

RESOLUTION
(HVADC)

A special meeting of the Sullivan County Funding Corporation (“SCFC”) was convened via telephone conference on July 13, 2020, at 11:20 a.m., local time.

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

	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Ira Steingart	[]	[]
Suzanne Loughlin	[]	[]
Edward T. Sykes	[]	[]
Howard Siegel	[]	[]
Scott Smith	[]	[]
Paul Guenther	[]	[]
Joseph Perrello	[]	[]
Carol Roig	[]	[]

The following persons were also present:

Jennifer M. Flad, Executive Director
Julio Garaicoechea, Project Manager
Deborah Nola, Accounting and Financial Analyst
Walter F. Garigliano, General Counsel

The following resolution was duly offered by _____, and seconded by _____, to wit:

Resolution No. ____ - 20

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CHAIRMAN OR CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER AN AGRIBUSINESS AGREEMENT WITH HUDSON VALLEY AGRIBUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (“HVADC”) COMMENCING JULY 1, 2020 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2023

WHEREAS, HVADC’s mission is to enhance the agricultural sector in the Hudson Valley by assisting both new and existing agri-businesses, and supporting policies and regulations that recognize and support New York State’s agricultural economy; and

WHEREAS, HVADC’s programs are designed to support growth and development of agriculture and related industries by providing agribusiness technical assistance, project planning and development services, agricultural development support and capital access planning; and

WHEREAS, SCFC recognizes the importance of farming and related agricultural businesses on the County’s economy; and

WHEREAS, SCFC has determined that HVADC’s corporate purpose is closely aligned with SCFC’s mission of encouraging economic development in Sullivan County, including farms and related agricultural businesses; and

WHEREAS, SCFC wishes to provide financial support to HVADC.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by SCFC as follows:

Section 1. SCFC is hereby authorized to execute and deliver the Agribusiness Agreement with HVADC for the period commencing July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2023.

Section 2. The Chairman or Chief Executive Officer of SCFC, each acting individually, are each hereby authorized, on behalf of SCFC, to execute and deliver the Agribusiness Agreement.

Section 3. The officers, employees and agents of SCFC are hereby authorized and directed for and in the name and on behalf of SCFC to do all acts and things required and to execute and deliver all such certificates, instruments, documents, and to pay all such fees, charges and expenses and to do all such further acts and things as may be necessary or in the opinion of the officer, employee or agent acting on behalf of SCFC desirable and proper to effect the purposes of the foregoing resolutions and to cause compliance by SCFC with all the terms, covenants and provisions of the documents for and on behalf of SCFC.

Section 4. These resolutions shall take effect immediately.

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

Ira Steingart	[] Yes	[] No	[] Absent	[] Abstain
Suzanne Loughlin	[] Yes	[] No	[] Absent	[] Abstain
Edward T. Sykes	[] Yes	[] No	[] Absent	[] Abstain
Howard Siegel	[] Yes	[] No	[] Absent	[] Abstain
Scott Smith	[] Yes	[] No	[] Absent	[] Abstain
Paul Guenther	[] Yes	[] No	[] Absent	[] Abstain
Joseph Perrello	[] Yes	[] No	[] Absent	[] Abstain
Carol Roig	[] Yes	[] No	[] Absent	[] Abstain

The resolutions were thereupon duly adopted.

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

I, the undersigned (Assistant) Secretary of the Sullivan County Funding Corporation, DO HEREBY CERTIFY:

That I have compared the annexed extract of the minutes of the meeting of the Sullivan County Funding Corporation (“SCFC”), including the resolutions contained therein, held on July 13, 2020, with the original thereof on file in my office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the proceedings of SCFC and of such resolutions set forth therein and of the whole of said original insofar as the same related to the subject matters therein referred to.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that public notice of the time and place of said meeting was duly given in accordance with Article 7 of the New York Public Officers Law, that all members of SCFC had due notice of the meeting and that the meeting was in all respects duly held.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on this 13th day of July, 2020.

Secretary