a schematic design of the trail route, potential launch/landing locations, draft signage, project identification for public access and facilities, and an implementation plan.

**Award Amount:** \$60,000

## **MID-HUDSON**

**Applicant:** Village of Ardsley

**County (ies):** Westchester

**CFA Application Number:** 67890

**Project Name:** Saw Mill River Revitalization Plan

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Ardsley will develop a revitalization plan for the Saw Mill River. The plan will incorporate strategies that address resiliency to mitigate climate change risks along the Saw Mill River. This plan will also promote the revitalization of the Village's downtown business district, enhance recreational facilities, including parks and trails, and protect natural resources along the river.

**Award Amount:** \$40,000

**Applicant:** City of Beacon

**County (ies):** Dutchess, Orange, Ulster, Rockland, Westchester

**CFA Application Number:** 67798

**Project Name:** Mid-Hudson Regional Downtown Initiative

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Beacon, in collaboration with Patterns for Progress, will create community development profiles and plans for communities within the Mid-Hudson Region to foster sustainable growth and redevelopment of urban centers. The initiative will establish local recommendations and identify projects that will promote downtown revitalization and stimulate economic development within the region.

**Award Amount:** \$175,000

**Applicant:** Village of Haverstraw

**County (ies):** Rockland

**CFA Application Number:** 64853

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update - Resiliency Planning for Climate Change

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Haverstraw will update its Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) to identify and integrate resiliency and sustainability policies, programs and strategies with revitalization plans and projects to provide for the future of the village in the era of climate change and sea level rise. The updated plan will take account of recent and planned economic and physical changes, including climate change and sea level rise and revitalization underway in the village to provide a guide for the next 25+ years.

**Award Amount:** \$65,000

**Applicant:** City of Kingston

**County (ies):** Ulster

**CFA Application Number:** 65740

**Project Name:** Rondout Riverport Shoreline Stabilization and Public Access Design

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Kingston will design improvements along Kingston's waterfront area. The project will involve the design of a bulkhead, shoreline restoration and a promenade to the Kingston Lighthouse to increase public access to the waterfront, flooding resiliency and boating activity.

**Award Amount:** \$197,500

**Applicant:** City of Poughkeepsie

**County (ies):** Dutchess

**CFA Application Number:** 66600

**Project Name:** Southern Waterfront Promenade Construction

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Poughkeepsie will construct the 3,000-foot Southern Waterfront Promenade along the City's Hudson River waterfront based upon decades of community preparation, engagement and collaboration. The proposed promenade will include a permanent deep water boat pier, a kayak/canoe launch, public rest rooms, a visitor interpretive center, decorative lighting and bollards, dedicated fishing stations, benches, fountains and many pleasant places to gather along the river.

**Award Amount:** \$500,000

**Applicant:** City of Poughkeepsie

**County (ies):** Dutchess

**CFA Application Number:** 67990

**Project Name:** Poughkeepsie Waterfront Connectivity Project Phase II

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Poughkeepsie will prepare final designs and permitting for the Kaal Rock Connector - a trail around Kaal Rock Point to connect the City's northern and southern waterfront parks; and construct the Northern Waterfront Park through a private developer. Design of Northern Waterfront Park was funded by a previous EPF LWRP grant.

**Award Amount:** \$500,000

**Applicant:** Town of Red Hook

**County (ies):** Dutchess

**CFA Application Number:** 68525

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Red Hook will update its 1995 Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) to mitigate future climate risks from sea level rise, increased frequency and intensity of storms and the resultant flooding from these weather related changes. The LWRP update will articulate a vision for the Town's waterfront.

**Award Amount:** \$42,440

**Applicant:** Village of Sleepy Hollow

**County (ies):** Westchester

**CFA Application Number:** 64967

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Sleepy Hollow will update its 1997 Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) by incorporating resiliency to mitigate future climate risks from sea level rise. The LWRP update will serve as a strategic plan to guide development within the Village's waterfront revitalization area.

**Award Amount:** \$59,929

## **MOHAWK VALLEY**

**Applicant:** Village of Canajoharie

**County (ies):** Montgomery

**CFA Application Number:** 65852

**Project Name:** Beechnut Site Reuse Analysis

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Canajoharie, in partnership with Montgomery County, will complete technical and market analyses necessary to gauge the potential for and the challenges to the redevelopment of the former Beechnut plant, a 26 acre site with 600,000 square feet of existing building space.

**Award Amount:** \$85,000

**Applicant:** Village of Mohawk

**County (ies):** Herkimer

**CFA Application Number:** 64866

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Mohawk will update relevant portions of its draft intermunicipal 2000 Local Waterfront Revitalization Program that pertain to the Village downtown and Main Street. The focus will be on improving infrastructure, sustainability, walkability and visual character, encouraging in-fill, and responding to climate change.

**Award Amount:** \$25,000

**Applicant:** Village of Schoharie

**County (ies):** Schoharie

**CFA Application Number:** 66656

**Project Name:** Schoharie Creek Access Improvements

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Schoharie will design and construct a 1.75 mile multi-use trail along the Schoharie Creek, including two trailheads with parking, a canoe/kayak launch, a nature trail, signage, picnic tables and bike racks, creating the Village's first public access to the Creek.

**Award Amount:** \$382,288

**Applicant:** City of Utica

**County (ies):** Oneida

**CFA Application Number:** 67350

**Project Name:** Utica Harbor - Bulkhead and Marina Design

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Utica will prepare designs for bulkhead reconstruction and marina site-wide improvements at Utica Harbor on the Erie Canal.

**Award Amount:** \$150,000

**Applicant:** City of Utica

**County (ies):** Oneida

**CFA Application Number:** 67823

**Project Name:** Utica Downtown Sustainability Plan

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Utica, with Cornell University, will create a Downtown Sustainability Plan considering energy, transportation, water, economic, residential, and business development, communications, food, waste, community input, green infrastructure, and urban design. The goal is to incentivize appropriate development and "green" residences, businesses, and governments to improve quality of life and attract new investors, entrepreneurs, workers and residents.

**Award Amount:** \$50,000

## NEW YORK CITY

**Applicant:** City of New York

**County (ies):** New York

**CFA Application Number:** 65014

**Project Name:** Harlem Lane Playground Waterfront Access

**Project Descriptions:** The Department of Parks and Recreation will complete planning, design, and reconstruction of 1.6 acre Harlem Lane Playground in the Bradhurst section of Harlem. The project will restore a closed staircase and promenade to enable access to the park, and create a waterfront greenway segment that will eventually connect to sections further south, while incorporating green infrastructure and resiliency measures to protect the site and adjacent housing.

**Award Amount:** \$950,000

**Applicant:** City of New York

**County (ies):** Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens, Richmond

**CFA Application Number:** 65971

**Project Name:** Public Access Implementation Study

**Project Descriptions:** The Department of City Planning will study and develop financial modeling tools for funding, building, operating and maintaining public access sites along its waterfront. The Study will further understanding of the costs of constructing public access across varying shoreline and waterway conditions, leveraging private investment to support the creation of public access, and pricing and financing of integrating climate resiliency features into public access design.

**Award Amount:** \$290,000

**Applicant:** City of New York

**County (ies):** Richmond

**CFA Application Number:** 66209

**Project Name:** Creek Landing Planning and Assessment

**Project Descriptions:** The Department of Parks and Recreation will complete a bulkhead assessment and prepare a Phase II environmental investigation work plan for remediation and infrastructure work to redevelop a waterfront site in the former Fresh Kills Landfill, part of its transformation into Freshkills Park. The 20-acre Creek Landing is envisioned as a park area with a waterfront esplanade, canoe and boat launch, a restaurant, a visitor center, fishing piers, overlooks and a public lawn area.

**Award Amount:** \$90,000

**Applicant:** City of New York

**County (ies):** Queens

**CFA Application Number:** 66393

**Project Name:** Idlewild Park Coastal Marsh Restoration

**Project Descriptions:** The Department of Parks and Recreation will complete a pilot salt marsh restoration in Idlewild Park on Jamaica Bay that will increase marsh surface elevations to help maintain and protect critical habitat and other functions the salt marsh provides. The project will also restore upland coastal forest and provide targeted access to the resources within the city-designated Special Natural Waterfront Area and state-designated Significant Coastal Fish and Wildlife Habitat Area.

**Award Amount:** \$500,000

**Applicant:** City of New York

**County (ies):** Queens

**CFA Application Number:** 68007

**Project Name:** Flushing Creek Strategic Plan

**Project Descriptions:** The Department of City Planning will develop a strategic plan to improve the health of Flushing Creek and examine future restoration projects. The plan will identify recommendations for the Federal navigation channel that is no longer used for maritime purposes and prepare documentation to justify repurposing the navigation channel. This will build on current efforts to mitigate the effects of combined sewer overflow into Flushing Creek.

**Award Amount:** \$94,900

## **NORTH COUNTRY**

**Applicant:** Town of Bellmont

**County (ies):** Franklin

**CFA Application Number:** 64102

**Project Name:** Mountain View and Indian Lakes Dredging Engineering Report

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Bellmont, in partnership with Franklin County Soil & Water Conservation District and Mountain View Association, will prepare a Dredging Engineering Report for Mountain View and Indian Lakes. The Report will detail actions necessary for removal of excess sediment and restoration of disturbed areas as well as identify sediment disposal sites. Sediment deposition has encouraged invasive plant growth, reduced water quality and habitat, and threatened property values.

**Award Amount:** \$39,500

**Applicant:** Town of Canton

**County (ies):** St. Lawrence

**CFA Application Number:** 67948

**Project Name:** Riverside Renaissance

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Canton will implement projects from the Canton Grasse River Waterfront Revitalization Plan. Projects include design of a whitewater park on the Grasse River, acquisition and redevelopment of a former brownfield for development of park parking, signage, traffic control, walkways, and a hospitality center in partnership with SUNY-Canton, and construction of a pedestrian pathway under Route 11 to connect the whitewater park to additional parking.

**Award Amount:** \$231,274

**Applicant:** Town of Cape Vincent

**County (ies):** Jefferson

**CFA Application Number:** 68114

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Cape Vincent will update its Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) by working with the Town of Cape Vincent to prepare an inter-municipal LWRP. Opportunities that will be addressed include: providing tourism jobs through promotion of distinctive tourist attractions; providing public docking to encourage day trips from Islanders and Canadians; climate change resiliency; protection of historic structures, St. Lawrence River scenic vistas; and improving local parks.

**Award Amount:** \$20,000

**Applicant:** Clinton County

**County (ies):** Clinton, Essex, Franklin, St. Lawrence

**CFA Application Number:** 63711

**Project Name:** Downtown Revitalization and Resiliency in the North Country

**Project Descriptions:** Clinton County will advance downtown revitalization and resiliency projects in communities along the Ausable River. Projects include the design of a boathouse at Dock Street Landing and City Beach Bathhouse renovations in Plattsburgh; a Riverwalk extension in Saranac Lake; streetscape and façade improvements in select downtown areas; tourism planning and marketing; installation of culverts designed to address climate change risks; natural stream restoration; and improvements to Everest Dam.

**Award Amount:** \$1,430,000

**Applicant:** Village of Massena

**County (ies):** St. Lawrence

**CFA Application Number:** 66338

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program and Water Street Park Enhancements

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Massena will prepare a Local Waterfront Revitalization Program (LWRP) for its St. Lawrence and Grasse River waterfronts and construct Water Street Park enhancements. The LWRP will guide waterfront development, explore connections to the downtown, restore ecological health of the Grasse River, and encourage use of waterways as recreational and economic development assets. Park enhancements will include a bandshell, farmer's market pavilion, ADA bathroom, and expanded parking lot.

**Award Amount:** \$292,887

**Applicant:** City of Ogdensburg

**County (ies):** Hamilton, Herkimer, Jefferson, Lewis, St. Lawrence

**CFA Application Number:** 68366

**Project Name:** Oswegatchie Blueway Trail Signage Master Plan and Implementation

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Ogdensburg will conduct planning, design and implementation of brand identity, logo design, and a Signage Master Plan for the Oswegatchie River Blueway Trail on behalf of river communities. A multi-layered signage system will be implemented at critical access points to highlight natural features, history, and culture and to identify landmarks, facilities, services, downtowns and village centers, promoting the region's identity as a premier, year-round recreational destination.

**Award Amount:** \$50,000

**Applicant:** Village of Sackets Harbor

**County (ies):** Jefferson

**CFA Application Number:** 66904

**Project Name:** Sackets Harbor Waterfront Improvements

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Sackets Harbor will implement its plan by designing and constructing improvements to the Village boat launch on Lake Ontario, including walkways, lighting, and landscaping; improve a waterfront picnic area; and create a "Port to Pub" walkway from the Village dock and Market Square Park to the Village's commercial center. This project will promote use of waterfront facilities and encourage boaters to patronize local businesses and water-related support services.

**Award Amount:** \$134,000

**Applicant:** City of Watertown

**County (ies):** Jefferson

**CFA Application Number:** 66392

**Project Name:** Watertown Downtown Revitalization Plan

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Watertown will prepare a Downtown Revitalization Plan to identify transformational projects in the Public Square area. The Plan will create a vision for downtown Watertown, guide redevelopment to capitalize on community assets, and help attract new investments and businesses.

**Award Amount:** \$50,000

**Applicant:** City of Watertown

**County (ies):** Jefferson

**CFA Application Number:** 67207

**Project Name:** Downtown-Riverfront Parks Connection Feasibility Study

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Watertown will prepare a feasibility study to improve connections from the City's downtown Public Square to its two riverfront parks, the Veterans' Memorial Riverwalk and Whitewater Park. The Study will include preliminary design alternatives, cost estimates and implementation recommendations.

**Award Amount:** \$30,000

### **SOUTHERN TIER**

**Applicant:** Town of Ithaca

**County (ies):** Cayuga, Cortland, Schuyler, Seneca, Tioga, Tompkins

**CFA Application Number:** 62562

**Project Name:** Cayuga Lake Watershed Plan Intermunicipal Organization and Implementation

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Ithaca will implement recommendations in the updated Cayuga Lake Watershed Restoration and Protection Plan. This will include re-defining a sustainable operational and organizational structure for the Cayuga Lake Intermunicipal Organization; designing a set of criteria for prioritizing recommendations; identifying site specific projects and preparing conceptual designs and cost estimates to advance watershed goals and capitalize on funding opportunities.

**Award Amount:** \$62,405

**Applicant:** Schuyler County

**County (ies):** Schuyler

**CFA Application Number:** 66891

**Project Name:** Project Seneca Strategic Planning and Implementation

**Project Descriptions:** Schuyler County will prepare a regional strategic plan for Watkins Glen and Montour Falls and implement projects identified in the Watkins Glen Local Waterfront Revitalization Program. Capital projects include the rehabilitation of Clute Park bathhouse, Catharine Valley Trail Connector extension and enhancements at Clute Park and Montour Falls Marina.

**Award Amount:** \$1,091,500

## **WESTERN NEW YORK**

**Applicant:** City of Buffalo

**County (ies):** Erie

**CFA Application Number:** 67992

**Project Name:** Niagara Street Gateway - Porter Avenue to Ontario Street Construction

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Buffalo, in partnership with the Buffalo Sewer Authority, will construct the portion of the Niagara Street Gateway running from Porter Avenue north to Ontario Street. The project will incorporate green infrastructure and include construction of a cycle track, installation of vegetation, street furniture and wayfinding signage.

**Award Amount:** \$4,240,000

**Applicant:** Village of Celoron

**County (ies):** Chautauqua

**CFA Application Number:** 67975

**Project Name:** Lucille Ball Memorial Park Improvements - Phase II Construction

**Project Descriptions:** The Village of Celoron will construct public access and recreation improvements to Lucille Ball Memorial Park on Chautauqua Lake. Improvements will include soil stabilization, a new breakwall, waterfront trail and kayak/canoe launch.

**Award Amount:** \$354,220

**Applicant:** City of Dunkirk

**County (ies):** Chautauqua

**CFA Application Number:** 65756

**Project Name:** Comprehensive Plan Update

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Dunkirk will update its comprehensive plan. The City will build upon the Northern Chautauqua County Local Waterfront Revitalization Program by expanding the study area to include the entire City and will address transportation, land use, housing, parks and recreation, public access and facilities, historic preservation, tourism, and economic development.

**Award Amount:** \$45,000

**Applicant:** Town of Evans

**County (ies):** Erie

**CFA Application Number:** 66808

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Evans will update its Local Waterfront Revitalization Program, developed in 2013, to review zoning and land uses appropriate to the waterfront area and address climate change resiliency.

**Award Amount:** \$20,000

**Applicant:** Town of Grand Island

**County (ies):** Erie

**CFA Application Number:** 66537

**Project Name:** Local Waterfront Revitalization Program Update

**Project Descriptions:** The Town of Grand Island will update its Local Waterfront Revitalization Program, developed in 2006, to explore revitalization strategies and further protect the unique cultural and natural characteristics of its waterfront area and address climate change resiliency.

**Award Amount:** \$31,350

**Applicant:** City of Tonawanda

**County (ies):** Erie

**CFA Application Number:** 67019

**Project Name:** Docking Facilities Design and Construction

**Project Descriptions:** The City of Tonawanda will design and construct docking facilities at four sites along the Niagara River and Ellicott Creek. This project will expand publicly accessible dock facilities allowing residents and visitors to take full advantage of the City's waterfront.

**Award Amount:** \$487,380