PUBLIC HEARING RESOLUTION 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC PROJECT

A regular meeting of City of Albany Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") was convened in public session at the offices of the Agency located at 21 Lodge Street in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York on July 19, 2012 at 12:15 p.m., local time.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Agency and, upon roll being called, the following members of the Agency were:

PRESENT:

Anthony J. Ferrara
Willard A. Bruce
Vice Chairman
Vice Chairman
Vice Chairman
Treasurer
Susan Pedo
Secretary
Martin Daley
Member
C. Anthony Owens
John R. Vero
Member

ABSENT:

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS WERE ALSO PRESENT:

Michael J. Yevoli
Erik Smith
CEO - Capitalize Albany Corporation
CFO - Capitalize Albany Corporation

Bradley Chevalier Economic Development Specialist, Capitalize Albany

Corporation

Amy Gardner Administrative Assistant, Capitalize Albany Corporation

John J. Reilly, Esq. Agency Counsel A. Joseph Scott, III, Esq. Bond Counsel

The following resolution was offered by	, seconded by
, to wit:	

Resolution No. ____

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF CITY OF ALBANY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY TO HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING A PROPOSED PROJECT TO BE UNDERTAKEN FOR THE BENEFIT OF 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC.

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized and empowered by the provisions of Chapter 1030 of the 1969 Laws of New York, constituting Title 1 of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law, Chapter 24 of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "Enabling Act") and Chapter 325 of the 1974 Laws of New York, as amended, constituting Section 903-a of said General Municipal Law (said Chapter and the Enabling Act being hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Act") to promote, develop, encourage and assist in the acquiring, constructing, reconstructing, improving, maintaining, equipping and furnishing of manufacturing, warehousing, research, commercial and industrial facilities, among others,

for the purpose of promoting, attracting and developing economically sound commerce and industry to advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York, to improve their prosperity and standard of living, and to prevent unemployment and economic deterioration; and

WHEREAS, to accomplish its stated purposes, the Agency is authorized and empowered under the Act to acquire, construct, reconstruct and install one or more "projects" (as defined in the Act), or to cause said projects to be acquired, constructed, reconstructed and installed, and to convey said projects or to lease said projects with the obligation to purchase; and

WHEREAS, 581 Livingston Avenue LLC, a New York State limited liability company (the "Company"), submitted an application (the "Application") to the Agency, a copy of which Application is on file at the office of the Agency, which Application requested that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") for the benefit of the Company, said Project consisting of the following: (A) (1) the acquisition of an interest in a parcel of land containing approximately 2.73 acres and located at 581 Livingston Avenue in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York (the "Land), together with the existing 10,000 square foot building located thereon (the "Existing Facility"), (2) demolition of the Existing Facility, (3) the construction on the Land of a new building to contain approximately 36,000 square feet of space (the "Facility") and (4) the acquisition and installation therein and thereon of certain machinery and equipment (the "Equipment") (the Land, the Existing Facility, the Facility and the Equipment hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Project Facility"), all of the foregoing to be owned by the Company and leased to tenants for residential uses and other directly and indirectly related activities; (B) the granting of certain "financial assistance" (within the meaning of Section 854(14) of the Act) with respect to the foregoing, including potential exemptions from certain sales and use taxes, real property taxes, real estate transfer taxes and mortgage recording taxes (collectively, the "Financial Assistance"); and (C) the lease (with an obligation to purchase) or sale of the Project Facility to the Company or such other person as may be designated by the Company and agreed upon by the Agency; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 859-a of the Act, prior to the Agency providing any "financial assistance" (as defined in the Act) of more than \$100,000 to any project, the Agency, among other things, must hold a public hearing pursuant to Section 859-a of the Act with respect to said project; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to provide for compliance with the provisions of Section 859-a of the Act with respect to the Project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF CITY OF ALBANY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Agency hereby authorizes the Chief Executive Officer of the Agency, after consultation with the members of the Agency and Agency Counsel, (A) to establish the time, date and place for a public hearing of the Agency to hear all persons interested in the Project (the "Public Hearing"); (B) to cause the Public Hearing to be held in the City of Albany, New York, and to cause notice of such Public Hearing to be given to the public by publishing a notice or notices of such Public Hearing in a newspaper of general circulation available to the residents of the governmental units where the Project Facility is or is to be located, such notice or notices to comply with the requirements of Section 859-a of the Act; (C) to cause notice of the Public Hearing to be given to the chief executive officer of the county and of each city, town, village and school district in which the Project Facility is or is to be located to comply with the requirements of Section 859-a of the Act; (D) to conduct such Public Hearing; (E) to cause a report of the Public Hearing fairly summarizing the views presented at such

Public Hearing (the "Report") to be prepared; and (F) to cause a copy of the Report to be made available to the members of the Agency.

<u>Section 2</u>. The Chairman, Vice Chairman and/or Chief Executive Officer of the Agency is hereby authorized and directed to distribute copies of this Resolution to the Company and to do such further things or perform such acts as may be necessary or convenient to implement the provisions of this Resolution.

Section 3. All action taken by the Chief Executive Officer of the Agency in connection with the Public Hearing with respect to the Project prior to the date of this Resolution is hereby ratified and confirmed.

<u>Section 4</u>. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

Anthony J. Ferrara	VOTING	
Willard A. Bruce	VOTING	
Susan Pedo	VOTING	
Hon. Kathy Sheehan	VOTING	
Martin Daley	VOTING	
C. Anthony Owens	VOTING	
John R. Vero	VOTING	

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

STATE OF NEW YORK)
COUNTY OF ALBANY) SS.:)
"Agency"), DO HEREBY CERTIFY of the meeting of the members of the 2012 with the original thereof on file	Secretary of City of Albany Industrial Development Agency (the that I have compared the foregoing annexed extract of the minutes Agency, including the Resolution contained therein, held on July 19, in my office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of said ained therein and of the whole of said original so far as the same ferred to.
(B) said meeting was in all respects d "Open Meetings Law"), said meeting	(A) all members of the Agency had due notice of said meeting; ruly held; (C) pursuant to Article 7 of the Public Officers Law (the was open to the general public, and due notice of the time and place ordance with such Open Meetings Law; and (D) there was a quorum throughout said meeting.
I FURTHER CERTIFY that, effect and has not been amended, repe	as of the date hereof, the attached Resolution is in full force and aled or rescinded.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I day of July, 2012.	have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Agency this
	(Assistant) Secretary
(SEAL)	

RESOLUTION CONFIRMING SEQR DETERMINATION 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC PROJECT

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The meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Agency and, upon roll being called, the following members of the Agency were:

PRESENT:

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Secretary
Treasurer
Member
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ABSENT:

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CFO - Capitalize Albany Corporation

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Corporation

Amy Gardner

John J. Reilly, Esq.

A. Joseph Scott, III, Esq.

The following resolution was offered by ________, seconded by _______, to wit:

RESOLUTION CONCURRING IN THE DETERMINATION BY THE CITY OF ALBANY PLANNING BOARD, AS LEAD AGENCY FOR A CERTAIN PROPOSED PROJECT FOR THE PROPOSED 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC PROJECT.

Resolution No. ____

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized and empowered by the provisions of Chapter 1030 of the 1969 Laws of New York, constituting Title 1 of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law, Chapter 24 of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "Enabling Act") and Chapter 325 of the 1974 Laws of New York, as amended, constituting Section 903-a of said General Municipal Law (said Chapter and the Enabling Act being hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Act") to promote, develop, encourage and assist in the acquiring, constructing, reconstructing, improving, maintaining, equipping and furnishing of manufacturing, warehousing, research, commercial and industrial facilities, among others, for the purpose of promoting, attracting and developing economically sound commerce and industry to advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State

of New York, to improve their prosperity and standard of living, and to prevent unemployment and economic deterioration; and

WHEREAS, to accomplish its stated purposes, the Agency is authorized and empowered under the Act to acquire, construct, reconstruct and install one or more "projects" (as defined in the Act), or to cause said projects to be acquired, constructed, reconstructed and installed, and to convey said projects or to lease said projects with the obligation to purchase; and

WHEREAS, 581 Livingston Avenue LLC, a New York State limited liability company (the "Company"), submitted an application (the "Application") to the Agency, a copy of which Application is on file at the office of the Agency, which Application requested that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") for the benefit of the Company, said Project consisting of the following: (A) (1) the acquisition of an interest in a parcel of land containing approximately 2.73 acres and located at 581 Livingston Avenue in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York (the "Land), together with the existing 10,000 square foot building located thereon (the "Existing Facility"), (2) the demolition of the Existing Facility, (3) the construction on the Land of a new building to contain approximately 36,000 square feet of space (the "Facility") and (4) the acquisition and installation therein and thereon of certain machinery and equipment (the "Equipment") (the Land, the Existing Facility, the Facility and the Equipment hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Project Facility"), all of the foregoing to be owned by the Company and leased to tenants for residential uses and other directly and indirectly related activities; (B) the granting of certain "financial assistance" (within the meaning of Section 854(14) of the Act) with respect to the foregoing, including potential exemptions from certain sales and use taxes, real property taxes, real estate transfer taxes and mortgage recording taxes (collectively, the "Financial Assistance"); and (C) the lease (with an obligation to purchase) or sale of the Project Facility to the Company or such other person as may be designated by the Company and agreed upon by the Agency; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, Chapter 43 B of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "SEQR Act"), and the regulations (the "Regulations") adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York (collectively with the SEQR Act, "SEQRA"), the Agency has been informed that (1) the Planning Board of the City of Albany, New York (the "Planning Board") was designated to act as "lead agency" with respect to the Project, and (2) the Planning Board issued a Determination of Non Significance on March 15, 2012 (the "Negative Declaration"), determining that the acquisition, construction and installation of the Project Facility will not have a "significant effect on the environment"; and

WHEREAS, the Agency is an "involved agency" with respect to the Project and the Agency now desires to concur in the determination by the Planning Board, as "lead agency" with respect to the Project, to acknowledge receipt of a copy of the Negative Declaration and to indicate whether the Agency has any information to suggest that the Planning Board was incorrect in determining that the Project will not have a "significant effect on the environment" pursuant to SEQRA and, therefore, that no environmental impact statement need be prepared with respect to the Project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF CITY OF ALBANY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1</u>. The Agency has received copies of, and has reviewed, the Application and the Negative Declaration (collectively the "Reviewed Documents") and, based upon said Reviewed Documents, the Agency hereby ratifies and concurs in the designation of the Planning Board as "lead agency" with respect to the Project under SEQRA (as such quoted term is defined in SEQRA).

- <u>Section 2</u>. The Agency hereby determines that the Agency has no information to suggest that the Planning Board was incorrect in determining that the Project will not have a "significant effect on the environment" pursuant to the SEQRA and, therefore, that no environmental impact statement need be prepared with respect to the Project (as such quoted phrase is used in SEQRA).
- Section 3. The members of the Agency are hereby directed to notify the Planning Board of the concurrence by the Agency that the Planning Board shall be the "lead agency" with respect to the Project, and to further indicate to the Planning Board that the Agency has no information to suggest that the Planning Board was incorrect in its determinations contained in the Negative Declaration.

<u>Section 4</u>. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

Anthony J. Ferrara	VOTING	
Susan Pedo	VOTING	
Hon. Kathy Sheehan	VOTING	
Martin Daley	VOTING	
C. Anthony Owens	VOTING	
John R. Vero	VOTING	

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

STATE OF NEW YORK	an a
COUNTY OF ALBANY)	SS.:
DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have commembers of the Agency, including the resoriginal thereof on file in my office, and	City of Albany Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), pared the foregoing extract of the minutes of the meeting of the olution contained therein, held on September 20, 2012, with the that the same is a true and correct copy of such proceedings of the therein and of the whole of said original so far as the same red to.
said meeting was in all respect duly held; Meetings Law"), said meeting was open to	all members of the Agency had due notice of said meeting; (B) (C) pursuant to Article 7 of the Public Officers Law (the "Open of the general public, and due notice of the time and place of said uch Open Meetings Law; and (D) there was a quorum of the aid meeting.
I FURTHER CERTIFY that, as effect and has not been amended, repealed	of the date hereof, the attached resolution is in full force and

Secretary	

(SEAL)

COMMERCIAL FINDING RESOLUTION 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC PROJECT

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PRESENT:

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Susan Pedo	Secretary
Hon. Kathy Sheehan	Treasurer
Martin Daley	Member
C. Anthony Owens	Member
John R. Vero	Member

ABSENT:

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Bradley Chevalier Economic Development Specialist, Capitalize Albany

Corporation

Amy Gardner Administrative Assistant, Capitalize Albany Corporation

John J. Reilly, Esq. Agency Counsel

A. Joseph Scott, III, Esq. Special Agency Counsel

The	following	resolution	was	offered	by	 econded	by
			, to	wit:			

Resolution	No.	

RESOLUTION (A) DETERMINING THAT THE PROPOSED 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC IS A COMMERCIAL PROJECT, AND (B) MAKING CERTAIN FINDINGS REQUIRED UNDER THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW.

WHEREAS, City of Albany Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") is authorized and empowered by the provisions of Chapter 1030 of 1969 Laws of New York, constituting Title 1 of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law, Chapter 24 of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "Enabling Act") and Chapter 325 of the 1974 Laws of New York, as amended, constituting Section 903-a of said General Municipal Law (said Chapter and the Enabling Act being hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Act") to promote, develop, encourage and assist in the acquiring, constructing, reconstructing, improving, maintaining, equipping and furnishing of industrial, manufacturing, warehousing, commercial, research, recreation and civic

facilities, among others, for the purpose of promoting, attracting and developing economically sound commerce and industry to advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York, to improve their prosperity and standard of living, and to prevent unemployment and economic deterioration; and

WHEREAS, to accomplish its stated purposes, the Agency is authorized and empowered under the Act to acquire, construct and install one or more "projects" (as defined in the Act) or to cause said projects to be acquired, constructed and installed, and to convey said projects or to lease said projects with the obligation to purchase; and

WHEREAS, 581 Livingston Avenue LLC, a New York State limited liability company (the "Company"), submitted an application (the "Application") to the Agency, a copy of which Application is on file at the office of the Agency, which Application requested that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") for the benefit of the Company, said Project consisting of the following: (A) (1) the acquisition of an interest in a parcel of land containing approximately 2.73 acres and located at 581 Livingston Avenue in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York (the "Land), together with the existing 10,000 square foot building located thereon (the "Existing Facility"), (2) the demolition of the Existing Facility, (3) the construction on the Land of a new building to contain approximately 36,000 square feet of space (the "Facility") and (4) the acquisition and installation therein and thereon of certain machinery and equipment (the "Equipment") (the Land, the Existing Facility, the Facility and the Equipment hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Project Facility"), all of the foregoing to be owned by the Company and leased to tenants for residential uses and other directly and indirectly related activities; (B) the granting of certain "financial assistance" (within the meaning of Section 854(14) of the Act) with respect to the foregoing, including potential exemptions from certain sales and use taxes, real property taxes, real estate transfer taxes and mortgage recording taxes (collectively, the "Financial Assistance"); and (C) the lease (with an obligation to purchase) or sale of the Project Facility to the Company or such other person as may be designated by the Company and agreed upon by the Agency; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authorization contained in a resolution adopted by the members of the Agency on July 19, 2012 (the "Public Hearing Resolution"), the Chairman of the Agency (A) caused notice of a public hearing of the Agency (the "Public Hearing") pursuant to Section 859-a of the Act to hear all persons interested in the Project and the Financial Assistance being contemplated by the Agency with respect to the Project, to be mailed on August 2, 2012 to the chief executive officers of each county, city, town and school district in which the Project Facility is (or will be) located, (B) caused notice of the Public Hearing to be published on August 4, 2012 in The Times Union, a newspaper of general circulation available to the residents of the City of Albany, Albany County, New York, (C) conducted the Public Hearing on August 16, 2012, at 12:00 o'clock, noon, local time at the offices of the Agency located in the office of the Department of Economic Development and Planning at 21 Lodge Street in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York, and (D) prepared a report of the Public Hearing (the "Public Hearing Report") which fairly summarized the views presented at said Public Hearing and distributed same to the members of the Agency and to the Mayor of the City of Albany, New York (the "Mayor"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, Chapter 43-B of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "SEQR Act") and the regulations (the "Regulations") adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York, being 6NYCRR Part 617, as amended (collectively with the SEQR Act, "SEQRA"), by resolution adopted by the members of the Agency on September 20, 2012 (the "SEQR Resolution"), the Agency (A) ratified the determination by the Planning Board of the City of Albany, New York (the "Planning Board") to act as "lead agency" with respect to the Project, (B) acknowledged receipt of a copy of a negative declaration issued by the Planning Board on March 15, 2012 (the "Negative Declaration"), and (C) indicated that the Agency had no

information to suggest that the Planning Board was incorrect in authorizing the issuance of the Negative Declaration; and

WHEREAS, to aid the Agency in determining whether the Project qualifies for Financial Assistance as a commercial project within the meaning of the Act, the Applicant has submitted to the Agency the following (collectively, the "Project Qualification Documents"): (A) the Application, and (B) a comprehensive report entitled "Albany 2030 – The City of Albany Comprehensive Plan" (the "2030 Plan");

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF CITY OF ALBANY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, AS FOLLOWS:

- <u>Section 1</u>. Based upon an examination of the Project Qualification Documents and based further upon the Agency's knowledge of the area surrounding the Project and such further investigation of the Project and its economic effects as the Agency has deemed appropriate, the Agency makes the following findings and determinations with respect to the Project:
 - A. That the Application indicates that the Project will create 1 full time job at the Project Facility and 25 temporary construction jobs.
 - B. That the 2030 Plan provides that improving housing in the City of Albany is an explicit goal of the Plan.
 - C. That increasing investment, both public and private, in the area surrounding the Project Facility (the "Neighborhood") is a vehicle for improving private market conditions and as a strategy to maximize the use of vacant buildings and lots.
 - D. That undertaking the Project is consistent with the provisions in the 2030 Plan.
 - E. That undertaking the Project will provide good quality housing to individuals seeking to reside and work in the City of Albany.
 - F. That undertaking the Project will improve the quality of housing in the City of Albany.
 - G. That not undertaking the Project would most likely result in the further deterioration of housing stock in the City of Albany and discourage future commercial and residential development and expansion in the Neighborhood.
 - H. That the creation of affordable housing has a direct and important impact upon the success or failure of the commercial businesses in the City of Albany.
- <u>Section 2</u>. Based upon the foregoing review of the Project Qualification Documents and based further upon the Agency's knowledge of the area surrounding the Project Facility and such further investigation of the Project and its economic effects as the Agency has deemed appropriate, the Agency makes the following determinations with respect to the Project:
 - A. That (1) the Project Facility will provide necessary infrastructure for area employers, (2) that completion of the Project Facility will have an impact upon the creation, retention and expansion of employment opportunities in the City of Albany and in the State of New York, and (3)

that completion of the Project will assist in promoting employment opportunities and assist in preventing economic deterioration in the City of Albany and in the State of New York.

- B. That the acquisition, construction and installation of the Project Facility is essential to the retention of existing employment and the creation of new employment opportunities and is essential to the prevention of economic deterioration of businesses located in the City of Albany.
 - C. That the Project constitutes a "commercial" project, within the meaning of the Act.
- D. That the Project will serve the public purposes of the Act by preserving permanent, private sector jobs or by increasing the overall number of permanent, private sector jobs in the State of New York.
- <u>Section 3.</u> This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

Anthony J. Ferrara	VOTING
Susan Pedo	VOTING
Hon. Kathy Sheehan	VOTING
Martin Daley	VOTING
John Vero	VOTING
C. Anthony Owens	VOTING

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

STATE OF NEW YORK	
) SS.:
COUNTY OF ALBANY)
"Agency"), DO HEREBY CERTIFY to of the members of the Agency, including the original thereof on file in my office,	Secretary of City of Albany Industrial Development Agency (the hat I have compared the foregoing extract of the minutes of the meeting ng the resolution contained therein, held on September 20, 2012, with and that the same is a true and correct copy of such proceedings of the natherein and of the whole of said original so far as the same relates to
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I FURTHER CERTIFY that, a has not been amended, repealed or rese	s of the date hereof, the attached resolution is in full force and effect and cinded.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I had ay of September, 2012.	have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Agency this 20th
	(Assistant) Secretary
(SEAL)	

PILOT DEVIATION APPROVAL RESOLUTION 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC PROJECT

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Corporation

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John J. Reilly, Esq. Agency Counsel

A. Joseph Scott, III, Esq. Special Agency Counsel

The	following	resolution	was	offered	by	,	seconded	by
		, to w	it:					

R	eso	lution	No.	

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A DEVIATION FROM THE AGENCY'S UNIFORM TAX EXEMPTION POLICY IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROPOSED PAYMENT IN LIEU OF TAX AGREEMENT TO BE ENTERED INTO BY THE AGENCY IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROPOSED 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC PROJECT.

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opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York, to improve their prosperity and standard of living, and to prevent unemployment and economic deterioration; and

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WHEREAS, pursuant to the authorization contained in a resolution adopted by the members of the Agency on July 19, 2012 (the "Public Hearing Resolution"), the Chairman of the Agency (A) caused notice of a public hearing of the Agency (the "Public Hearing") pursuant to Section 859-a of the Act to hear all persons interested in the Project and the Financial Assistance being contemplated by the Agency with respect to the Project, to be mailed on August 2, 2012 to the chief executive officers of each county, city, town and school district in which the Project Facility is (or will be) located, (B) caused notice of the Public Hearing to be published on August 4, 2012 in The Times Union, a newspaper of general circulation available to the residents of the City of Albany, Albany County, New York, (C) conducted the Public Hearing on August 16, 2012, at 12:00 o'clock, noon, local time at the offices of the Agency located in the office of the Department of Economic Development and Planning at 21 Lodge Street in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York, and (D) prepared a report of the Public Hearing (the "Public Hearing Report") which fairly summarized the views presented at said Public Hearing and distributed same to the members of the Agency and to the Mayor of the City of Albany, New York (the "Mayor"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, Chapter 43-B of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "SEQR Act") and the regulations (the "Regulations") adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York, being 6NYCRR Part 617, as amended (collectively with the SEQR Act, "SEQRA"), by resolution adopted by the members of the Agency on September 20, 2012 (the "SEQR Resolution"), the Agency (A) ratified the determination by the Planning Board of the City of Albany, New York (the "Planning Board") to act as "lead agency" with respect to the Project, (B) acknowledged receipt of a copy of a negative declaration issued by the Planning Board on March 15, 2012 (the "Negative Declaration"), and (C) indicated that the Agency had no information to suggest that the Planning Board was incorrect in authorizing the issuance of the Negative Declaration; and

WHEREAS, in connection with the Project, the Company has requested that the Agency deviate from its uniform tax exemption policy with respect to the terms of the proposed payment in lieu of tax agreement to be entered into by the Agency with respect to the Project Facility, which proposed deviation is outlined in the letter dated September 12, 2012 (the "Pilot Deviation Letter"), a copy of which Pilot Deviation Letter is attached hereto as **Schedule A**; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 874(4) of the Act, prior to taking final action on such request for a deviation from the Agency's uniform tax exemption policy, the Agency must give the chief executive officers of the county and each city, town, village and school district in which the Project Facility is located (collectively, the "Affected Tax Jurisdictions") written notice of the proposed deviation from the Agency's uniform tax exemption policy and the reasons therefor prior to the meeting of the Agency at which the members of the Agency shall consider whether to approve such proposed deviation; and

WHEREAS, on September 12, 2012, the Chief Executive Officer of the Agency sent a copy of the Pilot Deviation Letter to the Affected Tax Jurisdictions to notify the Affected Tax Jurisdictions of the proposed deviation from the Agency's uniform tax exemption policy in connection with the Project; and

WHEREAS, through the Pilot Deviation Letter, the Chief Executive Officer of the Agency notified the chief executive officers of the Affected Tax Jurisdictions of the proposed deviation from the Agency's uniform tax exemption policy and further notified said chief executive officers that the members of the Agency would consider whether to approve such proposed deviation at this meeting;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF CITY OF ALBANY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, AS FOLLOWS:

- <u>Section 1</u>. The Agency hereby finds and determines as follows:
- (A) The Agency has considered any and all responses from the Affected Tax Jurisdictions to the Pilot Deviation Letter.
- (B) The Agency has reviewed and responded to all written comments received from the Affected Tax Jurisdictions with respect to the proposed deviation.
- (C) The Agency has given all representatives from the Affected Tax Jurisdictions in attendance at this meeting the opportunity to address the members of the Agency regarding the proposed deviation.
- Section 2. Based upon (A) the findings and determinations in Section 1 above, (B) any comments received at the Public Hearing, (C) input received at this meeting from the Affected Tax Jurisdictions with respect to the proposed deviation, (D) the Agency's knowledge of the Project, (E) the recommendations of Agency staff, and (F) such further investigation of the Project and the effect of the proposed deviation as the Agency has deemed appropriate, the Agency hereby determines to deviate from the Agency's uniform tax exemption policy with respect to the terms of the proposed payment in lieu of tax agreement to be entered into by the Agency with respect to the Project Facility for the reasons set forth in the Pilot Deviation Letter. Based upon the aforementioned, the Agency hereby approves a deviation from the Agency's uniform tax exemption policy, the terms of the approved deviation to be as described in the Pilot Deviation Letter attached hereto as **Schedule A**.
- <u>Section 3</u>. Upon preparation by Special Counsel to the Agency of a payment in lieu of tax agreement with respect to the Project Facility reflecting the terms of this resolution (the "Payment in Lieu of Tax

Agreement") and approval of same by the Chairman (or Vice Chairman) of the Agency, the Chairman (or Vice Chairman) of the Agency is hereby authorized, on behalf of the Agency, to execute and deliver the Payment in Lieu of Tax Agreement, and, where appropriate, the Secretary (or Assistant Secretary) of the Agency is hereby authorized to affix the seal of the Agency thereto and to attest the same, all in such form as is approved by the Chairman (or Vice Chairman), the execution thereof by the Chairman (or Vice Chairman) to constitute conclusive evidence of such approval.

Section 4. The officers, employees and agents of the Agency are hereby authorized and directed for and in the name and on behalf of the Agency to do all acts and things required or provided for by the provisions of the Payment in Lieu of Tax Agreement, and to execute and deliver all such additional certificates, instruments and documents, to pay all such fees, charges and expenses and to do all such further acts and things as may be necessary or, in the opinion of the officer, employee or agent acting, desirable and proper to effect the purposes of the foregoing resolution and to cause compliance by the Agency with all of the terms, covenants and provisions of the Payment in Lieu of Tax Agreement binding upon the Agency.

Section 5. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

Anthony J. Ferrara	VOTING	
Susan Pedo	VOTING	
Hon. Kathy Sheehan	VOTING	
Martin Daley	VOTING	
C. Anthony Owens	VOTING	
John R. Vero	VOTING	

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

STATE OF NEW YORK)) SS.:
COUNTY OF ALBANY)
"Agency"), DO HEREBY CERT of the members of the Agency, in the original thereof on file in my	sistant) Secretary of City of Albany Industrial Development Agency (the ITIFY that I have compared the foregoing extract of the minutes of the meeting including the resolution contained therein, held on September 20, 2012, with office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of such proceedings of the et forth therein and of the whole of said original so far as the same relates to red to.
meeting was in all respects dul Meetings Law"), said meeting v	that (A) all members of the Agency had due notice of said meeting; (B) said ly held; (C) pursuant to Article 7 of the Public Officers Law (the "Open was open to the general public, and due notice of the time and place of said with such Open Meetings Law; and (D) there was a quorum of the members at said meeting.
I FURTHER CERTIFY has not been amended, repealed	that, as of the date hereof, the attached resolution is in full force and effect and or rescinded.
IN WITNESS WHERE day of September, 2012.	OF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Agency this 20th
	(Assistant) Secretary

(SEAL)

SCHEDULE "A"

PILOT DEVIATION LETTER

CITY OF ALBANY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

21 Lodge Street Albany, New York 12207 Tel: 518-434-2532 Fax: 518-434-9846

September 12, 2012

Hon. Gerald D. Jennings, Mayor City of Albany City Hall Eagle Street Albany, New York 12207

Dr. Raymond Colucciello Superintendent of Schools Albany City School District Academy Park Albany, New York 12207 Hon. Daniel P. McCoy, County Executive Office of the County Executive County Office Building 112 State Street, Room 200 Albany, New York 12207

RE: Proposed Deviation from Uniform Tax Exemption Policy by City of Albany Industrial Development Agency in connection with its Proposed 581 Livingston Avenue LLC Project

Gentlemen:

581 Livingston Avenue LLC, a New York limited liability company (the "Company") presented an application (the "Application") to the Agency, a copy of which Application is on file at the office of the Agency, requesting that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") for the benefit of the Company, said Project consisting of the following: (A) (1) the acquisition of an interest in a parcel of land containing approximately 2.73 acres and located at 581 Livingston Avenue in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York (the "Land), together with the existing 10,000 square foot building located thereon (the "Existing Facility"), (2) the demolition of the Existing Facility, (3) the construction on the Land of a new building to contain approximately 36,000 square feet of space (the "Facility") and (4) the acquisition and installation therein and thereon of certain machinery and equipment (the "Equipment") (the Land, the Existing Facility, the Facility and the Equipment hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Project Facility"), all of the foregoing to be owned by the Company and leased to tenants for residential uses and other directly and indirectly related activities; (B) the granting of certain "financial assistance" (within the meaning of Section 854(14) of the Act) with respect to the foregoing, including potential exemptions from certain sales and use taxes, real property taxes, real estate transfer taxes and mortgage recording taxes (collectively, the "Financial Assistance"); and (C) the lease (with an obligation to purchase) or sale of the Project Facility to the Company or such other person as may be designated by the Company and agreed upon by the Agency.

In connection with the Application, the Company has made a request to the Agency (the "PILOT Request") that the Agency enter into a payment in lieu of tax agreement (the "Proposed PILOT Agreement") which terms would deviate from the Agency's Uniform Tax Exemption Policy (the "Policy"). The Proposed Agreement would <u>not</u> provide any abatements for any special assessments levied on the Project Facility.

The Proposed PILOT Agreement would provide that the Company be granted a ten year payment in lieu of tax agreement on the Facility and any portion of the Equipment assessable as real property pursuant to the New York Real Property Tax Law (collectively, with the Facility, the "Improvements"). The estimated payment terms of the Proposed PILOT Agreement are attached as Exhibit A to this letter.

The terms of the Proposed PILOT Agreement deviate from the Agency's Policy. The Policy provides that, for a facility similar to the Project Facility, payments in lieu of taxes will normally be determined as follows: a 50% abatement in real property taxes on the Improvements in year one of the payment in lieu of tax agreement with a 10% per year decrease in such abatement over the term of the five year payment in lieu of tax agreement. Further, the Agency's Policy provides that the amount of the assessed value of the Project Facility will change as the assessed value is established annually by the Assessor of the City of Albany.

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of such PILOT Request and that the Agency is considering whether to grant the PILOT Request and to approve a Proposed PILOT Agreement conforming to the terms of the PILOT Request. The Agency expects to consider whether to approve the terms of the Proposed PILOT Agreement at its meeting scheduled for September 20, 2012 at 12:15 p.m., local time at the offices of the Agency located at 21 Lodge Street in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York (the "Meeting"). As described later in this letter, during the meeting on September 20, 2012, the Agency will review the terms of the PILOT Request and, based on the discussions during such meeting the terms of the PILOT Request may be modified.

This letter is forwarded to you for purposes of complying with Section 874 of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York, which requires written notice prior to the Agency taking final action with respect to the Proposed PILOT Agreement (if said Proposed PILOT Agreement may deviate from the provisions of the Agency's Policy).

The Agency considered the following factors in considering the proposed deviation:

1. The nature of the proposed Project:

The Project involves the demolition of an existing 10,000 square foot building and the construction of a new 36,000 square foot building at 581 Livingston Avenue in downtown Albany. The Company is undertaking the Project in connection with the redevelopment of the project site.

2. The nature of the property before the undertaking of the Project:

The existing 10,000 square foot facility is vacant and in poor condition and will be demolished to make room for a 36,000 square foot facility that will add approximately 50 new residential housing rental options to downtown Albany.

3. The economic condition of the area at the time of the application and the economic multiplying effect that the Project will have on the area:

At the time of the filing of the Application, the economic condition of the area in which the Project Facility is located is generally average. The existing facility is vacant.

The development of the Project Facility will provide additional residential options for downtown Albany. The additional residential options will potentially provide additional customers for the business and entertainment facilities located in the downtown business district and add to further development. Additional benefits created by the Project are described in the Application.

4. The extent to which the Project will create or retain permanent, private sector jobs and the number of jobs to be created or retained and the salary range of such jobs:

The Project will create approximately 25 construction jobs with estimated construction costs of approximately \$3,265,000.

The Project will create approximately 1 full-time job within the first year of operation. .

5. The estimated value of tax exemptions to be provided:

As described in Exhibit A, the amount of estimated PILOT payments to be paid by the Company on the Project Facility are estimated to equal approximately \$1,036,023.

There would be no reduction in the current tax payments currently being paid with respect to the existing project site.

6. The economic impact of the Proposed PILOT Agreement on affected tax jurisdictions:

The economic impact of the Project PILOT Agreement is positive as the PILOT payments will increase as the assessed value of the Project Facility and the local tax rates increase.

In addition, the development of the Project Facility is expected to spur additional development in the downtown sections of the City of Albany.

7. The impact of the proposed Project on existing and proposed businesses and economic development projects in the vicinity:

The impact of the Project is a positive one on the community, as it creates provides for the substantial construction on a site that is currently underutilized in downtown Albany. This level and scale of development will improve the downtown economic climate. The local restaurants and entertainment facilities will benefit from the undertaking of the Project.

8. The amount of private sector investment generated or likely to be generated by the proposed Project:

The investment by the Company will be approximately \$3,640,000.

9. The effect of the proposed Project on the environment:

It is likely that the Project will not have a significant effect on the environment.

10. The likelihood of accomplishing the proposed Project in a timely fashion:

It is anticipated that the Project will be accomplished in a timely fashion.

11. The extent to which the Proposed PILOT Agreement will require the provision of additional services including, but not limited to, additional educational, transportation, police, emergency medical or fire services:

It is not anticipated that the Project will have a tremendous burden upon the educational facilities for any school district within the City of Albany, Albany County. After the completion of the Project, the residents of the Facility are not anticipated to generate a substantial burden on the highways of the City of Albany or the surrounding area. All necessary emergency medical and police services are available.

12. Anticipated tax revenues:

It is expected that sales tax and occupancy tax revenues will increase due to the undertaking of the Project.

13. The extent to which the Proposed PILOT Agreement will provide a benefit (economic or otherwise) not otherwise available within the municipality in which the Project Facility is located:

The benefit is a positive one economically, in that the Project will promote the development of the downtown of the City of Albany.

The Agency will consider the Proposed PILOT Agreement (and the proposed deviation from the Agency's Policy) at the Meeting. The discussion at the Meeting will include a review of (a) the terms of the PILOT Request, (b) other projects where the Agency has approved a deviation from its Policy, and (c) the information contained in this letter and other materials provided by the Company supporting the PILOT Request. Based on the discussion at the Meeting, and the review of any comments received by the Agency with respect to the PILOT Request, the Agency may determine to modify the terms of the PILOT Request.

The Agency would welcome any written comments that you might have on this proposed deviation from the Agency's Policy. In accordance with Section 874 of the General Municipal Law, prior to taking final action at the Meeting, the Agency will review and respond to any written comments received from any affected tax jurisdiction with respect to the proposed deviation. The Agency will also allow any representative of any affected tax jurisdiction present at the Meeting to address the Agency regarding the proposed deviation.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the foregoing, please do not hesitate to contact me at the above telephone number.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Michael J. Yevoli Michael J. Yevoli Chief Executive Officer

SCHEDULE A

ESTIMATED PILOT PAYMENT SCHEDULE

581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC PROJECT

Year	Existing Real	Abatement	New Pilot	Total
	Property Taxes	Percentage Under	Payments	(Differences)
	(Without IDA	the Proposed	(With IDA)	(Abatement
	involvement)	PILOT Agreement		Savings)
Current Year	13,020	0%	N/A	N/A
Year 1	133,619	50%	72,695	60,923
Year 2	137,627	50%	74,876	62,751
Year 3	141,756	45%	83,586	58,170
Year 4	146,009	45%	86,093	59,915
Year 5	150,389	40%	95,533	54,856
Year 6	154,901	40%	98,399	56,502
Year 7	159,548	35%	108,626	50,922
Year 8	164,334	30%	119,377	44,957
Year 9	169,264	20%	138,394	30,870
Year 10	174,342	10%	158,444	15,898

APPROVING RESOLUTION 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC PROJECT

A regular meeting of City of Albany Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") was convened in public session at the offices of the Agency located at 21 Lodge Street in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York on September 20, 2012 at 12:15 p.m., local time.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Agency and, upon roll being called, the following members of the Agency were:

PRESENT:

Anthony J. Ferrara Chairman
Susan Pedo Secretary
Hon. Kathy Sheehan Treasurer
Martin Daley Member
C. Anthony Owens Member
John R. Vero Member

ABSENT:

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS WERE ALSO PRESENT:

Michael J. Yevoli

Erik Smith

CEO - Capitalize Albany Corporation

CFO - Capitalize Albany Corporation

Bradley Chevalier Economic Development Specialist, Capitalize Albany

Corporation

Amy Gardner Administrative Assistant, Capitalize Albany Corporation

John J. Reilly, Esq. Agency Counsel

A. Joseph Scott, III, Esq. Special Agency Counsel

The	following	resolution	was	offered	by	,	seconded	by
		, to w	it:					

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF DOCUMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH A LEASE/LEASEBACK TRANSACTION FOR A PROJECT FOR 581 LIVINGSTON AVENUE LLC.

WHEREAS, the Agency is authorized and empowered by the provisions of Chapter 1030 of the 1969 Laws of New York, constituting Title 1 of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law, Chapter 24 of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "Enabling Act") and Chapter 325 of the 1974 Laws of New York, as amended, constituting Section 903-a of said General Municipal Law (said Chapter and the Enabling Act being hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Act") to promote, develop, encourage and assist in the acquiring, constructing, reconstructing, improving, maintaining, equipping and furnishing of commercial facilities, among others, for the purpose of promoting, attracting and developing economically sound commerce and industry to advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York, to improve their prosperity and standard of living, and to prevent unemployment and economic deterioration; and

WHEREAS, to accomplish its stated purposes, the Agency is authorized and empowered under the Act to acquire, construct and install one or more "projects" (as defined in the Act) or to cause said projects to be acquired, constructed and installed, and to convey said projects or to lease said projects with the obligation to purchase; and

WHEREAS, 581 Livingston Avenue LLC, a New York State limited liability company (the "Company"), submitted an application (the "Application") to the Agency, a copy of which Application is on file at the office of the Agency, which Application requested that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") for the benefit of the Company, said Project consisting of the following: (A) (1) the acquisition of an interest in a parcel of land containing approximately 2.73 acres and located at 581 Livingston Avenue in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York (the "Land), together with the existing 10,000 square foot building located thereon (the "Existing Facility"), (2) the demolition of the Existing Facility, (3) the construction on the Land of a new building to contain approximately 36,000 square feet of space (the "Facility") and (4) the acquisition and installation therein and thereon of certain machinery and equipment (the "Equipment") (the Land, the Existing Facility, the Facility and the Equipment hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Project Facility"), all of the foregoing to be owned by the Company and leased to tenants for residential uses and other directly and indirectly related activities; (B) the granting of certain "financial assistance" (within the meaning of Section 854(14) of the Act) with respect to the foregoing, including potential exemptions from certain sales and use taxes, real property taxes, real estate transfer taxes and mortgage recording taxes (collectively, the "Financial Assistance"); and (C) the lease (with an obligation to purchase) or sale of the Project Facility to the Company or such other person as may be designated by the Company and agreed upon by the Agency;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authorization contained in a resolution adopted by the members of the Agency on July 19, 2012 (the "Public Hearing Resolution"), the Chairman of the Agency (A) caused notice of a public hearing of the Agency (the "Public Hearing") pursuant to Section 859-a of the Act to hear all persons interested in the Project and the Financial Assistance being contemplated by the Agency with respect to the Project, to be mailed on August 2, 2012 to the chief executive officers of each county, city, town and school district in which the Project Facility is (or will be) located, (B) caused notice of the Public Hearing to be published on August 4, 2012 in The Times Union, a newspaper of general circulation available to the residents of the City of Albany, Albany County, New York, (C) conducted the Public Hearing on August 16, 2012, at 12:00 o'clock, noon, local time at the offices of the Agency located in the office of the Department of Economic Development and Planning at 21 Lodge Street in the City of Albany, Albany County, New York, and (D) prepared a report of the Public Hearing (the "Public Hearing Report") which fairly summarized the views presented at said Public Hearing and distributed same to the members of the Agency and to the Mayor of the City of Albany, New York (the "Mayor"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law, Chapter 43-B of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "SEQR Act") and the regulations (the "Regulations") adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York, being 6NYCRR Part 617, as amended (collectively with the SEQR Act, "SEQRA"), by resolution adopted by the members of the Agency on September 20, 2012 (the "SEQR Resolution"), the Agency (A) ratified the determination by the Planning Board of the City of Albany, New York (the "Planning Board") to act as "lead agency" with respect to the Project, (B) acknowledged receipt of a copy of a negative declaration issued by the Planning Board on March 15, 2012 (the "Negative Declaration"), and (C) indicated that the Agency had no information to suggest that the Planning Board was incorrect in authorizing the issuance of the Negative Declaration; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has given due consideration to the Application, and to representations by the Company that (A) the granting by the Agency of the Financial Assistance with respect to the Project will be an inducement to the Company to undertake the Project in City of Albany, New York and (B) the completion of the Project will not result in the removal of a plant or facility of any proposed occupant of the Project Facility from one area of the State of New York to another area in the State of New York and will not result in the abandonment of one or more plants or facilities of any occupant of the Project Facility located in the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to encourage the Company to preserve and advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of City of Albany, New York by undertaking the Project in City of Albany, New York; and

WHEREAS, in order to consummate the Project and the granting of the Financial Assistance described in the notice of the Public Hearing, the Agency proposes to enter into the following documents (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Agency Documents"): (A) a certain lease to agency (the "Lease to Agency" or the "Underlying Lease") by and between the Company, as landlord, and the Agency, as tenant, pursuant to which the Company will lease to the Agency a portion of the Land and all improvements now or hereafter located on said portion of the Land (collectively, the "Leased Premises"); (B) a certain license agreement (the "License to Agency" or the "License Agreement") by and between the Company, as licensor, and the Agency, as licensee, pursuant to which the Company will grant to the Agency (1) a license to enter upon the balance of the Land (the "Licensed Premises") for the purpose of undertaking and completing the Project and (2) in the event of an occurrence of an Event of Default by the Company, an additional license to enter upon the Licensed Premises for the purpose of pursuing its remedies under the Lease Agreement (as hereinafter defined); (C) a lease agreement (and a memorandum thereof) (the "Lease Agreement") by and between the Agency and the Company, pursuant to which, among other things, the Company agrees to undertake the Project as agent of the Agency and the Company further agrees to lease the Project Facility from the Agency and, as rental thereunder, to pay the Agency's administrative fee relating to the Project and to pay all expenses incurred by the Agency with respect to the Project; (D) a payment in lieu of tax agreement (the "Payment in Lieu of Tax Agreement") by and between the Agency and the Company, pursuant to which the Company will agree to pay certain payments in lieu of taxes with respect to the Project Facility; (E) if the Company intends to finance the Project with borrowed money, one or more mortgages and any other security documents and related documents (collectively, the "Mortgage") from the Agency and the Company to the Company's lenders with respect to the Project (the "Lender"), which Mortgage will grant liens on and security interests in the Project Facility to secure one or more loans from the Lender to the Company with respect to the Project (collectively, the "Loan"); (F) all building loan and other agreements requested by the Lender in connection with the Loan (collectively with the Mortgage, the "Loan Documents"); and (G) various certificates relating to the Project (the "Closing Documents"):

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF CITY OF ALBANY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. All action taken by the Chief Executive Officer of the Agency with respect to the Public Hearing with respect to the Project is hereby ratified and confirmed.

<u>Section 2.</u> The law firm of Hodgson Russ LLP is hereby appointed Special Counsel to the Agency with respect to all matters in connection with the Project. Special Counsel for the Agency is hereby authorized, at the expense of the Company, to work with the Company, counsel to the Agency and others to prepare, for submission to the Agency, all documents necessary to effect the transactions contemplated by this Resolution.

- <u>Section 3</u>. The Agency hereby finds and determines that:
- (A) By virtue of the Act, the Agency has been vested with all powers necessary and convenient to carry out and effectuate the purposes and provisions of the Act and to exercise all powers granted to it under the Act;
 - (B) The Project constitutes a "project," as such term is defined in the Act;
- (C) The Project site is located entirely within the boundaries of City of Albany, New York:
- (D) It is estimated at the present time that the costs of the planning, development, acquisition, construction, and installation of the Project Facility (collectively, the "Project Costs") will be approximately \$3,640,000;
- (E) The completion of the Project will not result in the removal of a plant or facility of the Company or any other proposed occupant of the Project Facility from one area of the State of New York to another area of the State of New York or in the abandonment of one or more plants or facilities of the Company or any other proposed occupant of the Project Facility located in the State of New York;
- (F) The granting of the Financial Assistance by the Agency with respect to the Project will promote and maintain the job opportunities, general prosperity and economic welfare of the citizens of City of Albany, New York and the State of New York and improve their standard of living, and thereby serve the public purposes of the Act;
- (G) The Agency has reviewed the Hearing Report and has fully considered all comments contained therein; and
- (H) It is desirable and in the public interest for the Agency to enter into the Agency Documents.
- Section 4. In consequence of the foregoing, the Agency hereby determines to: (A) proceed with the Project; (B) acquire, construct and install the Project Facility; (C) lease the Project Facility to the Company pursuant to the Lease Agreement; (D) enter into the Payment in Lieu of Tax Agreement; (E) secure the Loan by entering into the Loan Documents; and (F) grant the Financial Assistance with respect to the Project.
- Section 5. The Agency is hereby authorized (A) to acquire a license in the Licensed Premises pursuant to the License Agreement, (B) to acquire a leasehold interest in the Leased Premises pursuant to the Underlying Lease, (C) to acquire title to the Equipment pursuant to a bill of sale (the "Bill of Sale to Agency") from the Company to the Agency, and (D) to do all things necessary or appropriate for the accomplishment thereof, and all acts heretofore taken by the Agency with respect to such acquisitions are hereby approved, ratified and confirmed.
- <u>Section 6</u>. The Agency is hereby authorized to acquire, construct and install the Project Facility as described in the Lease Agreement and to do all things necessary or appropriate for the accomplishment thereof, and all acts heretofore taken by the Agency with respect to such acquisition, construction and installation are hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

<u>Section 7.</u> The Chairman (or Vice Chairman) of the Agency, with the assistance of Agency Counsel and/or Special Counsel, is authorized to negotiate and approve the form and substance of the Agency Documents.

Section 8. (A) The Chairman (or Vice Chairman) of the Agency is hereby authorized, on behalf of the Agency, to execute and deliver the Agency Documents, and, where appropriate, the Secretary (or Assistant Secretary) of the Agency is hereby authorized to affix the seal of the Agency thereto and to attest the same, all in the forms thereof as the Chairman (or Vice Chairman) shall approve, the execution thereof by the Chairman (or Vice Chairman) to constitute conclusive evidence of such approval.

(B) The Chairman (or Vice Chairman) of the Agency is hereby further authorized, on behalf of the Agency, to designate any additional Authorized Representatives of the Agency (as defined in and pursuant to the Lease Agreement).

Section 9. The officers, employees and agents of the Agency are hereby authorized and directed for and in the name and on behalf of the Agency to do all acts and things required or provided for by the provisions of the Agency Documents, and to execute and deliver all such additional certificates, instruments and documents, to pay all such fees, charges and expenses and to do all such further acts and things as may be necessary or, in the opinion of the officer, employee or agent acting, desirable and proper to effect the purposes of the foregoing Resolution and to cause compliance by the Agency with all of the terms, covenants and provisions of the Agency Documents binding upon the Agency.

<u>Section 10</u>. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

Anthony J. Ferrara	VOTING	
Susan Pedo	VOTING	
Hon. Kathy Sheehan	VOTING	
Martin Daley	VOTING	
C. Anthony Owens	VOTING	
John R. Vero	VOTING	

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

STATE OF NEW YORK) COUNTY OF ALBANY)	S.:
"Agency"), DO HEREBY CERTIFY that of the meeting of the members of the September 20, 2012 with the original the	ecretary of City of Albany Industrial Development Agency (the t I have compared the foregoing annexed extract of the minutes Agency, including the Resolution contained therein, held on the reof on file in my office, and that the same is a true and correct tion contained therein and of the whole of said original so far as train referred to
I FURTHER CERTIFY that (A) said meeting was in all respects duly he "Open Meetings Law"), said meeting was	all members of the Agency had due notice of said meeting; (B) eld; (C) pursuant to Article 7 of the Public Officers Law (the s open to the general public, and due notice of the time and place ance with such Open Meetings Law; and (D) there was a quorum
I FURTHER CERTIFY that, as effect and has not been amended, repealed	of the date hereof, the attached Resolution is in full force and d or rescinded.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have 20th day of September, 2012.	ve hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Agency this
	(Assistant) Secretary
(SEAL)	