PUBLIC NOTICE

30-DAY PERIOD FOR PUBLIC REVIEW OF SOUTHWEST AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT #8

Per New York State Agriculture and Markets Law Section 303-a, the County Legislature is required to review agricultural districts eight years after their creation and every eight years thereafter. Southwest Agricultural District #8 encompasses 74,173.40 acres in the municipalities of Boston, Brant, Collins, Eden, Evans, Hamburg, and North Collins.

Copies of the application form have been provided to municipal clerks, assessors, and chief elected officials for distribution to those who are interested. The application is also available at erie.gov/agdistrictwebform.

The Erie County Department of Environment and Planning will accept modification requests from June 1-30. Maps of the districts under review will be on file and open to public inspection in the office of the County Clerk. Any questions on this process should be directed to the Erie County Department of Environment and Planning. At this time, only landowners within the affected municipalities may apply to have land added or removed from the Agricultural District.

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