



## Agriculture and Markets

**KATHY HOCHUL**  
Governor

**RICHARD A. BALL**  
Commissioner

Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk  
Ulster County Legislature  
244 Fair Street - Box 1800  
Kingston, NY 12402

Dear Ms. Fabella,

In accordance with Section 303-a of the Agriculture and Markets Law, the Ulster County Legislature submitted to me, by Resolution No. 622 of 2022, a district renewal plan with modifications for Ulster County Agricultural District No. 4.

Following review of the plan and its related documentation, I find that the plan is eligible for districting.

In accordance with the statutory procedures for certification of agricultural district review plans and in consultation with the state Advisory Council on Agriculture, I have determined that the District is consistent with state environmental plans, policies and objectives.

In consideration of my review of the plan, I hereby certify that:

- A. The District is eligible for districting.
- B. The District consists predominantly of viable agricultural land.
- C. The plan of the District is feasible.
- D. The District will serve the public interest by assisting in maintaining a viable agricultural industry within the District and the state.

The county is required to complete the next review of Ulster County Agricultural District No. 4 on or before March 13, 2031.

Signed and Sealed at the Town of Colonie,  
County of Albany, NY,  
This 28<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Ball  
Commissioner

cc:

Robert Magnanini, Chair, Ulster County AFPB  
Dennis Doyle, Director, Ulster County Planning Department  
Lydia Reidy, Executive Director, Cornell Cooperative Extension of Ulster County  
District Manager, Ulster County Soil and Water Conservation District  
Susan Hoskins, IRIS