

Statement from Dutchess County Executive Marcus J. Molinaro

Regarding the U.S. Court of Appeals Decision the request for a stay on the implementation of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (FERC) new capacity zone

“On Wednesday, the U.S. Court of Appeals denied a temporary stop to the implementation of a new capacity zone ordered by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC). The blatant disregard for the financial burdens faced by Dutchess County residents and the fragile state of our economy is not only disturbing, but again shows complete disconnect between the federal government and our local constituency. I thank Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation and the Public Service Commission of the State of New York for standing with us to fight this ill-conceived proposal. We will continue to advocate for the residents of Dutchess County to ensure their voices are heard.”