REVIEW ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS OF PROPOSED CHANGES TO ADD AMEND CHAPTER 127, "TAXATION" OF THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF NEW PALTZ (Volunteer Firefighters and Rescue Squad)

At a regular 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 _____, 2023, at ______ o'clock P.M., Prevailing time.

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

	PRESENT	<u>ABSENT</u>
Supervisor Neil Bettez		
Council Member Daniel Torres		
Council Member Alex Baer		
Council Member Julie Seyfert-Lillis		
Council Member Esi Lewis		

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

WHEREAS, a local law for the purpose of providing a partial tax exemption upon certain residential real property based upon the owner's membership in the New Paltz Fire Department or New Paltz Rescue Squad volunteer organizations, as permitted by Section 466-a of New York's Real Property Tax Law proposed as Local Law No. _____ for the year 2023 was introduced at this meeting;

WHEREAS, any project having a potential impact on the environment must have such impact determined by a lead agency pursuant to the State Act and Town Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of New Paltz designates the Town Board as the Lead Agency to determine all environmental matters and it is further

RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of New Paltz has compared the proposed action as described in the Environmental Assessment Form Parts One and Two with the list of

criteria set forth in 6 NYCRR 617.12 and determined that the application proposed is a Type II Action and that no further action is required to be taken under the Act.

<u>VOTE</u>	AYE	<u>NAY</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
Supervisor Neil Bettez			
Council Member Daniel Torres			
Council Member Alex Baer			
Council Member Julie Seyfert-Lillis			
Council Member Esi Lewis			

The resolution was thereupon duly adopted.