## Nora Carnes appointed to the NYFB Promotion and Education Committee

In December the NYFB board appointed Nora Carnes, from Friendship, New York, in District 1, to fill a vacancy for an at-large member. They always say that if you want something done ask a busy person, so we did.

A native of Massachusetts, Carnes relocated to Allegany County in 2006 to live with her husband.

Carnes completed her undergraduate studies at Clark University, and is a graduate of Massachusetts School of Law. She is admitted to practice in New York State and Federal Courts as well as Massachusetts. She practices as a solo practitioner in Allegany County. She was previously employed as an assistant county attorney with the Allegany County Attorney's Office from 2008 through 2018. Prior to joining the County Attorney's Office, she worked in the office of the Public Defender. While in Massachusetts she worked in private practice with a focus on estate planning, probate practice, bankruptcy and commercial litigation.

She is a member of the New York State Bar Association and the Allegany County Bar Association, where she holds the title of secretary. She serves as Vice President of Allegany County Farm Bureau and acts as the Allegany County State representative on the New York Farm Bureau Equine Committee. Additionally, she is an active member on the Allegany County 4-H Program Development Committee for the horse program and serves as a board member on the Allegany County Cornell Cooperative Extension Board of Directors.

Carnes and her husband raise longhorn cows and own and operate a horse boarding and training operation in Friendship, New York.

She is a valued member of her county, and we are so appreciative that her talents and passion will be shared with the NYFB Promotion and Education Committee. Her deep commitment and belief that we need to do more in educating the public is a common thread throughout the committee, and with her voice added we will be able to do even more.

