A regular meeting of the County of Saratoga Industrial Development Agency was convened via public session on October 17, 2023 at 8:30 a.m. (EST) at the Saratoga County Planning Department Offices, 50 West High Street, Ballston Spa, New York.

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

## PRESENT:

Rodney Sutton Philip Klein Tom Lewis

Chairperson Vice Chairperson

Secretary

Erinn Kolligian

Assistant Treasurer

Kevin J. Tollisen Yvonne Manso Member Member

## ABSENT:

Michael Mooney

Treasurer

## ALSO PRESENT:

Scott Duffy Jeff Many Agency CEO Agency CFO

Kimberly Lambert

Agency Administrator

James A. Carminucci, Esq.

Lemery Greisler LLC, Agency Counsel

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Tollisen, seconded by Ms. Manso, to wit:

## **RESOLUTION # 1560**

RESOLUTION GRANTING FINAL APPROVAL WITH RESPECT TO A PROJECT CONSISTING OF THE ACQUISITION, RECONSTRUCTION, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF AN APPROXIMATELY 32,000 SQUARE FOOT FACILITY TO BE LOCATED AT 10 HERMES ROAD AND 30 HERMES ROAD IN THE TOWN OF MALTA, COUNTY OF SARATOGA, STATE OF NEW YORK, UPON APPLICATION OF HERMES DEVELOPMENT, LLC, AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF DOCUMENTS WITH RESPECT TO THE UNDERTAKING OF THE PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the County of Saratoga Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") is authorized and empowered by the provisions of Chapter 1030 of the 1969 Laws of the State of New York, constituting Title 1 of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law, Chapter 24 of the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York, as amended (the "Enabling Act"), and Chapter 855 of the 1971 Laws of the State of New York, as amended, constituting Section 890-h 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, improving, maintaining, equipping and furnishing of industrial, manufacturing, warehousing, commercial, research and recreation 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 "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 Hermes Development, LLC, a New York limited liability company having an address of 10 Corporate Drive, Clifton Park, New York 12065 (the "Applicant"), has requested that the Agency undertake a project (the "Project") consisting of (A) (1) the acquisition of an interest in certain approximately 20.59 acre parcels of land constituting tax map parcel 230.-1-75.12 and having an address of 10 Hermes Road and tax map parcel 230.-1-75.13 and having an address of 30 Hermes Road, in the Town of Malta, New York (the "Land") (2) the partial demolition and reconstruction of an existing 23,000 square foot structure on the Land and the construction of an approximately 12,000 square foot addition thereto (the "Facility") to be leased to G&G LED, LLC d/b/a G&G Industrial Lighting, a New York limited liability company having an address of 10 Corporate Drive, Clifton Park, New York 12065 (the "Tenant"), to be utilized in the manufacturing of industrial LED products and as the Tenant's corporate headquarters and (3) the acquisition and installation in the Facility of certain machinery and equipment (the "Equipment" and together with the Land and the Facility, collectively the "Project Facility"), (B) the lease (with the obligation to purchase) or the sale of the Project Facility to the Applicant or such other person as may be designated by the Applicant and agreed upon by the Agency; and (C) the granting of "Financial Assistance" (as such term is defined in the Act) with respect thereto in the form of exemptions from state and local sales tax and mortgage recording taxes and real property taxes; and

WHEREAS, by resolution duly adopted by the Agency on June 20, 2023 the Agency granted preliminary approval with respect to the undertaking of the Project; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has been advised that financing for the Project shall be provided by a loan from Ballston Spa National Bank (the "Lender") to the Applicant in the principal amount of \$3,100,000 (the "Loan"); and

WHEREAS, repayment of the Loan is to be secured by a mortgage from the Applicant and the Agency in favor of the Lender in the principal amount of \$3,100,000 encumbering the Project Facility and an assignment of leases and rents from the Applicant and the Agency (the "Assignment"); and

WHEREAS, in order to consummate the aforesaid Project, the Agency has been requested to enter into (a) an underlying lease by and between the Applicant and the Agency (the "Underlying Lease"), (b) a lease agreement (the "Lease Agreement") by and between the Agency and the Applicant (the "Lease Agreement"), (c) a payment in lieu of tax agreement (the "PILOT Agreement") by and between the Agency and the Applicant and (d) a project agreement by and between the Agency and the Applicant (the "Project Agreement");

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

SECTION 1. Each officer of the Agency is hereby authorized, on behalf of the Agency, to execute and deliver the Mortgage, the Assignment, the Underlying Lease, the Lease Agreement, the PILOT Agreement and the Project Agreement (hereinafter collectively called the "Leasing 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 substantially the forms previously executed and delivered by the Agency for similar-type transactions with such changes, variations, omissions and insertions as the officer so executing and counsel to the Agency shall approve, the execution thereof by such officer to constitute conclusive evidence of such approval

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SECTION 2. The Agency is hereby authorized to acquire all of the real and personal property described in the Lease Agreement.

SECTION 3. 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 Leasing 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 Leasing Documents binding upon the Agency.

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

Rodney Sutton	VOTING AYE
Tom Lewis	<b>VOTING AYE</b>
Philip Klein	VOTING AYE
Kevin J. Tollisen	VOTING AYE
Erinn Kolligian	<b>VOTING AYE</b>
Yvonne Manso	<b>VOTING AYE</b>

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

STATE OF NEW YORK	)
	) SS.:
COUNTY OF SARATOGA	)

I, the undersigned Chairman of the County of Saratoga Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), DO HEREBY CERTIFY that I have compared the foregoing extract of the minutes of the meeting of the members of the Agency held on October 17, 2023, including the resolution contained therein, with the original thereof on file in my office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of said original and of the whole of said original so far as the same relates to the subject matters therein referred to.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that (A) all members of the Agency had due notice of said meeting; (B) said meeting was in all respect duly held; (C) pursuant to Article 7 of the Public Officers Law (the "Open Meetings Law"), said meeting was open to the general public, and due notice of the time and place of said meeting was given in accordance with such Open Meetings Law; and (D) there was a quorum of the members of the Agency present throughout said meeting.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that, as of the date hereof, the attached Resolution is in full force and effect and has not been amended, repealed or rescinded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 146 day of day of love., 2025.

Chairman Joseph Joseph