RESOLUTION #

UPDATED APPENDIX B: PROCUREMENT POLICY – PROCUREMENT POLICY WITH ADDITIONAL ENVIRONMENTALLY PREFERRABLE PURCHASING

At a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of New Paltz, Ulster County, New York, held at the Town Courthouse, 59 N. Putt Corners Rd., in said Town on the 7th day of March 2024 at 7:00 o'clock P.M., prevailing time.

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

	PRESENT	<u>ABSENT</u>
Supervisor Neil Bettez		
Council Member Julie Seyfert-Lillis		
Council Member Esi Lewis		
Council Member Kristin Brown		

The following resolution was offered by ______ who moved its adoption, seconded by ______, to wit:

WHEREAS, on September 20, 2022, Governor Kathy Hochul signed a nation-leading Executive Order to accelerate efforts to make State operations more sustainable; and

WHEREAS, The Order formally established the GreenNY Council to carry out the Order's goals and directives; and

WHEREAS, the GreenNY Council will ensure that State agencies follow best practices in green purchasing and in their operations by issuing new green purchasing specifications and operational directives; and

WHEREAS, a few of the many directives and goals in the Order are to; create green purchasing specifications; write templates and guidance for Affected Entities to use on waste reduction, the electric vehicle fleet transition, and reducing embodied carbon in buildings; and establishing pathways to cut greenhouse gas emissions of Affected Entities; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, Where the Town of New Paltz is procuring a commodity or service, whether by competitive bid or other type of procurement, that is the subject of GreenNY procurement specification that has received final approval of the NYS GreenNY Council pursuant to Executive Order No. 22 (2022), the Department Head shall follow

the GreenNY procurement specification to the maximum extent practicable and where cost is reasonably competitive as defined in General Municipal Law § 104-a.

This motion was offered by	ano	d was seconded by
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<u>VOTE</u>	AYE	NAY	ABSENT
Supervisor Neil Bettez			
Council Member Julie Seyfert-Lillis			
Council Member Esi Lewis			
Council Member Kristin Brown			

The resolution was thereupon duly adopted.

Rosanna Rosenkranse, Town Clerk

Dated: _____