

RESOLUTION

**Agreement for Refrigeration Unit at the
New Paltz ReUse Center**

At a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of New Paltz, Ulster County, New York, held at the Town Hall, in New Paltz, New York, in said Town on the ____ day of _____, 2016, at _____ o'clock P.M., Prevailing time.

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Bettez, and upon roll being called, the following roll was taken:

	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Supervisor Neil Bettez	_____	_____
Council Member Jeffrey Logan	_____	_____
Council Member Daniel Torres	_____	_____
Council Member Marty Irwin	_____	_____
Council Member Julie Seyfert-Lillis	_____	_____

The following resolution was offered by Council Member _____ who moved its adoption, seconded by Council Member _____, to wit:

WHEREAS, the Town of New Paltz operates the New Paltz ReUse Center at Clearwater Road in the Town of New Paltz, among the many purposes of which is to develop and to promote an organized approach to manage organic components of the waste stream and create viable end-products; and

WHEREAS, there are a growing number of successful programs in the community which collect unused prepared food and undesirable produce to be donated to local community, not-for-profit organizations including food pantries and soup kitchens; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has determined that the installation and use of a refrigeration unit at the New Paltz ReUse Center by such local community, not-for-profit organizations for the temporary storage of donated foods which might otherwise unnecessarily

find its way into the waste stream, together with an applied program for the evaluation of spoiled food and produce maintained at the refrigeration unit for animal food and or for composting, can significantly reduce the amount of waste consistent with the goals and purposes of the town's established Zero Waste Action Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Supervisor of the Town of New Paltz is hereby authorized to execute and acknowledge on behalf of the town an agreement between the Town of New Paltz and the Food Insecurity Collaborative led by Family of New Paltz, Inc. for the installation, use and maintenance of a refrigeration unit at the New Paltz ReUse Center on Clearwater Road, said agreement to be substantially in the form attached hereto and acceptable to the parties; and it is further

RESOLVED that the supervisor is hereby authorized to sign on behalf of the town such other and further instruments as are necessary to give full force and effect to the purposes and intents of this resolution.

<u>VOTE</u>	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NAY</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
Supervisor Neil Bettez	_____	_____	_____
Council Member Jeffrey Logan	_____	_____	_____
Council Member Daniel Torres	_____	_____	_____
Council Member Marty Irwin	_____	_____	_____
Council Member Julie Seyfert-Lillis	_____	_____	_____

The resolution was thereupon duly adopted.