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Agricultural Land Protection Priority Map

Town-City Boundaries

Village Boundaries

Roads

Interstate

U.S. Highway/State Route

County Road

Local Road

Private Road

Waterbodies

Streams

Property Boundaries

Priority Key


1 - Highest Priority

2

3

4

5



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This map was created with a Land Evaluation and Site Assessment (LESA) system adapted for Columbia County, NY by the County Agriculture and Farmland Protection Board. A LESA is a rating system created by the USDA Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) to evaluate parcels' relative importance for agriculture based upon soils and other factors that represent community values. The Columbia County LESA considers soils as well as a parcel's farming viability, development pressure, open space, scenic, historic, and natural resource value, in addition to its recognition in a local comprehensive plan, farmland protection plan, or other planning document.

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