

NOTICE OF POSITIVE DECLARATION AND PUBLIC SCOPING

NOTICE is hereby given that the County Legislature of Onondaga County, State of New York, as Lead Agency, has determined that the proposed Lakeview Amphitheater Facility may have a significant adverse impact on the environment and a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) must be prepared. The project involves construction and operation of an outdoor events center on County-owned land on the western shore of Onondaga Lake, in the Town of Geddes. The Lakeview Amphitheater Facility will be an outdoor event complex, which will include an amphitheater with both covered and lawn seats, a vendor area, recreational trails and amenities. Associated infrastructure will include access roads/driveways and utilities (power, water, sewer, etc.). It is anticipated that vehicular access to the amphitheater will be provided directly from Interstate 690 (I-690), and parking will be accommodated through use of the existing parking lots located between I-690 and Onondaga Lake. Additional water-based access is also anticipated through use of a seasonal removable docking system.

A Draft Scoping Document has been prepared and is available for public review and comment. The County has circulated the Draft Scoping Document to all involved agencies. Copies can be obtained from the Onondaga County Office of the Environment or viewed online at www.ongov.net . A public repository for viewing project related documents has also been established at the Solvay Public Library, 615 Woods Road, Solvay NY 13209.

Written comments on the Draft Scoping Document will be accepted until 4:30 pm on May 12, 2014. Comments may be delivered in person, mailed or submitted by email to David Coburn, Director, Onondaga County Office of the Environment as noted below.

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