

The July 16, 2025 meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Town Supervisor Tollisen in the A. James Bold Meeting Room with the following members present:

Kevin J. Tollisen, Supervisor
Paul L. Hotaling, Deputy Town Supervisor
John P. Wasielewski, Councilman
Jeremy W. Connors, Councilman
Eric A. Catricala, Councilman
Kelly L. Catricala, Town Clerk
Lyn A. Murphy, Town Attorney
Cathy L. Drobny, Deputy Town Attorney

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE and MOMENT OF SILENCE

PRESENTATION: HALFMOON HERO: DOUGLAS & FRANCES MITCHELL

Supervisor Tollisen: The first item on our agenda this evening is a special recognition for a Halfmoon Hero. The Halfmoon Hero Award is an award given to someone in Halfmoon who goes above and beyond for the betterment of the community. This is the Town's special way of saying Thank You to those who have given their utmost for the betterment of our community. Tonight, we have a special presentation for Mr. & Mrs. Mitchell, who are here with us this evening. Mr. & Mrs. Mitchell are frequent flyers here at the Town Hall. They are here weekly to donate to our food pantry. They don't do this because they want special recognition, appreciation or thanks; they do this because of their good hearts, and their love of our community, and wanting to help others. That is the epitome of someone we would consider as someone worthy of the highest esteem and to be considered a Halfmoon Hero. So, for you Douglas, and you Frances, we have a plaque to present to you as our newest Halfmoon Hero. You don't know how much of an impact you have made for the betterment of people in need. I can tell you about two hours ago, I was on the phone with one of our organizations that we regularly support from the Town level on a yearly basis for their food pantry, and they are in such critical and dire need because of the uptick in food pantry needs. The director of the organization was telling me since COVID, what they used to give out from the food pantry in a month, they now give out in less than a week. This just shows the level of need, and for you folks to be doing this out of the generosity of your own heart, is something truly generous, and we are truly grateful for this.

RESOLUTION NO.209-2025

Offered by Councilman Connors, seconded by Councilman Wasielewski: Approved by the vote of the Board: Ayes: Tollisen, Hotaling, Wasielewski, Connors & Catricala.

Resolution Introduced by Supervisor Tollisen

RESOLVED, that the Town Board recognizes Douglas and Frances Mitchell as Halfmoon Heroes for the Town of Halfmoon.

TOWN OF HALFMOON PROCLAMATION

Douglas & Frances Mitchell

has been recognized as a

“Halfmoon Heroes”

by the Town Board of the Town of Halfmoon for their outstanding dedication to the community. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell have been actively involved in supporting the Town of Halfmoon food pantry by donating nonperishable food items on a weekly basis to ensure Town residents in need do not go without. Their commitment to put others first helps make Halfmoon a better place for all its citizens.

The Town Board of the Town of Halfmoon hereby establishes this 16th day of July 2025 as a day set aside to honor Douglas and Frances Mitchell as “Halfmoon Heroes” and hereby holds Douglas and Frances Mitchell as citizens worthy of the highest esteem.

Kevin J. Tollisen, Town Supervisor
16 July 2025

Supervisor Tollisen: Congratulations to you both, and on behalf of the Town of Halfmoon we would like to express our sincere gratitude and appreciation for all that you do.

Douglas Mitchell: Thank you. I just would like to relay that every time we have been here to the Town, everyone has been friendly, courteous, professional, and helpful. We are not heroes, but more like the little Dutch boy putting his finger in the dyke. We are going to keep trying!

Councilman Wasielewski: That’s wonderful to hear.

Councilman Conners: Thank you, God bless.

Supervisor Tollisen: Truly those are people that are really the heart of our community, there is no question, so congratulations again!

The next item on our agenda is a presentation from M.J. Engineering for the water main replacement on Devitt Road to Sunset Boulevard Project. Welcome Briana from M.J.

PRESENTATION: MJ ENGINEERING FOR THE DEVITT ROAD AND SUNSET BOULEVARD WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT

Attorney Murphy: Supervisor, just for the purposes of the record, we are having a public hearing to authorize the expenditure of monies from the Water Capital Reserve , and this is the project it is for.

Supervisor Tollisen: Thank you.

Briana Fitzgerald, Design Engineer, M.J. Engineering: Good evening. My name is Briana Fitzgerald, and I am representing M.J. Engineering for this project; located

at Devitt Road and Sunset Boulevard , this area has had some frequent water main breaks, so replacing this main would be beneficial. This length is around 3,800 linear feet, and this project would include services, hydrants, and valves. There are roughly 21 water services that would be replaced within this stretch of Sunset and Devitt. This project is estimated to be 1.1 million dollars, which is to be paid through the Capital Reserves Funds, so there is no impact for the individual user costs. This project won't go until summer of 2026, and with a project of this size, it has an estimated duration of two – three months.

Supervisor Tollisen: Are there any questions of the Board? Any questions from the Public? Anyone online that would like to speak? Hearing from no one, thank you Briana.

Briana Fitzgerald: Thank you.

PUBLIC HEARING: TO DISCUSS AUTHORIZING AN EXPENDITURE OF WATER CAPITAL RESERVE MONIES FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF THE WATER MAIN LOCATED ON DEVITT ROAD to SUNSET BOULEVARD

Supervisor Tollisen: The next item on our agenda is a Public Hearing to discuss authorizing the expenditure of Water Capital Reserve Monies for replacement of the water main located on Devitt Road to Sunset Boulevard. Would anyone like to have the Public Notice read? Hearing from no one, I will open the Public Hearing at 7:10 pm. Any questions of the Board? Any questions from the Public? I will note that our Water Director is here this evening to answer any questions. Any questions online? Hearing none, I will close the Public Hearing at 7:11 pm. What is the pleasure of the Board?

RESOLUTION NO.210-2025

Offered by Councilman Connors, seconded by Councilman Hotaling: Approved by the vote of the Board: Ayes: Tollisen Hotaling, Wasielewski, Connors, & Catricala
Resolution Introduced by Superintendent of Water and Building Maintenance Supervisor Tironi

Resolved that the Town Board authorizes the expenditure of Water Capital Reserve Monies for the replacement of the water main located on Devitt Road to Sunset Boulevard in the Town of Halfmoon in the amount of \$1,090,300.00, pursuant to §6-c of the General Municipal Law.

COMMUNITY EVENTS:

The “BUY A BRICK” Program: for the Halfmoon Veterans Walk of Honor at the Halfmoon Veterans Memorial in the Town Park is now accepting orders. Create a lasting tribute for your veteran. For more information, please call 518-371-7410 ext. 2200 or visit our website www.townofhalfmoon-ny.gov.

FARMER’S MARKET: Every Wednesday from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm outside at Abele Park, across from Town Hall. Come visit our local farms, crafters, and vendors that will be on hand every week.

HALFMOON COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE PAGE: is live at www.planhalfmoon.com. Visit the website to find out more about the Halfmoon Comprehensive Plan Update.

TOWN OF HALFMOON HISTORICAL BUILDING: Historian Lynda Bryan invites all to visit and view the current display at the Town Hall, which features the Commemoration of the 200th Anniversary of the opening of the Erie Canal.

Join us for a Concert in the Park featuring The Remarkable, Irresistible Erie, Saturday, August 16, 2025 starting at 3 PM at the Halfmoon Town Park, 2 Halfmoon Town Plaza, Halfmoon, NY 12065.

On September 24, 2025, the replica of the Erie Canal Boat the Seneca Chief, will embark on its Bicentennial voyage, commemorating the historic journey from Buffalo to New York Harbor.

On October 15, 2025, the Seneca Chief will be stopping in the Town of Halfmoon at the Crescent Park on the banks of the Mohawk. More information will be coming on this exciting event!

The Historical Building is also open by appointment. Please contact Lynda Bryan, Historian at 518-371-7410 Ext. 2331 or lbryan@townofhalfmoon.org. Volunteers are needed for upcoming events: *200th Anniversary of the Erie Canal and 250th Anniversary of the Revolutionary War*.

SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION MOHAWK SQUADRON POST #1450: BBQ Chicken OR Steak Dinner Grab and Go. Saturday, July 19th, 2025. Pick up at the Post Pavilion between 4 pm to 6 pm. This is a TAKE-OUT Event only. Tickets Available June 19th, see the bartender in the lounge for tickets @ American Legion 275 Groom Road, Halfmoon. BBQ Chicken Dinner with Corn on the Cob and Baked Potato \$15.00; Steak Dinner with Corn on the Cob and Baked Potato \$20.00.

MOVIE NIGHT IN THE PARK: Halfmoon Celebrations Association Inc. presents Movie Night in the Park, Friday, July 25th, 2025 8:15 pm at the Halfmoon Town Park, 162 Route 236, Halfmoon, NY 12065. This is a free event, however, donations are greatly appreciated. Bring a lawn chair, blanket, snacks (Alcohol is prohibited on Town Property). Visit www.halfmooncelebrations.org for more information.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE: Tuesday August 5, 2025 1 pm – 6 pm at the Halfmoon Town Hall, 2 Halfmoon Town Plaza, Halfmoon, NY 12065.

CONCERT IN THE PARK: Halfmoon Celebrations Association, Inc. presents Concert in the Park, Featuring The British Vinyl Band, Friday, August 8, 2025 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm at the Halfmoon Town Park, 162 Route 236, Halfmoon. This is a free event, however, donations are greatly appreciated. There will be a 50/50 raffle. Bring your lawn chairs, blankets; dinner; snacks, (Alcohol is Prohibited on Town Property) and your dancing shoes and enjoy songs you love from across the Pond 1963-1973. Visit www.halfmooncelebrations.org for more information.

MOVIE NIGHT IN THE PARK: Halfmoon Celebrations Association Inc. presents Movie Night in the Park, Friday, August 22, 2025 8:15 pm at the Halfmoon Town Park, 162 Route 236, Halfmoon, NY 12065. This is a free event; however, donations are greatly appreciated. Bring a lawn chair, blanket, snacks (Alcohol is prohibited on Town Property). Visit www.halfmooncelebrations.org for more information.

ERIE CANAL HISTORY WALK: Saturday, September 6, 2025 at the Crescent Park. Join Town of Halfmoon Historian, Lynda Bryan along with the Town of Halfmoon Open Space & Trails Committee, as we take a walk along the Mohawk River and the old Erie Canal. Meeting place is at the Crescent Park. Golf carts will be available on the NW side of the bridge for the walk.

HALFMOON BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: Will hold a breakfast Tuesday, September 9, 2025 at 8:00 am in the Halfmoon Senior Pavilion. This gathering provides an opportunity for local businesses to connect, share ideas, and foster growth. All Halfmoon businesses are invited to attend. RSVP by contacting Terri Russell in the Supervisors Office at trussell@townofhalfmoon.org or by calling 518-371-7410 Ext. 2210.

PATRIOT DAY CEREMONY: Thursday, September 11, 2025 6 pm at the Abele Memorial Park. Military and Emergency Services Members will be participating. For further information, please visit www.townofhalfmoon-ny.gov.

TOWN OF HALFMOON'S FIRST RESPONDERS PICNIC:As part of our ongoing appreciation for those who serve and protect our community, the Town of Halfmoon is proud to host a First Responders Picnic, Saturday, September 13, 2025 at the Halfmoon Senior Pavilion. We look forward to celebrating the men and women who are committed to bravery and public safety in Halfmoon with an afternoon of food, fellowship, and a heartfelt Thank you for all that they do!

PAPER SHREDDING DAY: Saturday September 13, 2025 from 9:30 am to 11:30 am at the Town of Halfmoon Highway Garage, located at 322 Route 146, Halfmoon, NY 12065. This is a FREE service to Town Residents, but you are encouraged to bring canned items for donation to a local food pantry with a maximum of 3 bags/boxes to be shredded. Registration not required.

FALL CLEAN-UP: Tuesday, September 16th from 8 am to noon, Friday, September 19th from Noon to 5 pm, and Saturday, September 20th from 8 am to 3 pm, Tuesday, September 23rd from 8 am to noon, Friday, September 26th from Noon to 5 pm, and Saturday, September 27th from 8 am to 3 pm at the Town of Halfmoon Transfer Station, located at 322 Route 146, Halfmoon, NY 12065.

HARVEST FESTIVAL: Presented by Halfmoon Celebrations Association, Inc. and the Town of Halfmoon. Join us for this two-day fun-filled event, Friday September 19, 2025 festivities beginning with our popular and delicious Chicken Parmesan Dinner from 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm. Enjoy a live music band (To Be Announced) to round out the evening. Delicious treats from the concession stand will be available for purchase and the proceeds benefit the Character Counts Program, and the Halfmoon Celebrations Association. To purchase tickets in advance, please contact Terri Russell, Supervisors Office at trussell@townofhalfmoon.org or call 518-371-7410 Ext. 2210.

Saturday September 20, 2025 join us for part two of the Town of Halfmoon Harvest Festival, starting at noon through 7:30pm. There will be vendors, Crafters, Bounce Houses, Rock Climbing Wall, Juke Box Rebellion Band, (starting at 4 pm) and Fireworks at dusk! The 2025 Town of Halfmoon Harvest Festival promises to be a memorable one!

TRAILS AND OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE MEETING: Monday, October 27, 2025 at 7:00 PM.. The Trails and Open Space Committee is a volunteer working group appointed by the Town Board. Its purpose is to allow for continuing citizen input and advisory commentary for future trail and open space plans or projects for the Town of Halfmoon. Please Visit the Town website at townofhalfmoon-ny.gov for further information.

TOWN MEETINGS:

*If a Monday meeting falls on a holiday, the meeting will be held the next day (Tuesday).

- Town Board: 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 PM
Pre-meeting at 6:15 PM
- Zoning Board of Appeals: 1st Monday* of the month at 7:00 PM
Pre-meeting at 6:45 PM
- Planning Board: 2nd and 4th Monday* of the month at 7:00 PM
Pre-meeting at 6:15 PM
- Trails & Open Space Committee: 3rd Monday* of the 3rd month at 7:00 PM, unless otherwise announced.

REPORTS OF BOARD MEMBERS AND TOWN ATTORNEY

Kevin J. Tollisen (Town Supervisor)

Paul Hotaling (Deputy Town Supervisor): (1) Chair of Personnel Committee (2) Ethics Committee, (3) Chair of Infrastructure & Safety (Water, Highway, Building & Maintenance) (4) Co-Chair for Character Counts, (5) Co-Liaison to Comprehensive Plan Update Committee.

Councilman Hotaling: I have nothing this evening, thank you.

John Wasielewski (Town Board Member): (1) Liaison to Planning Board, (2) Chair of Committee of Emergency Services and Public Safety, (3) Liaison to Animal Control and related services.

Councilman Wasielewski: Yes, thank you. I would like to thank the Town of Halfmoon for once again hosting the First Responder's Picnic, which will be on Saturday, September 13th this year. It's a great tradition started last year, it was well attended and appreciated by the Town's First Responders.

Jeremy Connors (Town Board Member): (1) Liaison to Zoning Board; (2) Chair of Business and Economic Development Committee (3) Chair for Not-for-Profit Organizations, (4) Liaison to Comprehensive Plan Update Committee

Councilman Connors: It was a great weekend for youth sports here in Halfmoon. The teams for baseball, and Girls Softball, won their tournaments and brought home the championships to Halfmoon! Congratulations to all the boys and girls who represent Halfmoon so well, and winning these tournaments, that's big for youth sports, big for Halfmoon, and it's great for all the coaches who put in so much time and tireless effort to make sure these teams are so good, and a special note – Happy Birthday to my mom!

Eric Catricala: (Town Board Member): (1) Co-Liaison to Planning Board, (2) Co-Chair of Business and Economic Development Committee (3) Chair for Parks and Athletic Organizations, (4) Chair for Recreation (5) Co-Chair for Character Counts, (6) Liaison to Trails and Open Space Committee.

Councilman Catricala: I have nothing this evening, thank you.

Kelly L. Catricala: (Town Clerk)

Town Clerk Catricala: I have no report this evening, thank you.

Dana Cunniff (Receiver of Taxes): Chair of Committee on Residents Relations

Lyn Murphy, Esq., (Town Attorney)

Attorney Murphy: At this point, I would ask the Board to adopt a resolution for a Public Hearing regarding a moratorium for a six-month period to look into Battery Energy Storage Systems in the Town, that hearing would be August 6th, 2025 at 7 pm or as soon thereafter as the agenda permits.

RESOLUTION NO.211-2025

Offered by Councilman Hotaling, seconded by Councilman Wasielewski: Approved by the vote of the Board: Ayes: Tollisen Hotaling, Wasielewski, Connors, & Catricala

Resolution Introduced by Building, Planning and Development Coordinator Harris

Resolved that the Town Board schedules a Public Hearing in the A. James Bold room on August 6, 2025, at 7:00pm or as soon thereafter as the agenda allows to discuss adopting a local law to pass a six-month moratorium relating to Battery Energy Storage Systems.

Cathy Drobny, Esq. (Deputy Town Attorney)

I have no report this evening, thank you.

PUBLIC COMMENT (For discussion of agenda items) No one came forward.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

1. Town Justice Suchocki

Total # Cases 159 Total Fees Submitted to the Supervisor - \$23,045.00

2. Town Justice Fodera

Total # of Cases 136 Total Fees Submitted to the Supervisor-\$19,438.00

DEPARTMENT MANAGER MONTHLY REPORTS (Can be viewed at the Town Clerk's Office) Animal Control, Receiver of Taxes, Recreation & Senior Center

CORRESPONDENCE

1. Received from the Town of Halfmoon Planning Board, their resolutions passed at the June 9, 2025 meeting.

Received & Filed

2. Received from the Mohawk Towpath Scenic Byway Coalition, Inc., their 2024 Annual Report.

Received & Filed

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

RESOLUTION NO.203-2025

Offered by Councilman Wasielewski, seconded by Councilman Connors: Approved by the vote of the Board: Ayes: Hotaling, Wasielewski, Connors &. Catricala. Tollisen-Abstain.

Resolution Introduced by Town Clerk Catricala

RESOLVED, that the Town Board approves the Minutes of the Town Board Meeting of July 02, 2025.

RESOLUTION NO.204-2025

Offered by Councilman Hotaling, seconded by Councilman Catricala: Approved by the vote of the Board: Ayes: Tollisen Hotaling, Wasielewski, Connors, & Catricala

Resolution Introduced by Comptroller Sullivan

Resolved that the Town Board approves Comptroller's Report for June, 2025.

RESOLUTION NO.205-2025

Offered by Councilman Connors, seconded by Councilman Catricala: Approved by the vote of the Board: Ayes: Tollisen, Hotaling, Wasielewski, Connors, & Catricala

Resolution Introduced by Town Supervisor Tollisen

RESOLVED, the Town Board authorizes the Supervisor to enter into a land lease and easement Agreement with Green Community Development, LLC to utilize Town Property for solar energy purposes, and to authorize the Supervisor to execute any necessary documentation to effectuate the Agreement subject to the review and approval of the Town Attorney.

Councilman Wasielewski: On the motion, is this for the landfill?

Attorney Murphy: Yes.

Supervisor Tollisen: The old landfill, Lower Newtown.

RESOLUTION NO. 206-2025

Offered by Councilman Hotaling, seconded by Councilman Connors: Approved by the vote of the Board: Ayes: Tollisen, Hotaling, Wasielewski, Connors, & Catricala
Resolution Introduced by Superintendent of Highways Bryans

RESOLVED, that the Superintendent of Highways has determined that four F-350 pick-up truck bodies owned by the Town of Halfmoon, are equipment that should be sold or otherwise disposed of on Auctions International as they are no longer of use to the Town, subject to the review and approval of the Town Attorney.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Halfmoon is cognizant of their obligation to be fiscally responsible when determining the appropriate disposition of equipment that is no longer of use to the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town has consistently sought an effective way to insure that obsolete equipment is disposed of in a manner that garners the most return on the original investment made to obtain the equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Highways has determined that four F-350 pick-up truck bodies currently owned by the Town of Halfmoon should be sold or otherwise disposed of as they are no longer of use to the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town has an Agreement with Auctions International to place equipment that is no longer of use to the Town out for bid; and

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Highways has the training and experience to determine what items should be placed on the Auction website and what items should be otherwise disposed; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the Superintendent of Highways may dispose of four F-350 pick-up truck bodies by placing them on Auctions International.
2. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately.

DATED: July 16, 2025

KELLY CATRICALA TOWN CLERK
TOWN OF HALFMOON

RESOLUTION NO.207-2025

Offered by Councilman Connors, seconded by Councilman Catricala: Approved by the vote of the Board: Ayes: Tollisen, Hotaling, Wasielewski, Connors, & Catricala
Resolution Introduced by Town Supervisor Tollisen

RESOLVED, that the Town Board approves amending Resolution 14(A) that all rental fees shall be paid in either cash, money order, credit/debit card or in any other manner as the Town Supervisor shall approve.

RESOLUTION NO.208-2025

Offered by Councilman Connors, seconded by Councilman Wasielewski: Approved by the vote of the Board: Ayes: Tollisen, Hotaling, Wasielewski, Connors, & Catricala

Resolution Introduced by Comptroller Sullivan

RESOLVED, that the Town Board authorizes the Comptroller to make the attached Creation of Appropriations.

PUBLIC COMMENT (For discussion of non-agenda items) No one came forward.

Supervisor Tollisen: I will note that we have a new employee here with us tonight.

Building, Planning and Development Coordinator Harris: I'd like to introduce Ted Chesnes, he is our new Planner/Stormwater addition.

Supervisor Tollisen: Welcome Ted!

ADJOURN

There being no further business to discuss or resolve on a motion by Councilman Wasielewski and seconded by Councilman Connors, the meeting was adjourned at 7:16 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kelly L. Catricala Town Clerk

LAND LEASE AND EASEMENT AGREEMENT

THIS LAND LEASE AND EASEMENT AGREEMENT (the "Agreement") is made, dated and effective as of the ____ day of _____, 2025, (the "Effective Date"), between the TOWN OF HALFMOON, a municipal subdivision of the State of New York (together with its transferees, successors and assigns, as ("Owner"), and GREEN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT LLC, a New York limited liability company (together with its transferees, successors and assigns, ("Grantee"), and in connection herewith, Owner and Grantee agree, covenant and contract as set forth in this Agreement. Owner and Grantee are sometimes referred to in this Agreement as a "Party" or collectively as the "Parties".

1. **Lease.** For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by Owner and Grantee, upon the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, including the Payment Terms as set forth in Exhibit B, Owner hereby leases to Grantee, and Grantee hereby leases from Owner, a +/- twenty-five (25) acre portion of the 32.80 acres of real property including the air space thereon, located at 250 Lower Newtown Road, Town of Halfmoon, County of Saratoga, State of New York, and is identified as follows: Section Block Lot ("SBL") No. 279.-3-19:111, titled in the name of Town of Halfmoon by deed recorded in the Saratoga County Clerk's Office in Book 1355 of Deeds at page 387, which is more particularly described in Exhibit A-1 attached hereto and incorporated herein (the "Property"), and which leased portion consists of approximately twenty-five (25) acres and is described in Exhibit A-2 attached hereto and incorporated herein (the "Leased Premises"), and which Leased Premises and Exhibit A-2 shall be more particularly described pursuant to Section 4.1 below.

1.1 **Purposes of the Lease.** This Agreement is solely and exclusively for Solar Energy purposes (as such term is defined below) and not for any other purpose, and Grantee shall have the exclusive right to develop and use the Property for Solar Energy purposes and to derive all profits therefrom, including but not limited to the following activities (collectively, "Site Activities"):

- (a) Converting solar radiation emitted from the sun ("Solar Energy") into electrical energy, and collecting and transmitting the electrical energy so converted;
- (b) Determining the feasibility of Solar Energy conversion and a related substation on the Property or on adjacent lands, including studies of Solar Energy emitted upon, over and across the Property and other meteorological data, environmental studies and extracting soil samples;
- (c) Constructing, laying down, installing, using, replacing, relocating, reconstructing and removing from time to time, and monitoring, maintaining, repairing and operating the following improvements for the benefit of the Project or Projects (as defined below) (i) Solar Energy collection and electrical generating equipment of all types including, without limitation, any such equipment utilizing photovoltaic and/or solar thermal technology (collectively, "Solar Generating Equipment"); (ii) overhead and underground electrical distribution, collection, transmission and communications lines or cables, electric combiners, inverters, transformers and substations, energy storage facilities, and telecommunications equipment; (iii) roads and crane pads; (iv) meteorological measurement equipment; (v) control buildings, operations and maintenance facilities and building; and (vi) installing, operating, maintaining, repairing and replacing any other improvements, whether accomplished by Grantee or a third party authorized by Grantee, that Grantee reasonably determines are necessary, useful or appropriate to accomplish any of the foregoing (all of the above, including the Solar Generating Equipment, collectively "Solar Facilities"). The term "Project" or collectively, "Projects", for the purposes of this Agreement, means an integrated Solar Energy generation system, consisting of Solar Facilities, that is constructed and operated on the Property, and/or adjacent lands, by Grantee, or a third party authorized by Grantee. Grantee may determine whether any group of Solar Facilities constitutes a single Project or

multiple Projects for purposes of this Agreement, and in the case of multiple Projects, which portion of the Property shall be included within each Project.

2. Grant of Easements.

2.1 Owner hereby grants, conveys and warrants to Grantee, and Grantee hereby accepts the following additional easements upon, over, across and under the Property for the purposes of the Project:

(a) Non-Obstruct. An exclusive easement to capture, use and convert the unobstructed flux of Solar Energy over and across the Property from all angles and from sunrise to sunset on the Property during each day of the Term;

(b) Operating Easement. An exclusive easement for all activities necessary to develop and operate the Project, including but not limited to, electromagnetic, audio, visual, view, light, noise, vibration, electrical, radio interference, or other effects attributable to the Solar Generating Equipment, the Project or any Site Activities;

(c) Access Easement. A non-exclusive easement for the benefit of the Project or Projects, exercising the right of ingress to and egress from the Project or Projects (whether located on the Property, on adjacent property or elsewhere) over and across the Property by means of roads and lanes thereon if existing or later constructed by Owner, or otherwise by such route or routes as Grantee may construct from time to time;

(d) Utility Easement. An easement to extend the Utility Lines (as hereinafter defined) to the Project from existing poles or other sources on the Property where necessary, and with the prior written approval of Owners, and to use such Utility Lines for its Project.

(e) Other Easements. All other easements reasonably necessary to accomplish the activities permitted by this Agreement, including but not limited to those activities described in Section 1.1.

3. [Reserved for Substation Property Option, if applicable]. Intentionally Omitted.

4. Term. The Term of this Agreement shall commence on the Effective Date and continue for the following describe periods (collectively, the "Term").

4.1 Development Term. The Agreement initial term (the "Development Term") shall commence upon the Effective Date and continue for up to three (3) years thereafter, in order to allow Grantee time to evaluate the Property suitability for the Project and to determine the feasibility of Solar Energy (as defined in Section 1.1), including in-depth site analysis, transmission, capacity, permitting constraints and a renewable energy sales agreement, and to allow Grantee time to complete development to secure the necessary permits for the Project on the Leased Premises (as defined below) and to identify and permit any supporting improvements for the utility interconnections for the Commercial Operation of the Project. During the Development Term, Grantee shall have the right to more particularly describe the Leased Premises upon identifying areas of the Property that Grantee reasonably determines cannot be developed with the Project due to physical and/or environmental conditions (including, without limitation, wetlands, soil and subsurface conditions or resources, slopes, bedrock outcroppings or physical or environmental conditions) and/or conditions or restrictions mandated by local, State, or federal governmental agencies (other than setbacks prescribed by applicable laws and/or codes)). The Leased Premises shall be the portion of the Property used for the Project, as set forth in an "ALTA Survey" for the Project. The Parties agree to add to Exhibit A-2 the legal descriptions of the Leased Premises and Easements

upon issuance of the ALTA Survey. During the Development Term, Grantee agrees to defend, indemnify and hold Owners harmless against any and all damages, claims and liabilities that may arise from Grantee's access to the Leased Premises or the Property and/or any tests and inspections conducted by Grantee hereon.

4.2 Extended Development Term. Intentionally omitted.

4.3 Construction Term. At any time prior to the expiration of the Development Term, Grantee may provide to Owner written notice of the date upon which it will proceed with the commencement of construction activities (the "Development Term Expiration"). The Construction Term (the "Construction Term") shall commence on the Development Term Expiration and continue for up to one (1) year. "Commencement of construction" and "commences construction" as used in this Agreement means the date on which Grantee begins construction on the Leased Premises for the Project, including site mobilization, procurement of equipment, construction of the buildings and facilities, testing and commissioning, together with all ancillary equipment and subsystems necessary to produce output of electricity and all supporting improvements and other interconnections for the Commercial Operation of the Project.

4.4 Operation Term. Provided that Grantee has not fully surrendered or terminated this Agreement and Owner has not terminated this Agreement in accordance with Section 16, then upon the completion of construction of the Project and commencement of the Commercial Operation Date of the Project (in accordance with Section 4.5 below), the term of this Agreement shall automatically extend to the later of (i) the same date as the end date of the term of a executed power purchase agreement between Grantee and an established power purchaser, or (ii) the twenty (25) year anniversary date of the Commercial Operation Date (the "Operation Term").

4.5 Commercial Operation Date. The Commercial Operation Date of the Project, shall commence on the date on which both the following conditions have been met: (i) the Solar Generating Equipment is substantially complete, operational and capable of delivering Solar Energy, and Grantee has accepted such Solar Generating Equipment from its equipment supplier(s) and installer(s); and (ii) the Solar Facilities have been interconnected with an established third party purchaser's electrical system in full compliance with the interconnection procedures and applicable laws ("Commercial Operation Date").

4.6 End of Term. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Term of this Agreement shall terminate no later than 49 years from the Effective Date.

5. Payments to Owner. In consideration of the rights granted hereunder, Grantee shall pay Owner the amounts set forth in Exhibit B attached hereto (on the terms and conditions set forth herein).

6. Ownership of Solar Facilities. Owner shall have no ownership, lien, security or other interest in any Solar Facilities installed on the Property, or any profits derived therefrom, and Grantee may remove any or all Solar Facilities at its sole discretion. Except for those payments described herein and in Exhibit B, Owner shall not be entitled to any other payments or benefits accrued by or from the Project, including renewable energy credits, environmental credits or tax credits. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary stated above, Owner shall retain all rights in and to the Property outside the Leased Premises, including the rights to profits derived from timber, and crop harvest, provided, Owner's exercise of such rights does not interfere with Grantee's easements rights over the Property and operation of the Project on the Leased Premises during the Term of this Agreement.

7. Timberland and Crop Harvest Rights. Intentionally omitted.

8. Owner's Review. Owner acknowledges that Owner has been afforded sufficient time to review and understand the terms and effects of this Agreement and to submit it to legal counsel of Owner's

choosing for review and advice. Owner represents that the agreements and obligations herein are made voluntarily, knowingly and without duress.

9. Taxes and Utilities. Owner shall pay all taxes, assessments, or other governmental charges, general and specific, in connection with its ownership of the Property and any improvements exclusive of the Project as of the Effective Date of the Agreement (the "Owner's Taxes"). The amount of the 2025 ad valorem taxes for the Property itself shall constitute the Owner's Taxes that shall or may during the Term be imposed on, or arise in connection with the Property itself. Upon commencement of the Construction Term, Grantee shall be responsible for any incremental increase over and above Owner's Taxes, in taxes, assessments, or other governmental charges resulting from assessments upon the value of the Solar Facilities installed upon the Leased Premises or any other increase over and above Owner's Taxes imposed for any reason other than development of the Property outside the Leased Premises ("Grantee Taxes"). To the extent the applicable taxing authority provides a separate tax bill for the Grantee Taxes to Grantee, Grantee shall pay such Grantee Taxes directly to the applicable taxing authorities prior to the date such Grantee Taxes become delinquent. If a separate tax bill for the Grantee Taxes is not provided to Grantee, Grantee shall pay the Grantee Taxes within thirty (30) days following receipt of written demand from Owner of the amount of the Grantee Taxes with a copy of the applicable tax bill. If any such property taxes, assessments, and/or real property taxes are due and payable and either Party fails to fulfill its obligations under this Section 9, then the other Party may, but shall not be obligated to, pay the taxing authorities the entire amount due on the tax bill and obtain reimbursement for such amount paid on behalf of such Party plus interest (computed from the date of payment) at a rate equal two percent (2%) per annum. If Grantee pays taxes, assessments, and/or real property taxes on behalf of Owner that are Owner's obligation hereunder, Grantee may offset the amount of such payments against amounts due Owner under this Agreement.

9.1 Grantee shall pay when due all charges for electricity, water, gas, telecommunications and other utility services consumed by Grantee on the Property. Grantee, at its sole cost and expense shall be responsible for installation of electrical, telephone, water, gas or other utility lines from the utility providers' point-of-presence to the Property suitable for Grantee's Project (collectively, "Utility Lines"). Owner grants Grantee an easement to extend the Utility Lines to the Project from existing poles or other sources on the Property where necessary, and to use such Utility Lines for its Project. Grantee shall pay for all utility services consumed in the use and operation of its Project at the Property. Grantee shall arrange for and separately provide Utility Lines and meter its utility consumption at its own expense and establish its own accounts for its use of any utility services to the Project on the Property. In the event it is not practicable for the service provider to separately bill Grantee for its utility consumption, Grantee shall install sub-metering devices and remit payment to Owner for its pro-rata share of actual utility charges within thirty (30) days of Owner delivering to Grantee the utility provider's invoice for same.

10. Indemnity/Liability

10.1 Each Party (the "Indemnifying Party") shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and such other Party's Related Persons (as defined below) (each, an "Indemnified Party") from and against any and all third party (excluding Related Persons as defined below in Section 10.6) claims, litigation, actions, proceedings, losses, damages, liabilities, obligations, settlements, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys', investigators' and consulting fees, court costs and litigation expenses (collectively, "Claims") suffered or incurred by such Indemnified Party, arising from the negligence or intentional misconduct of the Indemnifying Party.

10.2 In no event shall either Party be liable to the other Party to the extent any Claim is caused by, arising from or contributed by the negligence or intentional misconduct of such other Party or any Related Person thereof.

10.3 Except to the extent expressly set forth herein, in no event, whether as a result of breach of contract, warranty, indemnity, tort (including negligence), strict liability or otherwise, shall either Party be liable to the other Party for loss of profit or revenues, loss of business opportunities or for any other special, consequential, incidental, indirect or exemplary damages.

10.4 In no event shall Grantee or its Related Persons be liable to Owner for property damage or personal injuries to Owner or its Related Persons attributable to risks of known and unknown dangers associated with normal day-to-day operation of electrical generating facilities, such as noise and electromagnetic fields.

10.5 Other than required pursuant to Section 17.7, in no event shall either Party or its Related Persons be liable to the Other Party for expenses incurred in such other Party's lawful enforcement of its rights under this Agreement for a default during any applicable cure period.

10.6 As used herein the term "Related Person" shall mean any affiliates, contractors, lessees, and sub-lessees of a Party, and each of their respective, principals, officers, employees, servants, agents, representatives, subcontractors, licensees, invitees, and/or guests.

10.7 This Section 10 shall survive expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement.

11. Grantee's Representations, Warranties, and Covenants. Grantee hereby represents, warrants, and covenants to Owner that:

11.1 Grantee's Authority. Grantee has the unrestricted right and authority to execute this Agreement. Each person signing this Agreement on behalf of Grantee is authorized to do so. When signed by Grantee, this Agreement constitutes a valid and binding agreement enforceable against Grantee in accordance with its terms.

11.2 Minimal Impacts. Grantee agrees to conduct its Site Activities and to locate and operate its Solar Facilities in such a way as to reasonably minimize impacts to the Property and to Owner's activities on the Property, to the extent practical, without negatively impacting the Solar Facilities. If Owner's Property is fenced, all access roads constructed by Grantee on the Property shall be gated by Grantee at Grantee's expense, and Owner shall be furnished with keys or other ability to open and close such gates.

11.3 Insurance. Grantee shall, at its expense, be responsible for assuring that insurance coverages, as would be customary and reasonable for similarly situated companies performing the work carried out by Grantee at such time, are maintained, including, without limitation, adequate coverage to cover any personal injuries or accidents that could reasonably be expected as a direct result of the Site Activities conducted by Grantee or its Related Persons on the Property.

11.4 Requirements of Governmental Agencies. Grantee, at its expense, shall comply in all material respects with valid laws, ordinances, statutes, orders, and regulations of any governmental agency applicable to the Solar Facilities. Grantee shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to contest by appropriate legal proceedings, the validity or applicability to the Property or Solar Facilities of any law, ordinance, statute, order, regulation, property assessment, or the like now or hereafter made or issued by any federal, state, county, local or other governmental agency or entity. Any such contest or proceeding shall be controlled and directed by Grantee.

11.5 Construction Liens. If any mechanic's lien or other lien or claim of lien are publicly recorded in the applicable land records' office for labor and services performed on, materials, supplies, or

equipment furnished to the Property in connection with Grantee's use of the Property pursuant to this Agreement, Grantee shall, within sixty (60) days after it receives notice of the filing of such lien, remove, pay or cancel said lien or secure the payment of any such lien or liens by bond or deposit of moneys pursuant to applicable law or provide Owner with title insurance insuring Owner's interest in the Property against such lien claim. Grantee shall have the right, at all times and at its own cost and expense, to defend, on behalf of Grantee or the Owner, any action involving the cancellation, validity or removal of such lien or liens.

11.6 Hazardous Materials. Neither Grantee nor its Related Persons shall violate federal, state, or local law, ordinance, or regulation relating to the generation, manufacture, production, use, storage, release, discharge, disposal, transportation or presence of asbestos-containing materials, petroleum, explosives or any other substance, material, or waste which is now or hereafter classified as hazardous or toxic, or which is regulated under current or future federal, state, or local laws or regulations, on or under the Property or in any manner which may affect the Property (each, a "Hazardous Material"). Grantee shall promptly notify Owner if any violation occurs.

11.7 Litigation. No litigation is pending, and, to the best of Grantee's knowledge, no actions, claims or other legal or administrative proceedings are pending, threatened or anticipated with respect to, or which could affect Grantee's obligations under this Agreement or the Property. If Grantee learns that any such litigation, action, claim or proceeding is threatened or has been instituted, Grantee shall promptly deliver notice thereof to Owner.

12. Owner's Representations, Warranties, and Covenants. Owner hereby represents, warrants, and covenants as follow:

12.1 Owner's Authority. Owner is the sole owner of the Property and has the unrestricted right and authority to execute this Agreement and to grant to Grantee the rights granted hereunder. Each person signing this Agreement on behalf of Owner is authorized to do so. When signed by Owner, this Agreement constitutes a valid and binding Agreement enforceable against Owner in accordance with its terms.

12.2 No Interference. Owner's activities and any grant of rights Owner makes to any person or entity, shall not, currently or prospectively, disturb or interfere with: the construction, installation, maintenance, or operation of the Solar Facilities, whether located on the Property or elsewhere; access over the Property to such Solar Facilities; any Site Activities; or the undertaking of any other activities permitted hereunder. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Owner shall not erect any structures, plants or other equipment, or enter into any third party agreements or amend or extend any existing agreements ("Third Party Agreements") or undertake any other activities (an "Owner Action" or collectively the "Owner Actions") that may: (i) interfere with Grantee's right to install Solar Facilities on any portion of the Property, (ii) potentially cast a shadow onto the Solar Facilities; (iii) cause a decrease in the output or efficiency of any Solar Facilities, (iv) interrupt the flux of Solar Energy upon, across and over any portion of the Property used or to be used by the Solar Facilities, or (v) otherwise interfere with Grantee's operations on the Property (each an "Interference"). Prior to undertaking an Owner Action, that may cause an Interference, Owner shall consult with Grantee to confirm that such Owner Action will not cause any Interference. If Grantee reasonably determines the Owner Action could cause an Interference, then Owner shall not be permitted to undertake such Owner Action. Owner shall not disturb or permit the disturbance of the subsurface such that may impact in any way the structural integrity or the operations and maintenance of the Solar Facilities. Grantee shall have the right to trim existing trees (with reasonable notice to Owner and opportunity to object) to maintain approximately their same height and width as exists as of the date hereof for the purpose of not interfering with the flux of Solar Energy from any angle upon, across and over the Property. Notwithstanding the foregoing,

nothing in this Section 12 or in this Agreement shall affect Owner's Rights as described in Section 7 of this Agreement.

12.3 Liens and Tenants. Except as may be disclosed in the real property records of the County, or as disclosed by Owner in writing to Grantee on or prior to the date hereof, Owner represents there are no encumbrances, leases, mortgages, deeds of trust, deeds to secure debt, or similar liens or security interests encumbering all or any portion of the Property that could interfere with Grantee's operations on the Property, including mechanic's liens nor any liens on Owner's fee interest in the Property. If any of the foregoing arise that are not caused by Grantee, including mechanic's liens that may, in Grantee's reasonable determination, interfere with Grantee's rights under this Agreement, then Owner shall fully cooperate and assist Grantee in removing or limiting such interference, including obtaining a subordination and non-disturbance agreement where Grantee deems it necessary, with terms and conditions reasonably requested by Grantee to protect its rights hereunder, from each party that holds such rights (recorded or unrecorded). In the case of monetary liens such as mechanic's liens, Owner agrees to bond over any such liens in an amount that may be reasonably requested by Grantee. If Owner fails to pay or to fails to commence efforts with commercially reasonable diligence to bond over any such liens within fifteen (15) days of Grantee's request, Grantee may pay or bond over any such liens on behalf of Owner that are Owner's obligation hereunder, and Grantee may offset the amount of any such payments or the actual cost of any bond against amounts due to Owner under this Agreement.

12.4 Requirements of Governmental Agencies and Setback Waiver. Owner shall assist and fully cooperate with Grantee, at no out-of-pocket expense to Owner, in complying with or obtaining any land use permits and approvals, building permits, environmental impact reviews or any other approvals required for the financing, construction, installation, monitoring, replacement relocation, maintenance, operation or removal of Solar Facilities, including execution of applications and documents reasonably necessary for such approvals, and including participating in any appeals or regulatory proceedings respecting the Solar Facilities. Owner hereby consents to and authorizes Grantee to sign and file on Owner's behalf all applications and related documents required for Grantee to obtain any land use permits, building permits, environmental impact reviews or any other approvals necessary for the construction, operation or financing of the Solar Facilities. To the extent permitted by law, Owner hereby waives enforcement of any applicable setback requirements respecting the Solar Facilities to be placed on or near the Property that are reasonably necessary, in Grantee's sole and absolute discretion, to carry out Grantee's power-generating activities on or near the Project.

12.5 Hazardous Materials. Neither Owner nor its Related Persons shall violate reasonable federal, state or local law, ordinance or regulation relating to the generation, manufacture, production, use, storage, release, discharge, disposal, transportation or presence of any Hazardous Material on or under the Property or in any manner which may affect the Property. Owner shall promptly notify Grantee if any such violation occurs. To the best of Owner's actual knowledge, (i) no underground tanks are currently located or at any time in the past have been located on the Property or any portion thereof, (ii) no Hazardous Material has been generated, manufactured, transported, produced, used, treated, stored, released, disposed of or otherwise deposited in or on or allowed to emanate from the Property or any portion thereof other than as permitted by all health, safety and other laws (each, an "Environmental Law") that govern the same or are applicable thereto and (iii) there are no Hazardous Materials in, on or emanating from the Property or any portion thereof which may support a claim or cause of action under any Environmental Law. Owner certifies it has never received any notice or other communication from any governmental authority alleging that the Property is or was in violation of any Environmental Law. Owner shall indemnify and hold harmless the Grantee from any actions, claims, damages or penalties arising from the violation of this paragraph and shall reimburse the Grantee for any costs, including reasonable attorney fees, incurred by Owner as a result of such breach.

12.6 Litigation. No litigation is pending, and, to the best of Owner's knowledge, no actions, claims or other legal or administrative proceedings are pending, threatened or anticipated with respect to, or which could affect, the Property. If Owner learns that any such litigation, action, claim or proceeding is threatened or has been instituted, Owner shall promptly deliver notice thereof to Grantee.

12.7 Title Insurance. Owner agrees that Owner shall execute and deliver to Grantee any documents reasonably required by the title insurance company and/or a financing party within ten (10) business days after presentation of said documents by Grantee at Grantee's sole cost and expense; provided however, in no event shall such documents materially increase any obligation or materially decrease any right of Owner hereunder. Owner shall have no obligation to initiate the process to obtain title insurance on behalf of the Grantee.

13. Assignment

13.1 Collateral Assignments. Grantee shall have the absolute right in its sole and exclusive discretion, without obtaining the consent of Owner, to do any of the following with respect to financing all or any portion of the Property: (i) finance Solar Facilities with a Lender (as defined in Section 13); and/or (ii) mortgage, encumber, hypothecate, pledge or transfer to one or more Lenders any and all of the rights granted to Grantee hereunder, including the leasehold interest easements and/or any or all right or interest of Grantee in the Property or in any or all of the Solar Facilities .

13.2 Non-Collateral Assignments. Grantee shall have the right without the prior consent of Owner (but with notification to Owner) to sell, convey, lease, assign or transfer (including granting co-easements, separate easements, sub-easements) any or all of its rights hereunder in and to all of the Leased Premises and Easements. Grantee shall remain liable for all of its obligations arising under this Agreement from and after the effective date of such transfer, unless and until such transferee assumes all of Grantee's obligations under this Agreement. Upon such transferee executing an agreement to assume all of Grantee's obligations under this Agreement, Grantee shall automatically be released from all of its obligations under this Agreement.

13.3 Acquisition of Interest. The acquisition of all interests, or any portion of interest, in Grantee by another person shall not require the consent of Owner or constitute a breach of any provision of this Agreement and Owner shall recognize the person as Grantee's proper successor.

14. Default. If a Party defaults in or otherwise fails to perform an obligation under this Agreement, the non-defaulting Party shall not have the right to exercise any remedies hereunder if the default is cured by the defaulting Party within forty five (45) days of receiving written notice of such default specifying in detail the default and the required remedy (a "Notice of Default"); provided, that if the nature of the default requires, in the exercise of commercially reasonable diligence, more than sixty (60) days to cure, the non- defaulting Party shall not have the right to exercise any remedies hereunder as long as the defaulting Party commences performance of the cure within sixty (60) days, and thereafter completes such cure with commercially reasonable diligence. Further, if the Parties have a good faith dispute as to whether a payment is due hereunder, the alleged defaulting Party may deposit the amount in controversy in escrow with any reputable third party escrow, or may interplead the same, which amount shall remain undistributed and shall not accrue interest penalties, and no default shall be deemed to have occurred, until final decision by a court of competent jurisdiction or upon agreement by the Parties. No such deposit shall constitute a waiver of the defaulting Party's right to institute legal action for recovery of such amounts.

14.1 Remedies. Except as qualified by Section 15 regarding Lender Protections, should a default remain uncured beyond the applicable cure periods, the non-defaulting Party shall have and shall be entitled to exercise any and all remedies available to it at law or in equity, all of which remedies shall be

cumulative, including the right to enforce this Agreement by injunction, specific performance or other equitable relief.

15. Lender Protection. In the event that any mortgage, deed of trust, deed to secure debt, or other security interest in this Agreement or in any Solar Facilities, or any portion thereof, is entered into by Grantee (a "Security Deed"), then any person who is the Lender of a Security Deed (a "Lender") shall, for so long as its Security Deed is in existence and until such Security Deed has been extinguished, be entitled to the protections set forth in this Section 15. Grantee shall send written notice to Owner of the name and address of any such Lender; provided that failure of Grantee to give notice of any such Lender shall not constitute a default under this Agreement and shall not invalidate such Security Deed.

15.1 Lender's Right to Possession, Right to Acquire and Right to Assign. A Lender shall have the absolute right: (i) to assign its security interest in this Agreement or in the Solar Facility; (ii) to enforce its lien and acquire title to the leasehold and/or easement estate created by this Agreement by any lawful means; (iii) to take possession of and operate the Solar Facilities or any portion thereof, to exercise all of Grantee's rights hereunder, and to perform all obligations to be performed by Grantee hereunder, or to cause a receiver to be appointed to do so; and (iv) to acquire the leasehold and/or easement estate by foreclosure or by an assignment in lieu of foreclosure and thereafter to assign or transfer the leasehold and/or easement estate to a third party. Owner's consent shall not be required for the acquisition of the encumbered leasehold, easement or sub-easement estate by a third party who acquires the same by foreclosure or assignment in lieu of foreclosure.

15.2 Notice of Default; Opportunity to Cure. As a precondition to exercising any rights or remedies as a result of any default of Grantee, Owner shall give a Notice of Default to each Lender of which it has notice, concurrently with delivery of such notice to Grantee. In the event Owner gives a Notice of Default, the following provisions shall apply:

(a) A "Monetary Default" means Grantee's failure to pay when due any fee, payment or other monetary obligation of Grantee under this Agreement. Any other default by Grantee is a "Non-Monetary Default."

(b) The Lender shall have the same period after receipt of the Notice of Default to remedy the default, or cause the same to be remedied, as is given to Grantee, plus, in each instance, the following additional time periods: (i) thirty (30) days, for a total of seventy five (75) days after receipt of the Notice of Default in the event of any Monetary Default; and (ii) sixty (60) days, for a total of one hundred twenty (120) days after receipt of the Notice of Default in the event of any Non-Monetary Default, provided that such 120-day period shall be extended for the time reasonably required to complete such cure, including the time required for the Lender to perfect its right to cure such Non-Monetary Default by obtaining possession of the Property (including possession by a receiver) or by instituting foreclosure proceedings, provided the Lender acts with reasonable and continuous diligence. The Lender shall have the absolute right to substitute itself for Grantee and perform the duties of Grantee hereunder for purposes of curing such default. Owner expressly consents to such substitution, agrees to accept such performance, and authorizes the Lender (or its employees, agents, representatives or contractors) to enter upon the Property to complete such performance with all the rights, privileges and obligations of the original Grantee hereunder. Owner shall not take any action to terminate this Agreement in law or equity prior to the expiration of the cure periods available to a Lender as set forth above.

(c) During any period of possession of the Property by a Lender (or a receiver requested by such Lender) and/or during the pendency of any foreclosure proceedings instituted by a Lender, the Lender shall pay or cause to be paid the Development Term, Extended Development Term, Construction and Commercial Operation Term Fees (as defined in Exhibit B) and all other monetary charges payable by Grantee hereunder which have accrued and are unpaid at the commencement of said period and those which accrue thereafter during said period. Following acquisition of Grantee's leasehold and easement estate by the Lender or its assignee or designee as a result of either foreclosure or acceptance of an assignment in lieu of

foreclosure, or by a purchaser at a foreclosure sale, this Agreement shall continue in full force and effect and the Lender or party acquiring title to Grantee's leasehold and/or easement estate shall, as promptly as reasonably possible, commence the cure of all of Grantee's defaults which are reasonably susceptible of being cured by the Lender or party acquiring title, hereunder and thereafter diligently process such cure to completion, whereupon such defaults shall be deemed cured without incurring any default hereunder.

(d) Any Lender or other party who acquires Grantee's leasehold and/or easement interest pursuant to foreclosure or assignment in lieu of foreclosure shall be liable to perform the obligations imposed on Grantee by this Agreement for such interest so long as such Lender or other party has ownership of the leasehold and/or easement estate or possession of the Property.

(e) Neither the bankruptcy nor the insolvency of Grantee shall be grounds for terminating this Agreement as long as all material obligations of Grantee under the terms of this Agreement are performed by the Lender in accordance with the terms hereunder.

(f) Nothing herein shall be construed to extend this Agreement beyond the Term or to require a Lender to continue foreclosure proceedings after a default has been cured. If the default is cured and the Lender discontinues foreclosure proceedings, this Agreement shall continue in full force and effect.

15.3 New Agreement to Lender. If this Agreement terminates because of Grantee's default or if the leasehold and/or easement estate is foreclosed upon, or if this Agreement is rejected or disaffirmed pursuant to bankruptcy law or other law affecting creditors' rights, Owner shall, upon written request from any Lender within ninety (90) days after such event, enter into a new agreement for the Property on the following terms and conditions:

(a) The terms of the new agreement shall commence on the date of, foreclosure, rejection or disaffirmance and shall continue for the remainder of the Term, subject to the same terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement.

(b) The new agreement shall be executed within thirty (30) days after receipt by Owner of written notice of the Lender's election to enter a new agreement, provided said Lender: (i) pays to Owner all monetary charges payable by Grantee under the terms of this Agreement up to the date of execution of the new agreement, as if this Agreement had not been terminated, foreclosed, rejected or disaffirmed; (ii) performs all other obligations of Grantee under the terms of this Agreement, to the extent performance is then due and susceptible of being cured and performed by the Lender; and (iii) agrees in writing to perform, or cause to be performed, all non-monetary obligations which have not been performed by Grantee and would have accrued under this Agreement up to the date of commencement of the new agreement, except those obligations which constitute non-curable defaults. Any new agreement granted to the Lender shall enjoy the same priority as this Agreement over any lien, encumbrances or other interest created by Owner.

(c) At the option of the Lender, the new agreement may be executed by a designee of such Lender without the Lender assuming the burdens and obligations of Grantee thereunder.

(d) If more than one Lender makes a written request for a new agreement pursuant hereto, the new agreement shall be delivered to the Lender requesting such new agreement whose Security Deed has priority, and the written request of any other Lender whose lien is subordinate shall be void and of no further force or effect.

(e) The provisions of this Section 15 shall survive the termination, rejection or disaffirmance of this Agreement and shall continue in full force and effect thereafter to the same extent as if this Section 15 were a separate and independent contract made by Owner, Grantee and such Lender, and, from the effective date of such termination, rejection or disaffirmance of this Agreement to the date of execution and delivery of such new agreement, such Lender may use and enjoy said Property without hindrance by

Owner or any person claiming by, through or under Owner, provided that all of the conditions for a new agreement as set forth herein are complied with.

15.4 Lender's Consent to Amendment, Termination or Surrender. Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, the Parties agree that so long as there exists an unpaid Security Deed, this Agreement shall not be modified or amended in a manner materially adverse to Lender and Owner shall not accept a surrender of the Property or any part thereof or a cancellation, termination or release of this Agreement from Grantee prior to expiration of the Term without the prior written consent of the Lender. This provision is for the express benefit of and shall be enforceable by such Lender.

15.5 No Waiver. No payment made to Owner by a Lender shall constitute an agreement that such payment was, in fact, due under the terms of this Agreement; and a Lender, having made any payment to Owner pursuant to Owner's wrongful, improper or mistaken notice or demand, shall be entitled to the return of any such payment.

15.6 No Merger. There shall be no merger of this Agreement, or of the leasehold or easement estate created by this Agreement, with the fee estate in the Property by reason of the fact that this Agreement or the leasehold estate or the easement estate or any interest therein may be held, directly or indirectly, by or for the account of any person or persons who shall own the fee estate or any interest therein, and no such merger shall occur unless and until all persons at the time having an interest in the fee estate in the Property and all persons (including Lender) having an interest in this Agreement or in the leasehold estate or in the estate of Owner and Grantee shall join in a written instrument effecting such merger and shall duly record the same.

15.7 Estoppel Certificates, Etc. Owner shall execute such estoppel certificates (certifying as to such matters as Grantee may reasonably request, including without limitation that no default by Grantee then exists under this Agreement, if such be the case) and/or consents to assignment (whether or not such consent is actually required) and/or non-disturbance agreements as Grantee, any transferee of Grantee or Lender may reasonably request from time to time. The failure of Owner to deliver any estoppel certificate within thirty (30) days after Grantee's written request therefor shall be conclusive evidence that (i) this Agreement is in full force and effect and has not been modified; (ii) any amounts payable by Grantee to Owner have been paid through the date of such written request; (iii) there are no uncured defaults by Grantee; and (iv) the other certifications requested by Grantee in its estoppel, are in fact, true and correct.

16 Termination.

16.1 Grantee's Right to Terminate. Grantee shall have the right to terminate this Agreement without cause: (i) as to all or any part of the Property prior to the commencement of the Construction Term, and, (ii) as to all of the Leased Premises upon the expiration of the Commercial Operation Term, effective upon written notice to Owner from Grantee.

16.2 Owner's Right to Terminate. Subject to Section 15.4, Owner shall have the right to terminate all or any portion of its rights in this Agreement after the fifth (5th) anniversary of the Effective Date if, at the time Owner's written termination notice is delivered, Grantee has not provided written notice of its intention to proceed with the commencement of construction activities on the Property. The terms "commencing construction" and "commencement of construction" as used in this Agreement shall mean that date on which Grantee begins excavation of foundations on the Property for the Solar Generating Equipment.

16.3 Effect of Termination. Upon termination of this Agreement, Grantee shall, as soon as practicable thereafter, but not later than twelve (12) months after the termination, remove above-ground and below-ground (to a depth of three (3) feet below grade) Solar Facilities from the Property. All Property disturbed by Grantee shall be restored to a condition reasonably similar to its original condition as it existed

upon the Effective Date, excluding re-planting of trees. If Grantee fails to remove such Solar Facilities within twelve (12) months of termination of this Agreement, or such longer period as Owner may provide by extension, Owner shall have the right to restore the Property and remove, or to cause removal of, any property owned by Grantee to the extent required by Grantee under this Section 16.3, and the right to receive reimbursement, less the salvage value of the Solar Facilities, from Grantee for any remaining amounts incurred for removal and restoration of the Property. Furthermore, upon termination of this Agreement, Grantee shall, as soon as practicable thereafter, but not later than thirty (30) days after the termination, for no consideration, provide Owner all Project site maps, data recordings, report and studies concerning the Project site, provided, however, that Grantee may exclude any Project data that Grantee is prohibited from disclosing pursuant to a third party agreement and/or that includes Grantee's trade secrets. In addition, Owner shall retain, free and clear, all sums paid by Grantee hereunder, without any proration, for Owner's sole account.

16.4 Removal Security. Prior to Commencement of Construction, Grantee shall provide Owner with a decommissioning plan and bond, letter of credit or other security ("Decommissioning Security") with and as required by the governing jurisdiction to ensure the removal and decommissioning of the Project. In the event the governing jurisdiction does not require such Decommissioning Security, then Grantee shall provide such Decommissioning Security to Owner naming Owner as the beneficiary thereof.

17. Miscellaneous.

17.1 Force Majeure. If performance of this Agreement or of any obligation hereunder is prevented or substantially restricted or interfered with by reason of an event of Force Majeure (defined below), the affected Party, upon giving notice to the other Party, shall be excused from such performance to the extent of and for the duration of such prevention, restriction or interference, and the Term or any other time periods herein shall be extended for such period of time. The affected Party shall use its reasonable efforts to avoid or remove such causes of nonperformance and shall continue performance hereunder whenever such causes are removed. "Force Majeure" means fire, earthquake, flood, or other casualty, condemnation or accident; strikes or labor disputes; war, civil strife or other violence; any law, order, proclamation, regulation, ordinance, action, demand or requirement of any government agency or utility; or any other act or condition beyond the reasonable control of a Party hereto.

17.2 Confidentiality. To the fullest extent allowed by law, Owner shall maintain in the strictest confidence, and Owner shall require each Related Person of Owner to maintain in the strictest confidence, for the sole benefit of Grantee, all information pertaining to the financial terms of or payments under this Agreement, Grantee's site or product design, methods of operation, methods of construction, power production or availability of the Solar Facilities, and the like, whether disclosed by Grantee or discovered by Owner, unless such information either (i) is in the public domain by reason of prior publication through no act or omission of Owner or any Related Person of Owner, or (ii) was already known to Owner at the time of disclosure and which Owner is free to use or disclose without breach of any obligation to any person or entity. To the fullest extent permitted by law, Owner shall not use such information for its own benefit, publish or otherwise disclose it to others, or permit its use by others for their benefit or to the detriment of Grantee. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Owner may disclose such information to any auditor or to Owner's family members, lenders, attorneys, accountants and other personal advisors; any prospective purchaser of or lenders for the Property; or pursuant to lawful process, subpoena or court order; provided Owner in making such disclosure advises the party receiving the information of the confidentiality of the information and obtains the agreement of said party not to disclose the information.

17.3 Successors and Assigns. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon Owner and Grantee and, to the extent provided in any assignment or other transfer under Section 13 hereof, any transferee, and their respective heirs, transferees, successors and assigns, and all

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persons claiming under them. References to Grantee in this Agreement shall be deemed to include transferees of Grantee that hold a direct ownership interest in this Agreement and actually are exercising rights under this Agreement to the extent consistent with such interest.

17.4 Memorandum: Recording. At Grantee's option: (i) Grantee may record a copy of this Agreement, or (ii) upon request from Grantee, Owner shall execute in recordable form, and Grantee may then record, a memorandum of this Agreement substantially in the form of Exhibit C attached hereto, incorporating only those non-substantive changes to the form as may be required by the applicable jurisdiction in which recording is sought and to reflect the terms of this Agreement. Owner hereby consents to the recordation of the interest of a transferee of Grantee in the Property. With respect to the Commercial Operation Term, upon request from Grantee, Owner shall execute, in recordable form, and Grantee may then record a memorandum evidencing the Commercial Operation Term, as applicable; provided that the execution of such memorandum is not necessary for such Commercial Operation Term to be effective.

17.5 Notices. All notices or other communications required or permitted by this Agreement, including payments to Owner, shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when personally delivered to Owner or Grantee, or in lieu of such personal delivery services, the same day if sent via facsimile with confirmation, the next business day if sent via overnight delivery or five (5) days after deposit in the United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, certified, addressed as follows:

If to Owner:

Town of Halfmoon
2 Halfmoon Town Plaza
Halfmoon, NY 12065

Attn: _____

E-mail: _____

If to Grantee:

Green Community Development LLC
c/o Oncore Renewable Property Group LLC
690 Saratoga Road, Suite 173
Burnt Hills, NY 12027

Attn: Joseph Tassone, Jr.

E-mail: jtassone@oncoreorig.com

Either Party may change its address for purposes of this paragraph by giving written notice of such change to the other Parties in the manner provided in this paragraph.

17.6 Entire Agreement: Amendments. This Agreement, together with all exhibits attached hereto, constitutes the entire agreement between Owner (and its respective successors, heirs, affiliates and assigns) and Grantee (and its respective successors, heirs, affiliates and assigns) respecting its subject matter, and supersedes any and all oral or written agreements. All of the provisions of Exhibit B shall be treated as if such provisions were set forth in the body of this Agreement and shall represent binding obligations of each of the Parties as part of this Agreement. Any agreement, understanding or representation respecting the Property, or any other matter referenced herein not expressly set forth in this Agreement or a subsequent writing signed by both Parties is null and void. This Agreement shall not be modified or amended except in a writing signed by both Parties. No purported modifications or amendments, including without limitation any oral agreement (even if supported by new consideration), course of conduct or absence of a response to a unilateral communication shall be binding on either Party. Provided that no material default in the performance of Grantee's obligations under this Agreement shall have occurred and remain uncured, Owner shall cooperate with Grantee in amending this Agreement from time to time to include any provision that may be reasonably requested by Grantee for the purpose of implementing the provisions contained in this Agreement or for the purpose of preserving the security interest of any transferee of Grantee or Lender.

17.7 Legal Matters. This Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the where the Property is located. If the Parties are unable to resolve amicably any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, they agree that such dispute shall be

resolved in the state courts located in the State the where the Property is located. The Parties agree that any rule of construction to the effect that ambiguities are to be resolved in favor of either Party shall not be employed in the interpretation of this Agreement and is hereby waived. The prevailing Party in any action or proceeding for the enforcement, protection or establishment of any right or remedy under this Agreement shall be entitled to recover its reasonable attorneys' fees and costs in connection with such action or proceeding from the non-prevailing Party.

17.8 Partial Invalidity. Should any provision of this Agreement be held, in a final and unappealable decision by a court of competent jurisdiction, to be either invalid, void or unenforceable, the remaining provisions hereof shall remain in full force and effect, unimpaired by the holding. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, the Parties agree that in no event shall the Term, or the term any easement granted herein be longer than, respectively, the longest period permitted by applicable law.

17.9 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which when taken together shall constitute one and the same document.

17.10 Tax and Renewable Energy Credits. All benefits and incentives that result from Grantee's development and use of the Property for Solar Energy purposes shall accrue to the benefit of Grantee, including but not limited to any reductions or credits in taxes and/or assessments, rebates, financing, federal, state and local grants, reductions in fees, and participation in federal, state or local special programs or tax districts. If under applicable law, the holder of a leasehold or easement estate becomes ineligible for any tax credit, renewable energy credit, environmental credit or any other benefit or incentive for renewable energy established by any local, state or federal government, then, at Grantee's option, Owner and Grantee shall exercise good faith and negotiate an amendment to this Agreement or replace it with a different instrument so as to convert Grantee's interest in the Property to a substantially similar interest that makes Grantee eligible for such credit, benefit or incentive.

17.11 No Partnership. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be construed to create an association, joint venture, trust or partnership covenant, obligation or liability on or with regard to any one or more Parties in this Agreement.

17.12 Waiver of Right to Trial by Jury. EACH PARTY HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ITS RIGHTS TO A JURY TRIAL OF ANY DISPUTE OR CAUSE OF ACTION BASED UPON OR ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OF THE TRANSACTIONS CONTEMPLATED HEREBY, INCLUDING CONTRACT DISPUTES, TORT DISPUTES, BREACH OF DUTY DISPUTES, AND ALL OTHER COMMON LAW OR STATUTORY DISPUTES. EACH PARTY RECOGNIZES AND AGREES THAT THE FOREGOING WAIVER CONSTITUTES A MATERIAL INDUCEMENT FOR IT TO ENTER INTO THIS AGREEMENT. EACH PARTY REPRESENTS AND WARRANTS THAT IT HAS REVIEWED THIS WAIVER WITH ITS LEGAL COUNSEL AND THAT IT KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY WAIVES ITS JURY TRIAL RIGHTS FOLLOWING CONSULTATION WITH LEGAL COUNSEL.

17.13 Approvals; Consents. Whenever any party to this Agreement is given an approval/consent right and unless otherwise expressly stated in this Agreement, any such approval/consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed. If any such approval is not granted within ten (10) days of the date on which the request is delivered, then approval shall be deemed granted. If approval is withheld, the withholding party shall state in writing with particularity the reason or reasons for the withholding of approval and shall propose conditions or changes that would facilitate approval. *[Signatures Commence on Following Page]*



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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Owner and Grantee, acting through their duly authorized representatives, have executed this Agreement with the intent that it be effective as of the Effective Date, and certify that they have read, understand and agree to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

GRANTEE: GREEN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT LLC

By: _____
Name: Joseph Tassone, Jr.
Title: Member and Authorized Representative

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

On the _____ day of _____ in the year 2025, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared JOSEPH TASSONE, JR., personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Notary Public

OWNER: TOWN OF HALFMOON

By: _____
Name: Kevin Tollisen
Title: Town Supervisor

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

On the _____ day of _____ in the year 2025, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared KEVIN TOLLISEN, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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EXHIBIT A-1

Legal Description of the Property

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EXHIBIT A-2

Description of the Leased Premises

Map of Leased Premises

[INSERT]

The Parties agree to add to this Exhibit A-2 the legal descriptions of the Leased Premises and Easements, which descriptions shall only include property located within the Leased Premises, upon issuance of the ALTA Survey pursuant to Section 4.1 of the Agreement

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EXHIBIT B
Payment Terms

In consideration for the rights provided to Grantee under the Agreement, Grantee agrees to make payments to Owner as follows:

1. **Development Term Fee.** The initial Development Term Fee shall be a fee of Two Thousand Five Hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) for the Property for the first six (6) months, all of which will be due upon execution of this Agreement by both Parties. The second Development Term Fee shall be a fee of Two Thousand Five Hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) for the Property for the second six (6) months which shall be due on or before the commencement of the second six (6) months of the Development Term. The third Development Fee shall be a fee of Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000.00) for the Property for the second year of the Development Term which shall be due on or before the 1st anniversary thereof. The fourth Development Fee shall be a fee of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) for the Property for the third year of the Development Term which shall be due on or before the 2nd anniversary thereof.
2. **Extended Development Term Fee.** Intentionally omitted.
3. **Construction Term Fee.** Upon the Development Term Expiration under Section 4.1, Grantee shall pay Owner a one-time Construction Term fee of Twenty-Five Thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) which shall be due on or before the commencement of the Construction Term.
4. **Commercial Operation Term Fee.** Upon Grantee's notice of its intention to commence the Commercial Operation Term, (as defined in the Agreement), Grantee shall pay Owner an annual Commercial Operation Term fee of equal to the greater of Twenty-Six Hundred dollars (\$2,600.00) per Acre of the Leased Premises, or Fifty-Five Thousand dollars (\$55,000.00) for the first Commercial Operation year, and then commencing the second year of the Commercial Operation Term, the annual Commercial Operation Term Fee shall increase at a rate of two and one-half percent (2.5%) annually ("Commercial Operation Term Fee"). The Commercial Operation Term Fee shall be payable annually with the first payment to the Owner due upon the commencement of the Commercial Operation Term and thereafter, payable to Owner on each anniversary thereof.
5. **IRS Form W-9.** Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, Grantee shall have no obligation to make any payment to Owner otherwise required under this Agreement until Owner has returned to Grantee a completed Internal Revenue Service Form W-9, such W-9 form to either (i) have been provided by Grantee to Owner prior to execution of this Agreement or (ii) be provided by Grantee to Owner promptly upon execution of this Agreement.
6. **Payment Instructions.** All payments issued hereunder will be paid to Owner, as set forth in this Agreement, or its permitted successors and assigns. If Owner is comprised of more than one person or entity, then all payments will be issued by a single check payable to all such persons or entities, unless other indicated below. Each person or entity holding record title to the Property hereby acknowledges and agrees that all payments are legally permitted to be made as set forth below and that no other party shall have any right to such payments or to contest the payments and allocations as set forth below. Each person receiving payment hereunder agrees to fully indemnify and hold harmless Grantee against claims by any third party in connection with its payments hereunder to the person/entities set forth herein.

EXHIBIT C

Form of Recording Memorandum

After recording return to:

MEMORANDUM OF LAND LEASE AND EASEMENT AGREEMENT

THIS MEMORANDUM OF LAND LEASE AND EASEMENT AGREEMENT (this "Memorandum"), is made, dated and effective as of _____, 2025 (the "Effective Date"), between the TOWN OF HALFMOON, a municipal subdivision of the State of New York (together with its transferees, successors and assigns, as ("Owner"), with an address at _____, and GREEN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT LLC, a New York limited liability company (together with its transferees, successors and assigns, "Grantee"), with an address at _____, with regard to the following:

1. Owner and Grantee did enter into that certain LAND LEASE AND EASEMENT AGREEMENT of even date herewith (the "Agreement"), which encumbers a portion of the 32.8 acres of real property including the air space thereon, located at 250 Lower Newtown Road, Town of Halfmoon, County of Saratoga, State of New York, and is identified as follows: Section Block Lot ("SBL") No. 279.-3-19.111, titled in the name of Town of Halfmoon by deed recorded in the Saratoga County Clerk's Office in Book 1355 of Deeds at page 387, as more particularly described in Exhibit A-1 attached hereto (the "Property"), and which leased portion consists of approximately twenty-five (25) acres and is described in Exhibit A-2 attached hereto and incorporated herein (the "Leased Premises"). Capitalized terms used and not defined herein have the meaning given the same in the Agreement.

2. For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by Owners and Grantee, upon the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, (a) Owners hereby leases to Grantee and Grantee hereby leases from Owners the Leased Premises, and (b) Owners further hereby grants and conveys to Grantee an easement and lease and Grantee hereby accepts the right, both as a lease right and as an exclusive easement: (i) the exclusive right to develop and use the Leased Premises, including, without limitation, for converting solar energy into electrical energy and collecting and transmitting the electrical energy so converted; (ii) to capture, use and convert the unobstructed flux of solar energy over and across the Leased Premises from all angles and from sunrise to sunset at the Leased Premises during each day of the Term; and, (iii) an exclusive easement for electromagnetic, audio, visual, electrical or radio interference attributable to the Solar Facilities or Site Activities; (c) Owners further hereby grants and conveys to Grantee non-exclusive easement for the benefit of the Leased Premises, exercising the right of ingress to and egress from the Leased Premises (whether located on the Property, on adjacent property owned by Owners or elsewhere) over and across the Property (i) by means of roads and lanes thereon if existing or later constructed by Owners, or (ii) otherwise by such route or routes as Grantee may construct from time to time with the prior written approval of Owners which shall not be unreasonably withheld; (d) Owner further hereby grants Grantee an easement to extend the Utility Lines to the Project from existing poles

or other sources on the Property where necessary and with the prior written approval of Owners which shall not be unreasonably withheld and to use such Utility Lines for its Project; and (e) Owner further hereby grants Grantee an exclusive easement over the Property for all activities occurring on the Leased Premises, in the Access Easement or Utility Easement that may affect the Property and are necessary to enjoy the rights granted under the Agreement for the Leased Premises, the Access Easement and the Utility Easement, including but not limited to, electromagnetic, audio, visual, view, light, noise, vibration, electrical, radio interference, or other effects attributable to the Solar Generating Equipment, the Project or any Site Activities. The Agreement contains, among other things, certain Owners and third-party use and development rights and restrictions on the Leased Premises and the foregoing easements. Unless mutually agreed upon by the Parties to extend this Agreement, the Development Term and the Construction Term of the lease and easements granted by Owners to Grantee shall expire five (5) years after the Effective Date unless terminated sooner in accordance with the Agreement. The Agreement also includes a Commercial Operation Term which, if commenced at Grantee's election, shall extend the Term of the lease and easements granted by Owners to Grantee for a period not to exceed forty-nine (49) years after the Effective Date unless terminated sooner in accordance with the Agreement.

3. This Memorandum does not supersede, modify, amend or otherwise change the terms, conditions or covenants of the Agreement, and Owner and Grantee executed and are recording this Memorandum for the purposes set forth herein and for providing constructive notice of the Agreement and Grantee's rights thereunder and hereunder. In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the terms of this Memorandum and the terms of the Agreement, the terms of the Agreement shall govern and control for all purposes. The terms, conditions and covenants of the Agreement are set forth at length in the Agreement and are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth herein. This Memorandum shall not, in any manner or form whatsoever, alter, modify or vary the terms, covenants and conditions of the Agreement.

4. This Memorandum shall also bind and benefit the heirs, legal representatives, assigns and successors of the respective parties hereto, and all covenants, conditions and agreements contained herein shall be construed as covenants running with the land to the extent consistent with applicable law.

5. Owner shall have no ownership, lien, security or other interest in any Solar Facilities installed on the Property or any profits derived therefrom, and Grantee may remove any or all Solar Facilities at any time.

6. This Memorandum may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and all of which when taken together shall constitute one and the same document.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Memorandum to be effective as of the date first written above.

GRANTEE: GREEN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT LLC

By: _____
Name: Joseph Tassone, Jr.
Title: Member and Authorized Representative

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COUNTY OF SARATOGA) ss.:

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EXHIBIT A-2

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Description of the Leased Premises

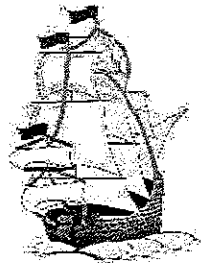
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Supervisor
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Town Board
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John Wasielewski
Jeremy W. Connors
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TOWN of HALFMOON

2 HALFMOON TOWN PLAZA
HALFMOON, NY 12065
COUNTY OF SARATOGA

(518) 371-7410 Ext. 2200 · Fax (518) 371-0936

DATE: July 16, 2025

TO: Town Board
Town of Halfmoon

FROM: Laurie Sullivan
Comptroller

SUBJECT: Creation of Appropriations

A resolution is necessary to create the project budgetary accounts within the Capital Projects Fund for the Brookwood Road Water Main Extension. The project will improve the reliability of the water supply and increase the longevity of the Town’s infrastructure. The project includes installation of approximately 3,700 linear feet of 12-inch DR11 high-density polyethylene (HDPE) water main, seven (7) hydrants, six (6) valves.

DEBIT:	Estimated Revenues	35-510	\$1,625,000
	Subsidiary: Interfund Transfers		
		35-4-5031	\$1,625,000
CREDIT:	Appropriations	35-960	\$1,625,000
	Subsidiary:		
	Transmission & Distribution- Brookwood Road Water Main Replacement		
		35-5-8340.28	\$1,625,000

Create budgetary accounts from Town of Halfmoon Water Fund:

DEBIT:	Unappropriated Fund Balance	30-911	\$1,625,000
CREDIT:	Appropriations	30-960	\$1,625,000
	Subsidiary: Transfer to Capital Projects		
		30-5-9950.90	\$1,625,000

A resolution is necessary to create the project budgetary accounts within the Capital Projects Fund for the Crescent Vischer Ferry Road Water Main Extension. The project will improve the reliability of the water supply and increase the longevity of the Town’s infrastructure. The project includes installation of approximately 2,400 linear feet of 12-inch DR11 high-density polyethylene (HDPE) water main, four (4) hydrants, four (4) valves.

DEBIT:	Estimated Revenues	35-510	\$1,283,000
	Subsidiary: Interfund Transfers		
	35-4-5031	\$1,283,000	
CREDIT:	Appropriations	35-960	\$1,283,000
	Subsidiary:		
	Transmission & Distribution- Crescent Vischer Ferry Road Water Main		
	Replacement		
	35-5-8340.29	\$1,283,000	

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