

NYS DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION & FINANCE OFFICE OF REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES



INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES

APPLICATION FOR REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION

(Real Property Tax Law, Section 412-a and General Municipal Law, Section 874)

1. INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY (IDA)	2. OCCUPANT (IF OTHER THAN IDA) (If more than one occupant attach separate listing)
Name County of Rockland Industrial Develop. Agency	Name 59 Owner LLC
Street 254 South Main Street, Suite 410	Street 33 Route 59
City New City, New York 10956	City Monsey, NY 10952
Telephone no. Day (845) 977-3900	Telephone no. Day ()
Evening ()	Evening ()
Contact Steven H. Porath	Contact
Title Executive Director	Title
 a. Assessment roll description (tax map no.,/roll year) 56.16-1-13.1/2023 	d. School District_East Ramapo CSD
b. Street address 33 Route 59	e. County Rockland
	f. Current assessment
c. City, Town or Village Ramapo	g. Deed to IDA (date recorded; liber and page)
a. Brief description (include property use) Class A O	ffice Building
b. Type of construction	
c. Square footage	f. Projected expiration of exemption (i.e. date when property is no longer
d. Total cost	possessed, controlled, supervised or under the jurisdiction of IDA)
e. Date construction commenced	2038
5. SUMMARIZE AGREEMENT (IF ANY) AND ME MADE TO MUNICIPALITY REGARDLESS OF S (Attach copy of the agreement or extract a. Formula for payment The PILOT Agreement is attached to the sum of the payment of	of the terms relating to the project).
b. Projected expiration date of agreement 2038	

 Municipal corporations to which be made 	h paymen	ts will	d. Person or entity responsible for payment
be made	Yes	No	Name
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Town/City Ramapo	\blacksquare		
Village			Address
School District East Ramapo			3
e. Is the IDA the owner of the proof of the proof of the proof in an attached statement.	operty? plain IDA	Yes 🗹 rights or i	No (check one) interest Telephone
(check one)	Yes \square	No	eceived any other exemption from real property taxation
If yes, list the statutory exemption	tion refer	ence and a	ssessment roll year on which granted: essment roll year
7. A copy of this application, incl to the chief executive official of e	uding all a	attachmen ipality wi	ts, has been mailed or delivered on 3-1-24 (date) thin which the project is located as indicated in Item 3.
		<u>CERT</u>	<u> TIFICATION</u>
steven H. Porath			, Executive Director of
Name			little
County of Rockland Industrial D	evelopme	ent Agency	hereby certify that the information
Organizatio on this application and accompan	n ying papei	rs constitu	tes a true statement of facts.
2-29-2024			
Date			Signature
		FOR U	JSE BY ASSESSOR
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5. Special assessments and	special as	valorem le	evies for which the parcel is liable:
Date			Assessor's signature

PAYMENT IN LIEU OF TAXES AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT (the "Agreement"), dated as of 29, 2023 by and between 59 OWNER LLC and 25 ROUTE 59 LLC (collectively, the "Lessee"), both being New York limited liability companies with offices at 46 Chestal Land Mart 10, the TOWN OF RAMAPO, a municipal corporation with offices at 237 Route 59, Suffern, New York 10901 (the "Town"), the EAST RAMAPO CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, with offices at 105 South Madison Avenue, Spring Valley, New York 10977 (the "School District"), the COUNTY OF ROCKLAND, with offices at 11 New Hempstead Road, New City, New York 10956 (the "County") and the COUNTY OF ROCKLAND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, a New York 10956 (the "Agency").

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the New York State Industrial Development Agency Act, constituting Title I of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York, Chapter 24 of the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York, as amended (the "Enabling Act") authorized and provides for the creation of industrial development agencies in the several counties, cities, and towns in the State of New York and empowers such agencies, among other things, to acquire, construct, reconstruct, lease, improve, maintain, equip, furnish and dispose of one or more projects for the purpose of promoting, developing, encouraging and assisting in the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, improvement, maintaining, equipping and furnishing of industrial, manufacturing, warehousing, civic, research, and commercial facilities, thereby advancing the job opportunities, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of the Enabling Act and Chapter 564 of the 1980 Laws of New York, as amended (together with the Enabling Act, hereinafter referred to as the "Act"), the Agency, which has been created and established pursuant thereto for the benefit of the County of Rockland, proposes to undertake the acquisition and financing of the project described below; and

WHEREAS, to accomplish the purposes of the Act, the Agency has entered into negotiations with Lessee for a commercial project within the meaning of the Act (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Project will consist of the acquisition of 6.52 acres of land and the construction of a new 160,966 square foot of net rentable space for a Class A office building with six floors and a basement with 446 parking spaces, which Project is located at 33 Route 59, Monsey, New York 10952, in the East Ramapo Central School District, being shown and designated on the Tax Map of the Town of Ramapo as Section 56.16, Block 1, Lot 13.1 (the land and the building and site improvements, together constituting the "Project Realty") (said land being more fully described on Exhibit "A" attached); and

WHEREAS, the Lessee has received site plan approval from the Town of Ramapo Planning Board; and

WHEREAS, to facilitate the Project, the Agency proposes to enter into a "straight lease transaction" pursuant to the Agency's uniform tax exemption policy in which the Agency will acquire a leasehold interest from the Lessee for the Project and the Project Realty (the "Head Lease") and the Agency will lease to the Lessee the Agency's interest in the Project and the Project Realty (the "Lease Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 874(1) of the Act and Section 412-a of the Real Property Tax Law ("RPTL"), the Agency is exempt from the payment of taxes and assessments imposed on real property and improvements owned and/or lease by it; and

WHEREAS, the Town and the School District have by appropriate legislative action and the Agency has by adopting the Authorizing Resolution approved the terms of and the execution of this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the County of Rockland may by appropriate legislative action, approve the terms of and execution of this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 925-I of the Act, as amended, projects promoted, developed and assisted by the Agency shall be liable for, in lieu of real property taxes and school taxes, payment of a sum equal to the full amount thereof, or such lesser amount as agreed to among the County, Town, School District, and Lessee, which sum shall be paid by Lessee to the affected taxing jurisdictions ("PILOT Payments"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency has determined that it is both necessary and desirable that this Agreement be entered in connection with the transfer to the Agency of a leasehold interest in the Project and the Project Realty and the Agency entering into a "straight lease" transaction (the "Straight Lease Transaction") with Lessee.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, and the actions to be taken by the Agency, Lessee, the Town, School District and the Agency hereby formally agree as follows, and the County upon approval, execution and delivery of this Agreement, also agrees as follows:

- 1. Lessee hereby covenants and agrees to pay or have paid on its behalf, so long as the Agency has a leasehold interest in the Project and the Project Realty, PILOT Payments to the County, Town and School District and to any other taxing entity on whose behalf any of the foregoing may levy and collect real property taxes, including fire districts, special benefit districts, and any other districts now or hereinafter created, as they now pay or would pay in accordance with the Real Property Tax Law. Specifically, the PILOT payments must be made for general Town Tax, Unincorporated Town, Town Police Tax, Town Wide Highway, School District Taxes, and Library Taxes.
- 2. The Project is to be assessed in the same manner as all tax parcels in the Town, by the Town Assessor for the Town and/or for the School District and/or for the County in

accordance with the applicable provisions of the Real Property Tax Law of the State of New York. Such assessment will or may appear upon the tax rolls under the category "Exempt Properties."

- Lessee agrees to pay all amounts due hereunder in the same manner and within the same time period as is applicable to other taxpayers in the County, Town and School District subject to real property taxes and school taxes, which is currently thirty (30) days after the date such taxes are due. The County, Town and School District shall each notify, or cause Lessee to receive notice from each thereof, of the amount of any payment due to said taxing jurisdiction. In the event Lessee shall fail to make any PILOT Payments and/or pay special district charges within the time period required, the amount or amounts so in default shall continue as an obligation of Lessee until fully paid and Lessee agrees to pay the same to the affected taxing jurisdiction or its designee, as the case may be PILOT Payments which are delinquent under this Agreement shall be subject to a late payment penalty and shall bear interest, in accordance with the provisions of Section 874(5) of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York.
- 4. Lessee agrees to make PILOT Payments for each applicable tax fiscal year for the period commencing with the applicable tax fiscal year immediately following the first taxable status date the Agency is the Lessee of record of the Project Realty determined pursuant to the provisions of the Real Property Tax Law and after the Project has received a final certificate of occupancy following the completion of construction (the "PILOT Commencement Date") expiring on the PILOT Termination Date (as hereinafter defined) in the amounts and manner as set forth herein. The period beginning on the PILOT Commencement Date and ending on the PILOT Termination Date is hereinafter referred to as the "PILOT Period." Lessee further agrees to pay PILOT payments based on partial construction, using the number listed in schedule A, annexed hereto multiplied by the then current Town and School District tax Rates, during the period prior to the PILOT Commencement date, but while the Project will be in the ownership of the IDA.
- 5. (a) Commencing on the PILOT Commencement Date, Lessee shall make PILOT Payments for each applicable tax fiscal year, with respect to the Project Realty, using as a basis the assessed value as set forth on Schedule "A" annexed hereto.
- (b)(1) Lessee agrees that the amounts payable by it as PILOT Payments for each year of the PILOT Period shall be determined by multiplying the tax rate of each taxing jurisdiction for the then current tax levy by the assessed valuation of the Project Realty as set forth in Schedule "A" attached hereto, for the tax year in which PILOT Payments are due, reduced by the percentages specified on Schedule "A" attached hereto for each year of the PILOT Period. The reduction shall be applied to each affected taxing jurisdiction in an amount equal to that percentage which the affected taxing jurisdiction's tax is to the total real property taxes for the Project Realty during the tax year in which the PILOT Payment is made.
- (2) The Parties further agree that the School District will only receive, under this agreement, fifty percent (50%) of what amounts to the then current tax rate multiplied by the

assessed value of the Project Realty, less the abatement in that year, as set for in Schedule "A", while the remaining fifty percent (50%) will be distributed under a separate Impact Fee Agreement, which only the Lessee and the School District are parties.

- (c) Assessments for local improvements, special assessments, special district charges, and any and all taxes or other assessments or charges that are not exempted pursuant to the terms of this Agreement or the provisions of the Real Property Tax Law, including but not limited to the assessments and charges referred to in paragraph 13, will be based on the assessed value of the Subject Property as set forth annually on the Town of Ramapo final assessment roll.
- 6. Lessee shall not commence any legal proceedings whether by tax certiorari or otherwise to alter the assessed valuation of the Project Realty during the PILOT Term as long as the assessed valuation appearing on the Town of Ramapo final assessment roll does not exceed \$3,250,000.
- 7. For the purposes of this Agreement, the applicable tax fiscal year for the State, County and Town Tax shall be the calendar year (January 1 through December 31) commencing January 1, following the PILOT Commencement Date, and the applicable tax fiscal year for the School Tax shall be September 1 through August 31, commencing September 1, following the PILOT Commencement Date. All PILOT payments shall be applied, apportioned and prorated as if paid in annual installments in advance in the same manner as real property taxes are paid for in connection with similar properties in the Town and School District.
- Lessee, or its successor(s) in title, if any, shall be liable to pay real property taxes, or pro rata real property taxes in accordance with the provisions of RPTL §520, from the time period commencing upon transfer of title of the Project Realty to the Lessee until the PILOT Commencement Date. Such pro rata taxes shall be levied, billed and paid in accordance with Title 3 of Article 5 of the Real Property Tax law. Lessee, or its successor(s) in title, if any, shall remain liable for such pro rata taxation notwithstanding the terms of this PILOT Agreement. Lessee's obligation to pay such pro rata taxes are in addition to its obligation to make the PILOT Payments as provided for in this Agreement, without offset of the pro rata taxes by PILOT Payments.
- 9. For the purposes of this Agreement, the term PILOT Termination Date shall mean the earlier of (i) the occurrence of an Event of Default (as hereinafter defined) after the expiration of any applicable cure period or (ii) the tenth anniversary of the PILOT Commencement Date or (iii) the date the Agency no longer has a leasehold interest in the Project and the Project Realty.
- 10. For the purposes of this Agreement, any one or more of the following events shall constitute an "Event of Default" hereunder:
- (a) Failure of Lessee to make any PILOT payments or any other payments required hereunder as and when due pursuant to this Agreement; or

- (b) Failure of Lessee to maintain the PILOT Letter of Credit pursuant to paragraph 21 of this Agreement; or
- (c) An Event of Default under the Head Lease, Lease Agreement or any other agreement executed by Lessee in connection with the Straight Lease Transaction, as determined by the Agency in its sole reasonable discretion.
- The Lessee and the Agency shall duly provide notice to the PILOT Escrow Agent (as hereinafter defined) of the occurrence of an Event of Default or an event that causes this Agreement to be terminated pursuant to paragraph 9. Upon notice of termination of this Agreement to the PILOT Escrow Agent, the PILOT Escrow Agent shall notify the parties to this Agreement of the date upon which the PILOT Period has terminated or is scheduled to terminate (the "PILOT Termination Notice"). The PILOT Escrow Agent, if required, shall calculate and apply that portion of the PILOT Payments to each of the affected taxing jurisdictions (State, County, Town and School District), as applicable, and then shall apportion and adjust the PILOT Payments to be paid with respect to such balance of the tax fiscal year in which the termination occurred to each of the affected taxing jurisdictions to an amount equal to the full real property and school taxes that Lessee would have been required to pay if it were the owner of the Project Realty. The PILOT Termination Notice shall set forth such calculations and apportionments. The Project Realty shall be fully taxable as of the PILOT Termination Date and the provisions of RPTL §520 and Title 3 of Article 5 of the Real Property Tax Law shall apply to restore the Project Realty to taxable status as of the PILOT Termination Date in the same manner as if title to the Project Realty had been transferred from the Agency. With respect to the last year of the PILOT Period, Lessee may prorate its PILOT Payments on the basis of the actual period of ownership by the Agency so that there shall exist no period of time for which Lessee is obligated to make PILOT Payments in addition to actual tax payments to which the Project Realty is subject under current law, at the time of re-conveyance to Lessee.
- 12. The parties agree that the Agency shall have the authority to appoint a PILOT Escrow Agent to perform the duties and obligations contained herein. The Agency hereby appoints the Director of Finance, Town of Ramapo, to act as the PILOT Escrow Agent. Lessee agrees to pay the PILOT Payments when due to the PILOT Escrow Agent, by check or bank draft payable at a bank in Rockland County, New York. The Town and School District consent to and agree that the Director of Finance, Town of Ramapo, shall act as their PILOT Escrow Agent pursuant to this Agreement, and shall allocate and pay to the School District and Town their respective payments as and when received.
- 13. Lessee shall also make payments to the PILOT Escrow Agent in respect of assessments for local improvements and any and all special and/or benefits assessments from the date the Agency acquires a leasehold interest in the Project Realty as required by the affected taxing jurisdiction or special district, as set forth in paragraph 5(c). Nothing contained herein shall exempt Lessee from paying all fire district taxes, special district benefits assessments or user charges, including sewer and water rents relating to the Project, solid waste charges, and other assessments or fees imposed on the Project Realty or which may subsequently be imposed on the Project Realty in the future.

- 14. The benefits and obligations of Lessee under this Agreement shall not be assigned without the written consent of the County, Town, School District and the Agency.
- 15. In the event any part of the Project is transferred from the Agency to Lessee or another party, the provisions of New York State Real Property Tax Law §520 shall apply. Lessee shall not commence any legal proceedings whether by tax certiorari or otherwise to challenge the assessment if RPTL §520 or any of its provisions apply as long as the assessed value applied does not exceed \$975,900.
- 16. Nothing contained herein shall impede or impair application of the Real Property Tax Law or taxation and/or pro rata taxation of any real property not expressly exempted from taxation pursuant to the terms of this Agreement. The provisions of Real Property Tax Law Title 3 of Article 5 apply to any real property omitted from the assessment rolls or tax rolls.
- 17. It is understood and agreed by the parties to this Agreement that the Agency, the County, Town and School District are entering into this Agreement to provide financial assistance to Lessee for the Project and to accomplish the public purposes of the Act. In consideration therefor, Lessee hereby agrees that if the Agency determines in its sole reasonable discretion that a Recapture Event (as defined below) has occurred prior to the expiration of the PILOT Period, Lessee shall pay to the PILOT Escrow Agent as a return of public benefits conferred by the Agency as follows ("Recapture Benefits"):
- (a) one hundred percent (100%) of the Benefits (as defined below) if the Recapture Event occurs within the first four (4) years after the Commencement Date;
- (b) eighty percent (80%) of the Benefits if the Recapture Event occurs during the 5th or 6th year after the Commencement Date; and
- (c) sixty percent (60%) of the Benefits if the Recapture Event occurs during the 7th or 8th year after the Commencement Date; and
- (d) forty percent (40%) of the Benefits if the Recapture Event occurs during the 9th year after the Commencement Date; and
- (e) zero percent (0%) of the Benefits if the Recapture Event occurs during the 10th year or thereafter after the Commencement Date.

The PILOT Escrow Agent shall then allocate and pay to the County, Town and School District their respective share of the Benefits when received.

The term "Benefits" shall mean, collectively all real estate tax benefits which have accrued to the benefit of Lessee during such time as the Agency was the lessee of the Project Realty by reason of the Agency's leasehold interest, such tax benefits to be computed by subtracting the PILOT Payments in any other assessments or payments paid by Lessee hereunder from those payments which Lessee would have been required to pay if Lessee had been the

owner of the Project Realty with no Agency participation, including interest and penalties thereupon.

The term "Recapture Event" shall mean any of the following events, as determined by the Agency in its sole reasonable discretion:

- (a) Lessee shall have liquidated its operations and/or assets (absent a showing of extreme hardship);
- (b) Lessee shall have ceased all or substantially all of its operations at the Project Realty (whether by relocation to another facility, or otherwise or whether to another location, either within or outside of the County);
- (c) Lessee shall have transferred all or substantially all of its employees currently employed at the Project to a location outside of the County;
- (d) Lessee shall have effected a substantial change in the scope and the nature of the operations of Lessee at the Project Realty;
- (e) Lessee shall have subleased all or any portion of the Land without the prior written consent of the Agency, except in connection with a sublease to any corporation or other entity which shall be an affiliate, subsidiary or parent of Lessee;
- (f) Lessee shall have sold, leased, transferred or otherwise disposed of all or substantially all of its interest in the Project Realty, except in connection with a transfer or other disposition to any corporation or other entity into or with which Lessee may be merged or consolidated or to any corporation or other entity which shall be an affiliate, subsidiary, parent or successor of Lessee;
- (g) Lessee shall have defaulted under the terms of the Head Lease or Lease Agreements or under any document executed by Lessee in connection with the Straight Lease Transaction; or
 - (h) An Event of Default shall have occurred under this Agreement.

For purposes of subparagraphs (e) and (f), an affiliate, subsidiary or parent shall mean any corporation or other entity which, directly or indirectly, controls or is controlled by or is under common control with Lessee. A successor of Lessee shall mean (i) a corporation or other entity into which or with which Lessee, its corporate successors or assigns, is merged or consolidated, provided that by operation of law or by effective provisions contained in the instruments of merger or consolidation, the liabilities of the entities participating in such merger or consolidation are assumed by the entities surviving such merger or created by such consolidation, or (ii) a corporation or other entity which acquires all or substantially all of the property and assets of Lessee and assumes all the obligations and liabilities of Lessee under any promissory notes issued in connection with the Project and under the Lease.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a Recapture Event shall not be deemed to have occurred if the Recapture Event shall have arisen as a direct, immediate result of (i) a taking or condemnation by governmental authority of all or substantially all of the Project Realty, or (ii) the inability at law of Lessee to rebuild, repair, restore or replace the Project Realty after the occurrence of a Loss Event (as that term is defined in the Lease Agreement) to substantially the same condition prior to such Loss Event, which inability shall have arisen in good faith through no fault on the part of Lessee or any affiliate.

Lessee covenants and agrees to furnish the Agency with written notification upon any Recapture Event or disposition of the Project Realty or any portion thereof, which notification shall set forth the terms of such Recapture Event and/or disposition. The Agency covenants and agrees to provide the assessment reports required pursuant to General Municipal Law section 874(12) to the Town and School District, which reports shall be provided to the Town and School District at least annually.

The provisions of this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement for any reason whatsoever, notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary.

- 18. Lessee specifically understands and agrees that the benefits provided in this Agreement apply to the Project. Any additional construction by Lessee, any sublessee or any third party upon the Project Realty shall not be entitled to the benefits of this Agreement without the prior written consent of the Agency, School District, Town and County.
- 19. The County, Town and School District will provide all services to the Project which they would provide if the Project were subject to the payment of full taxes and all assessments and not exempt from any thereof.
- 20. Obligations arising out of this Agreement are solely the responsibility of Lessee and not the Agency and are payable out of receipts, funds or other monies of Lessee.
- As security for the PILOT Payments or other payments required pursuant to this Agreement, Lessee shall obtain a direct pay letter of credit ("PILOT Letter of Credit") in an amount equal to the real estate taxes and school taxes which would be due and payable with respect to the first year of the PILOT Period if Lessee were the record owner of the Project. Such Letter of Credit will be based on the assessment in the final year of the PILOT agreement, as demonstrated in Schedule "A" and shall be based on the Town, County and School tax rates for the 2022 assessment year.

PILOT Letter of Credit shall mean a letter of credit in favor of the PILOT Escrow Agent that (i) is issued by a bank authorized to do business in the State and whose long-term unsecured obligations are rated at least A- by Standard & Poor's Rating Services ("S&P") and A3 by Moody's Investors Service ("Moody's"), (ii) having at the time of delivery, a term of at least one year, (iii) authorizes the PILOT Escrow Agent to draw up to the full amount thereof upon receipt by the issuing bank (the "Issuing Bank") of a certification signed by the PILOT Escrow Agent that amounts payable by Lessee under this Agreement are past due, (iv) authorizes the PILOT Escrow Agent to draw up to the full amount thereof at any time during the fifteen-day period

prior to the expiration thereof if the then-existing PILOT Letter of Credit has not been extended for a term of one year or replaced by a substitute PILOT Letter of Credit satisfactory to the PILOT Escrow Agent on or prior to such fifteen-day period and (v) authorizes the PILOT Escrow Agent to draw up to the full amount thereof if, within thirty (30) days following receipt by Lessee of notice from the PILOT Escrow Agent that the long-term unsecured obligations of the issuer of the PILOT Letter of Credit have fallen below A- by S&P or A3 by Moody's and Lessee shall not have delivered to the PILOT Escrow Agent a replacement PILOT Letter of Credit satisfactory to the PILOT Escrow Agent and the Agency.

The PILOT Escrow Agent's recourse against the PILOT Letter of Credit shall neither limit nor preclude the Agency, County, Town and School District from exercising any and all remedies available under this Agreement by reason of Lessee's failure to make any payments due under this Agreement. The PILOT Letter of Credit shall be in a form and provide for terms reasonably customarily provided in similar letters of credit and in a form satisfactory to the PILOT Escrow Agent and the Agency.

- Agency, the County, Town and School District, and any director, member, officer, employee, servant or agent thereof and persons under the control or supervision of the Agency, County, Town and School District (collectively, the "Indemnified Parties" and each "Indemnified Party") harmless of, from and against any and all claims (whether in tort, contract or otherwise), demands, expenses and liabilities for losses, damage, injury and liability of every kind and nature and however caused, and taxes (of any kind and by whomsoever imposed), other than, with respect to each Indemnified Party, losses arising from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Indemnified Party, resulting from, arising out of, or in any way connected with the execution and delivery by the Indemnified Party or Lessee or performance by the Indemnified Party or Lessee of any of its duties and obligations under this Agreement, or the enforcement of any of the terms hereof or the transactions contemplated hereby.
- (b) Lessee agrees to indemnify and hold the Indemnified Parties harmless against any attorney's fees, expense, loss, damage, injury or liability incurred because of any lawsuit commenced as a result of action taken by any Indemnified Party with respect to any of the matters set forth in this Agreement, including enforcement of any of the provisions of this Agreement.
- 23. In the event PILOT Payments are not made by Lessee, and after written notice to the Lessee of non-payment and a fifteen (15) day period to cure the non-payment, the County, Town, School District, and/or Agency, collectively or individually, shall have the right and may commence legal action to enforce the payment terms of this PILOT agreement. Lessee shall be responsible to the PILOT Escrow Agent, County, Town, School District, and/or Agency for all reasonable attorneys' fees and/or costs they incur, individually or collectively, in enforcing the payment terms of this PILOT Agreement.
- 24. This Agreement may not be modified, amended, supplanted or changed without the written consent of Lessee, the County, Town, School District and the Agency. If any term or

provision of the Lease Agreement conflicts with any term or provision of this Agreement, the terms and provisions of this Agreement shall control.

- 25. This Agreement may be executed by one or more parties in two or more counterparts each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.
- 26. All notices, certificates or other communications hereunder shall be sufficient if sent (i) by registered or certified United States mail, postage prepaid, (ii) by a nationally recognized overnight delivery service, charges prepaid or (iii) by hand delivery, addressed, as follows:
 - (a) if to the Agency, to the Chairperson, County of Rockland Industrial Development Agency, 254 South Main Street, Suite 401, New York 10956 with a copy to the Executive Director of the Agency at the same address, and

(b)	if to Lessee, to	,]	New	York	
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- (c) if to School District, to East Ramapo Central School District, 105 South Madison Avenue, Spring Valley, New York 10977, Attention: Superintendent.
- (d) if to Town, to Town of Ramapo, 237 Route 59, Suffern, New York 10901 Attention: Supervisor.
- (e) if to County, to Rockland County, County Office Building, 11 New Hempstead Road, New City, New York 10956, Attention: County Executive.
- if to PILOT Escrow Agent, to The Director of Finance, Town of Ramapo, 237 Route 59, Suffern, New York 10901.

The Agency, County, Town, School District, Lessee or PILOT Escrow Agent may, by like notice, designate any further or different addresses to which subsequent notices, certificates or other communications shall be sent. Any notice, certificate or other communication hereunder shall, except as may expressly be provided herein, be deemed to have been delivered or given (i) five (5) Business Days following posting if transmitted by mail, (ii) one (1) Business Day following sending if transmitted by a nationally recognized overnight delivery service, or (iii) upon delivery if given by hand delivery; provided that refusal by an Authorized Representative of the intended recipient party to accept delivery of a notice given as prescribed above shall constitute delivery hereunder. Notices may also be given in compliance with this Agreement by telecopy, provided that the recipient party consents to the use of telecopy transmissions for giving of notices hereunder and receipt of any such telecopy transmission is confirmed by the transmitting party.

- 27. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of New York, without regard of giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law thereof.
- 28. The parties do hereby expressly waive all rights to trial by jury on any cause of action directly or indirectly involving the terms, covenants or conditions of this Agreement or any matters whatsoever arising out of, or in any way connected, with this Agreement and the venue for any such action shall be the Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of Rockland.
- 29. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, the Lessee acknowledges and agrees that the County is a party to this Agreement solely for notice and collection/payment purposes. Lessee agrees to pay the full amount of the County tax which Lessee would have paid if the Agency were not involved in the project and based on the assessed valuation then appearing on the Town of Ramapo final assessment roll and not the abated PILOT assessment in Schedule "A" annexed hereto. Lessee further agrees that if the County payment is not paid when due, it shall be subject to a late payment penalty and shall bear interest in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 3 of this Agreement. The payment to the County is to be paid at the same time that County tax payments would otherwise be due and paid directly to the County by the Lessee, whether upon receipt of a tax bill or, other document calculating the payment
- 30. This Agreement shall become legal, valid, binding and effective upon each of the Agency, Lessee, the Town, and the School District upon the execution and delivery of this Agreement by each of the Agency, Lessee, the Town, and the School District, regardless of whether the County has executed this Agreement. Such date is referred to herein as the "Effective Date". This Agreement shall become legal, valid, binding and effective upon the County upon the execution and delivery of this Agreement by all of the foregoing and by the County.

(Signature Pages to Follow)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be executed in their respective names on their behalf and attested by their duly authorized officers, all as of the day and year first above written.

ATTEST/WITNESS	By: Name TBRACUFED Title: AUHORIZED SIGNATORY
ATTEST/WITNESS	By: Name: J BRACKFELD Title: BUTHORDED SHAPPY
ATTEST/WITNESS	TOWN OF RAMAPO By:
*	Name: Michael B. Specht Title: Supervisor
ATTEST WITNESS:	EAST RAMAPO CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
	By: Name: Shimon Rose Title: President, Board of Education

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, Clerk to the Rockland County Legislature	By: Name: Edwin J. Day Title: County Executive
ATTEST WITNESS:	By: Name: Steven H. Porath Title: Executive Director
ACCEPTED AND CONSENTED TO: PILOT ESCROW AGENT	
Director of Finance TOWN OF RAMAPO	0

JOHN LYNCH

By:

LESSEE	
STATE OF New York) COUNTY OF Rockland)	
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TOWN OF RAMAPO- SU	<u>PERVISOR</u>
STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF ROCKLAND))ss.:
On the <u>29th</u> day of public in and for said state, me or proved to me on the subscribed to the within ins	in the year 2024 before me, the undersigned, a notary personally appeared MICHAEL B. SPECHT, personally known to basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is trument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his nature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of

DYLAN CHRISTOPHER HARRIS
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 02HA6322770
Qualified in Ulster County
Commission Expires 04/13/20

SCHOOL DISTRICT - PRESIDENT
STATE OF NEW YORK))ss.:
COUNTY OF ROCKLAND)
On the 25th day of February in the year 2024 before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for said state, personally appeared SHIMON ROSE, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument. Kathleen D. Kivi Notary Public, State of New York
Reg. No. 01Kl6433038 Qualified in Rockland County Commission Expires May 9, 2024 Notary Public
COUNTY OF ROCKLAND – COUNTY EXECUTIVE
STATE OF NEW YORK))ss.:
COUNTY OF ROCKLAND)
On the day of in the year 2023 before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for said state, personally appeared EDWIN J. DAY, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.
Notary Public

COUNTY OF ROCKLAND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

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

On the day of the day of in the year 2024 before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for said state, personally appeared STEVEN H. PORATH, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

Notary Public

TOWN OF RAMAPO DIRECTOR OF FINANCE RUDOLPH O. ZODDA III
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 02ZO5087989
Qualified in Rockland County
Commission Expires Nov. 10,

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

On the 29th day of fine in the year 2024 before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for said state, personally appeared John Lynch, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

Notary Public

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SCHEDULE A

PILOT TERMS

Following the PILOT Commencement Date, as defined in this Agreement, the terms of the PILOT shall be as follows:

The first year after entering into this agreement will involve partial construction of the project with no Certificate of Occupancy and the value under this agreement for the 2024 year will be \$644,000. The following year, beginning with the 2025 assessment roll, the PILOT term shall begin and be 15 years, with an assessed value of \$1,625,000 for year 1, \$2,437,500 for year 2, and \$3,250,000 for years 3-15. Additionally, there will be a partial abatement for each year as follows:

Dev. Yr.	Tax Year	,	AV	PILOT Red.
1	2024	\$	1,625,000.00	35%
2	2025	\$	2,437,500.00	35%
3	2026	\$	3,250,000.00	35%
4	2027	\$	3,250,000.00	35%
5	2028	\$	3,250,000.00	35%
6	2029	\$	3,250,000.00	30%
7	2030	\$	3,250,000.00	30%
8	2031	\$	3,250,000.00	30%
9	2032	\$	3,250,000.00	30%
10	2033	\$	3,250,000.00	30%
11	2034	\$	3,250,000.00	25%
12	2035	\$	3,250,000.00	25%
13	2036	\$	3,250,000.00	20%
14	2037	\$	3,250,000.00	20%
15	2038	\$_	3,250,000.00	15%

SCHEDULE B

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

(See Attached)

Old Republic National Title Insurance Company

Title No.: MTANY-160926

SCHEDULE A CONTINUED

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

AMENDED 07/21/2021

ALL that said piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Town of Ramapo, County of Rockland, and State of New York being shown as Lot #1 on a map entitled "Subdivision Plat of Town Square Offices" prepared by Sparaco & Youngblood, PLLC and filed in the Rockland County Clerk's Office on March 25, 2021 as map number 8532 being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a Rockland County Monument found at the current southwesterly terminus of Secora Road, said point being a point in common with the southeast corner of the parcel herein to be described and being a point in common with an angle point in the northerly line of Lot #2 on the aforementioned map; and

RUNNING THENCE from said point of beginning the following 6 courses and distances along Lot #2:

- 1. On a curve bearing to the left having a radius of 75.00 feet for a distance of 11.44 feet, with a chord bearing of south 78 degrees 12 minutes 57 seconds west and a chord length of 11.43 feet to a point of tangency;
- 2. South 73 degrees 50 minutes 49 seconds west for a distance of 98.70 feet to a point of tangency;
- 3. On a curve bearing to the right having a radius of 125.00 feet for a distance of 16.89 feet;
- 4. South 81 degrees 35 minutes 16 seconds west for a distance of 432.47 feet to a point of tangency;
- 5. On a curve bearing to the right having a radius of 125.00 feet for a distance of 119.52 feet;
- 6. North 43 degrees 37 minutes 49 seconds west for a distance of 79.81 feet to a point on the line of lands now or formerly of HB Rockland Associates, LLC (Tax Lot #56.16-1-10);

THENCE the following 7 courses and distances along lands now or formerly of HB Rockland Associates, LLC:

- 1. North 46 degrees 22 minutes 11 seconds east for a distance of 214.05 feet to a point;
- 2. North 42 degrees 59 minutes 01 seconds east for a distance of 57.90 feet to a point;
- 3. North 33 degrees 22 minutes 31 seconds east for a distance of 47.89 feet to a point;
- 4. North 19 degrees 48 minutes 00 seconds east for a distance of 67.44 feet to a point;
- 5. North 14 degrees 04 minutes 40 seconds east for a distance of 78.20 feet to a point;
- 6. North 13 degrees 51 minutes 00 seconds east for a distance of 146.00 feet to a point;
- 7. North 08 degrees 41 minutes 21 seconds west for a distance of 94.51 feet to a point on the southerly side of NYS Rout 59 (aka Alturas Road);

THENCE south 81 degrees 30 minutes 01 seconds east for a distance of 199.45 feet along the southerly side of NYS Route 59 to a point in common with the northwesterly corner of lands now or formerly of All Fresh Farm Inc. (Tax Lot #56.16-1-12);

THENCE the following 2 courses along lands now or formerly of All Fresh Farms Inc.:

- 1. South 08 degrees 24 minutes 44 seconds east for a distance of 300.00 feet to a point;
- 2. North 81 degrees 35 minutes 16 seconds east for a distance of 144.79 feet to a point in common with the southeasterly corner of All Fresh Farms Inc. said point being a point on the westerly line of lands now or formerly

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of Ensign Realty Associates, LLC (Tax Lot #56.60-1-1);

THENCE south 07 degrees 24 minutes 54 seconds east for a distance of 359.95 feet along lands now or formerly of Ensign Realty Associates, LLC and the westerly terminus of Secora Road to a point, said point being the point or place of BEGINNING

NOTE: Being Section 56.16, Block(s) 1, Lot(s) 13.1, Tax Map of the Town of Ramapo, County of Rockland.

NOTE: Lot and Block shown for informational purposes only.

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