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# SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES January 9, 2023

#### I. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Loughlin called to order the special meeting of the Sullivan County Funding Corporation at approximately 11:23 AM in the Legislative Hearing Room at the Sullivan County Government Center, 100 North Street, Monticello, New York 12701.

#### II. ROLL CALL

**Members Present-**Suzanne Loughlin

**Edward Sykes** 

Howard Siegel

Carol Roig

Scott Smith

## **Members Absent-**

Paul Guenther Sean Brooks

Staff Absent-

None

Philip Vallone (\*By Telephone)

## **Staff Present-**

John Kiefer, Chief Executive Officer Jennifer Flad, Executive Director Julio Garaicoechea, Project Manager Bethanii Padu, Economic Development Coordinator

#### **Others Present-**

Walter Garigliano, Agency Counsel Loreen Gebelein, Sullivan County Center for Workforce Development Ken Walter

#### III. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

On a motion made by Mr. Smith, and seconded by Ms. Roig, the Board approved the minutes of the December 12, 2022 Special Meeting.

#### IV. BILLS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Ms. Flad presented a Schedule of Payments showing two interim expenses approved and paid since the last meeting on December 12, 2022 totaling \$4,358.70.

#### V. OUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Ms. Flad presented a Quarterly Financial Report. Ms. Flad noted that the Landfill Expansion Parcel was booked as income in a prior year and is being expensed in the current year. On a motion made by Mr. Sykes, and seconded by Mr. Siegel, the Board voted and unanimously approved the Quarterly Financial Report.

#### VI. NEW BUSINESS

On a motion made by Mr. Sykes, and seconded by Ms. Roig, the Board reviewed the proposed **Amended Governance Committee Policy**. Chairperson Loughlin called the motion to question, the Board voted, and the Amended Governance Committee Policy was unanimously adopted.

On a motion made by Mr. Sykes, and seconded by Mr. Siegel, the Board reviewed and discussed a resolution authorizing a contract for **Community and Economic Development Services with Sullivan Catskills Regional Food Hub, Inc.** Ms. Flad described the scope of the agreement. Chairperson Loughlin called the motion to question, the Board voted, and the resolution was unanimously approved.

## VII. PUBLIC COMMENT AND ADJOURNMENT

Chairperson Loughlin asked those present for Public Comment. The Board recognized the comments of Loreen Gebelein, Director of the Center for Workforce Development, and Ken Walter. On a motion by Mr. Siegel and seconded by Mr. Smith, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 11:32 AM.

Respectfully submitted: Julio Garaicoechea, Project Manager

