

Date: June 23, 2015

At a meeting of the Town of Islip Industrial Development Agency (the “Agency”), held at Islip Town Hall, 655 Main Street, Islip, New York on the 23rd day of June, 2015, the following members of the Agency were:

Present: Supervisor Angie M. Carpenter
Councilman Steve Flotteron
Councilwoman Trish Bergin Weichbrodt
Councilman John Cochrane
Councilman Anthony Senft

Absent:

Also Present:

After the meeting had been duly called to order, the Chairman announced that among the purposes of the meeting was to consider and take action on certain matters pertaining to acquisition of title to a certain industrial development facility more particularly described below (59 Spence Street, LLC/Summit Manufacturing LLC 2015 Facility) and the leasing of the facility to 59 Spence Street, LLC for further subleasing to Summit Manufacturing LLC.

The following resolution was duly moved, seconded, discussed and adopted with the following members voting:

Voting Aye

Supervisor Angie M. Carpenter
Councilman Steve Flotteron
Councilwoman Trish Bergin Weichbrodt
Councilman John Cochrane
Councilman Anthony Senft

Voting Nay

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF ISLIP INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY APPROVING THE ACQUISITION, RENOVATION AND EQUIPPING OF A CERTAIN INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FACILITY AND APPROVING THE FORM, SUBSTANCE AND EXECUTION OF RELATED DOCUMENTS AND MAKING CERTAIN FINDINGS AND DETERMINATIONS

WHEREAS, by Title 1 of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York, as amended, and Chapter 47 of the Laws of 1974 of the State of New York, as may be amended from time to time (collectively, the “**Act**”), the Town of Islip Industrial Development Agency (the “**Agency**”), was created with the authority and power among other things, to assist with the acquisition of certain industrial development projects as authorized by the Act; and

WHEREAS, 59 Spence Street, LLC, a New York limited liability company, on behalf of itself and/or the principals of 59 Spence Street, LLC and/or an entity formed or to be formed on behalf of the foregoing (collectively, the “**Company**”) and Summit Manufacturing LLC, a New York limited liability company, on behalf of itself and/or the principals of Summit Manufacturing LLC and/or an entity formed or to be formed on behalf of the foregoing (collectively, the “**Sublessee**”), have applied to the Agency to enter into a transaction in which the Agency will assist in the acquisition of an approximately 5.19 acre parcel of land located at 59 Spence Street, Bay Shore, New York 11706 (the “**Land**”), and the renovation, furnishing and equipping of an approximately 106,000 square foot building located thereon (the “**Improvements**”; and, together with the Land, the “**Facility**”), which Facility is to be leased and subleased by the Agency to the Company and further subleased by the Company to, and used by the Sublessee, as a manufacturing and distribution space for its business of designing, engineering and manufacturing of advertising displays and related products and services; and

WHEREAS, the Agency will acquire a leasehold interest in the Land and the Improvements pursuant to a certain Company Lease Agreement, dated as of June 1, 2015 or such other date as the Chairman or Executive Director of the Agency and counsel to the Agency shall agree (the “**Company Lease**”), by and between the Company and the Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Agency will sublease and lease the Facility to the Company pursuant to a certain Lease Agreement, dated as of June 1, 2015 or such other date as the Chairman or Executive Director of the Agency and counsel to the Agency shall agree (the “**Lease Agreement**”), by and between the Agency and the Company; and

WHEREAS, the Agency contemplates that it will provide financial assistance to the Company and the Sublessee consistent with the policies of the Agency, in the form of abatement of real property taxes (as set forth in the PILOT Schedule attached as Exhibit C hereof), consistent with the policies of the Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Act authorizes and empowers the Agency to promote, develop, encourage and assist projects such as the Facility and to advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing (the “**Hearing**”) was held and notice of the Hearing was given, which such notice together with the minutes of the Hearing are in substantially in the form annexed hereto as Exhibits A and B respectively; and

WHEREAS, in order to define the Company and the Sublessee’s obligations regarding payments in-lieu-of-taxes with respect to the Facility, the Agency, the Company and the Sublessee will enter into a certain Payment-in-Lieu-of-Tax Agreement, dated as of June 1, 2015 or such date as may be determined by the Agency and counsel to the Agency (the “**PILOT Agreement**”), pursuant to which the Company and the Sublessee will make payments-in-lieu-of-taxes on the Facility; and

WHEREAS, in connection with the leasing and the subleasing of the Facility, the Agency, the Company and the Sublessee will enter into a certain Recapture Agreement, dated as of June 1, 2015 or such date as may be determined by the Agency and counsel to the Agency (the “**Recapture Agreement**”), among the Agency, the Company and the Sublessee; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has given due consideration to the application of the Company and the Sublessee and to representations by the Company and the Sublessee that the proposed transfer of a leasehold interest is either an inducement to the Company and/or the Sublessee to maintain and expand the Facility in the Town of Islip or is necessary to maintain the competitive position of the Company and the Sublessee in their respective industry; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York (collectively, the “**SEQR Act**” or “**SEQR**”), the Agency constitutes a “State Agency”; and

WHEREAS, to aid the Agency in determining whether the Facility may have a significant effect upon the environment, the Company has prepared and submitted to the Agency an Environmental Assessment Form and related documents (the “**Questionnaire**”) with respect to the Facility, a copy of which is on file at the office of the Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Questionnaire has been reviewed by the Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Company and the Sublessee have agreed to indemnify the Agency against certain losses, claims, expenses, damages and liabilities that may arise in connection with the transaction contemplated by the transfer of leasehold title to the Facility; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Agency (a majority of the members thereof affirmatively concurring) as follows:

Section 1. Based upon the Environmental Assessment Form completed by the Company and the Sublessee and reviewed by the Agency and other representations and information furnished by the Company regarding the Facility, the Agency determines that the action relating to the acquisition, renovation, equipping and operation of the Facility is an “unlisted” action, as that term is defined in the SEQRA Act. The Agency also determines that the action will not have a “significant effect” on the environment, and, therefore, an environmental impact statement will not be prepared. This determination constitutes a negative declaration for purposes of SEQRA. Notice of this determination shall be filed to the extent required by the applicable regulations under SEQRA or as may be deemed advisable by the Chairman or Executive Director of the Agency or counsel to the Agency.

Section 2. The Agency hereby finds and determines:

(a) By virtue of the Act, the Agency has been vested with all powers necessary and convenient to carry out and effectuate the purposes and provisions of the Act and to exercise all powers granted to it under the Act.

(b) The Facility will preserve the public purposes of the Act by increasing the number of private sector jobs in the Town of Islip. The Company and the Sublessee have represented to the Agency that they will create or maintain 232 full-time employees within the first year of completion and 236 full-time employees within the second year upon completion.

(c) The Facility constitutes a “project”, as such term is defined in the Act.

(d) The acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility, the leasing of the Facility to the Company, the subleasing of the Facility by the Company to the Sublessee will promote and maintain the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the citizens of Town of Islip, and the State of New York and improve their standard of living and thereby serve the public purposes of the Act.

(e) The acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility by the Agency is reasonably necessary to induce the Company and the Sublessee to maintain and expand their respective business operations in the State of New York.

(f) Based upon representations of the Company, the Sublessee and counsel to the Company and counsel to the Sublessee, the Facility conforms with the local zoning laws and planning regulations of the Town of Islip and all regional and local land use plans for the area in which the Facility is located.

(g) It is desirable and in the public interest for the Agency to lease the Facility to the Company; and

(h) The Company Lease will be an effective instrument whereby the Agency leases the Land and the Improvements from the Company; and

(i) The Lease Agreement will be an effective instrument whereby the Agency leases the Company Facility to the Company; and

(j) The PILOT Agreement will be an effective instrument whereby the Agency, the Company and the Sublessee set forth the terms and conditions of their agreement regarding the Company's and the Sublessee's payments-in-lieu-of real property taxes; and

(k) The Recapture Agreement will be an effective instrument whereby the Agency, the Company and the Sublessee agree to provide for the obligations of the Company and the Sublessee under the Transaction Documents (as defined in the Lease Agreement) and describe the circumstances in which the Agency may recapture some or all of the benefits granted to the Company and the Sublessee; and

(l) The Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement, dated as of June 1, 2015 or such other date as may be determined by the Agency and counsel to the Agency (the "**Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement**"), by and among the Agency, the Company and the Sublessee will be an effective instrument whereby the Company and the Sublessee agree to comply with all Environmental Laws (as defined therein) applicable to the Facility and will indemnify and hold harmless the Agency for all liability under all such Environmental Laws; and

(m) The Agency Compliance Agreement, dated as of June 1, 2015 or such other date as may be determined by the Agency and counsel to the Agency (the "**Agency Compliance Agreement**"), between the Agency and the Sublessee will be an effective instrument whereby the Sublessee will provide certain assurances to the Agency with respect to the Sublease Agreement.

Section 3. In consequence of the foregoing, the Agency hereby determines to: (i) lease the Land and the Improvements from the Company pursuant to the Company Lease, (ii) execute, deliver and perform the Company Lease, (iii) lease the Facility to the Company pursuant to the Lease Agreement, (iv) execute, deliver and perform the Lease Agreement, (v) execute, deliver and perform the PILOT Agreement, (vi) execute, deliver and perform the Recapture Agreement, (vii) execute and deliver the Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement, and (viii) execute and deliver the Agency Compliance Agreement.

Section 4. The Agency is hereby authorized to acquire the real property and personal property described in Exhibit A and Exhibit B, respectively, to the Lease Agreement, and to do all things necessary or appropriate for the accomplishment thereof, and all acts heretofore taken by the Agency with respect to such acquisition are hereby approved, ratified and confirmed.

Section 5. The form and substance of the Company Lease Agreement, the Lease Agreement, the PILOT Agreement, the Recapture Agreement, the Agency Compliance Agreement and the Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement (each in substantially the forms presented to or approved by the Agency and which, prior to the execution and delivery thereof, may be redated) are hereby approved.

Section 6. Reserved.

Section 7. The Company and the Sublessee hereby agree to comply with Section 875 of the Act. The Company and the Sublessee further agree that the abatement of real property taxes provided pursuant to the Act is subject to termination and recapture of benefits pursuant to Section 875 of the Act and the Recapture Agreement.

Section 8. The Agency hereby authorizes and approves the following economic benefits to be granted to the Company and the Sublessee in connection with the acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility in the form of abatement of real property taxes (as set forth in the PILOT Schedule attached as Exhibit C hereof), consistent with the policies of the Agency.

Section 9. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director or any member of the Agency are hereby authorized, on behalf of the Agency, to execute and deliver the Company Lease, the Lease Agreement, the PILOT Agreement, the Recapture Agreement, the Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement, and the Agency Compliance Agreement, all in substantially the forms thereof presented to this meeting with such changes, variations, omissions and insertions as the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director or any member of the Agency shall approve, and such other related documents as may be, in the judgment of the Chairman and counsel to the Agency, necessary or appropriate to effect the transactions contemplated by this resolution (hereinafter collectively called the “**Agency Documents**”). The execution thereof by the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director or any member of the Agency shall constitute conclusive evidence of such approval.

Section 10. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director or any member of the Agency are further hereby authorized, on behalf of the Agency, to designate any additional Authorized Representatives of the Agency (as defined in and pursuant to the Lease Agreement).

Section 11. The officers, employees and agents of the Agency are hereby authorized and directed for and in the name and on behalf of the Agency to do all acts and things required or provided for by the provisions of the Agency Documents, and to execute and deliver all such additional certificates, instruments and documents, pay all such fees, charges and expenses and to do all such further acts and things as may be necessary or, in the opinion of the officer, employee or agent acting, desirable and proper to effect the purposes of the foregoing resolution and to cause compliance by the Agency with all of the terms, covenants and provisions of the Agency Documents binding upon the Agency.

Section 12. Any expenses incurred by the Agency with respect to the Facility shall be paid by the Company and/or the Sublessee. By acceptance hereof, the Company and the Sublessee agree to pay such expenses and further agrees to indemnify the Agency, its members, directors, employees and agents and hold the Agency and such persons harmless against claims for losses, damage or injury or any expenses or damages incurred as a result of action taken by or on behalf of the Agency in good faith with respect to the Facility.

Section 13. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

ADOPTED: June 23, 2015

ACCEPTED: _____ 2015

59 SPENCE STREET, LLC

By: _____
Authorized Signatory

SUMMIT MANUFACTURING LLC

By: _____
Authorized Signatory

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

I, the undersigned Assistant Secretary of the Town of Islip Industrial Development Agency, DO HEREBY CERTIFY:

That I have compared the annexed extract of the minutes of the meeting of the Town of Islip Industrial Development Agency (the “Agency”), including the resolutions contained therein, held on the 23rd day of June, 2015, with the original thereof on file in my office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the proceedings of the Agency 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.

That the Agency Documents contained in this transcript of proceedings are each in substantially the form presented to the Agency and/or approved by said meeting.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that public notice of the time and place of said meeting was duly given to the public and the news media in accordance with the New York Open Meetings Law, constituting Chapter 511 of the Laws of 1976 of the State of New York, that all members of said Agency had due notice of said meeting and that the meeting was in all respects duly held.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as of the 23rd day of June, 2015.

By: 
Assistant Secretary