

New York State Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation

KATHY HOCHUL Governor ERIK KULLESEID Commissioner

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TO: Representatives of Potentially Involved/Interested Agencies

SUBJECT: State Environmental Quality Review Act – Type I - Negative Declaration

NAME OF ACTION: Breakneck Connector and Bridge Project

LOCATION: Between Metro North Railroad Breakneck Ridge southbound platform and the Breakneck Ridge Trail, Town of Fishkill, Dutchess County and Town of Philipstown, Putnam County, NY

The New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP) has reviewed the above-mentioned project (a Type I Action) under the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQR). As Lead Agency, OPRHP is submitting to you a copy of the Negative Declaration in the form of the Full Environmental Assessment Form Parts 1-3 and attachments.

Please keep the attached for your files. Thank you, and if you have any questions, please contact me at <u>nancy.stoner@parks.ny.gov</u> or 518-339-0204.

Sincerely,

Nancy Stoner

Nancy Stoner Environmental Analyst, DESP

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