# Public Works & Transportation Meeting Agenda



148 Martine Avenue, 8th Floor White Plains, NY 10601 Chair: Frika Pierce www.westchesterlegislators.com

Committee Chair: Erika Pierce

Committee Room

800 Michaelian Office Bldg.

Joint with LEG

1:00 PM

### **CALL TO ORDER**

Monday, March 17, 2025

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### MINUTES APPROVAL

### I. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

### 1. <u>2025-108</u> PH - Responsible Bidder Legislation

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**Guests: Law Department** 

County Attorney John Nonna and Associate County Attorney Shawna MacLeod

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### II. OTHER BUSINESS

### III. RECEIVE & FILE

### 1. <u>2025-71</u> <u>CLERK OF THE BOARD - Petition for Extension of the Peekskill</u> Hollow Sewer District

Forwarding a Petition from the Town of Somers for the extension of the Peekskill Hollow Sewer District to include the boundaries of the Parkveiw Extension area of Somers Sewer District No. 1.

COMMITTEE REFERRAL: COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS & TRANSPORTATION

### **ADJOURNMENT**

### TO: BOARD OF LEGISLATORS COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

Your Committee recommends passage of "A LOCAL LAW amending the Laws of Westchester County by adding a new Article IV to Chapter 233, entitled Board of Acquisition and Contract,' regarding requirements for lowest responsible bidding on County public work projects."

Your Committee is aware that New York State General Municipal Law § 103 requires the County to award all public work contracts involving an expenditure of more than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) to the lowest responsible bidder.

Your Committee believes that the County and its taxpayers have a strong interest in ensuring that an effective screening process regarding bidder responsibility exists, so that public works contracts can be awarded appropriately. This Local Law, if adopted, would improve the County's ability to identify the lowest responsive and responsible bidder on public work contracts. Currently, the County's bidder review process involves guidance and procedures that are found in various County documents—including, for example, a Westchester County Executive Order from 1998 regarding compliance with prevailing wage and labor laws. This Local Law would codify, in one place, comprehensive submission requirements for bidders as well as an enhanced evaluation system for the County. A thorough evaluation process regarding bidders can help minimize the risk of contractor delay, nonperformance, or even default. The proposed Local Law will enable the County to better assess, prior to contracting, whether the subject lowest responsive bidder is also "responsible" under the law, based on the bidder's financials, legal capacity, integrity, and past performance on government contracts. Indeed, quality workmanship, efficient operation, safety, and timely completion of projects are not necessarily assured by awarding a public work contract solely on the basis of the low price.

Your Committee understands that this proposed Local Law establishes uniform guidelines for determining bidder responsibility. Under the proposed law, the bidder must complete, certify, and submit with its bid a form that responds to questions regarding the bidder's financial ability, legal capacity, integrity, past performance on government contracts, and compliance with applicable laws and regulations. Based on the information provided in this questionnaire, along with any other information about the bidder gathered pursuant to the Local Law, the County will be better able to make a determination about the bidder's responsibility—or lack thereof—prior to executing the relevant contract.

Your Committee also understands that this proposed Local Law outlines a detailed process through which a bidder may file an internal appeal with the County's Board of Acquisition and Contract, should the bidder wish to contest the relevant County agency's initial determination that the bidder is not responsible.

Your Committee is aware that this proposed Local Law also includes mechanisms by which the County can continue to monitor the winning bidder's responsibility through the life of the contract. The proposed law provides expressly that the contractor must remain responsible during the contract's term and that, if the County requests it, the contractor must provide information about its continuing legal authority to do business in New York; its integrity; and its experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity.

Your Committee has been advised that the attached Local Law is subject to a permissive referendum pursuant to Section 209.171(2), because it changes a provision of law relating to public bidding and/or contracts. Consequently, pursuant to Section 209.181 of the Laws of Westchester

County, the attached Local Law, if adopted, may not take effect until sixty (60) days after its adoption,

assuming that within that time a petition protesting its adoption is not filed by the statutorily required

number of qualified electors.

Finally, Your Committee is informed that the proposed project does not meet the definition

of an action under New York State Environmental Quality Review Act ("SEQRA") and its

implementing regulations 6 NYCRR Part 617. Please refer to the memorandum from the Department

of Planning, dated January 14, 2025, which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Legislators. Your

Committee concurs in this conclusion.

Your Committee recommends adoption of this Local Law.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2025

White Plains, New York

COMMITTEE ON

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### **RESOLUTION NO.** \_\_\_\_ - 2025

RESOLVED, that this Board hold a public hearing pursuant to Section 209.141(4) of the Laws of Westchester County on Local Law Intro. No. \_\_\_\_ - 2025, entitled "A LOCAL LAW amending the Laws of Westchester County by adding a new Article IV to Chapter 233, entitled 'Board of Acquisition and Contract,' regarding requirements for lowest responsible bidding on County public work projects." The public hearing will be held at \_\_\_.m. on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2025, in the Chambers of the Board of Legislators, 8th Floor, Michaelian Office Building, White Plains, New York. The Clerk of the Board shall cause notice of the time and date of such hearing to be published at least once in one or more newspapers published in the County of Westchester and selected by the Clerk of the Board for that purpose in the manner and time required by law.

# WESTCHESTER COUNTY

### BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

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### Vedat Gashi Chairman of the Board Legislator, 4th District



TO:

Hon. Colin Smith

Chair, Legislation

Erika Pierce

Chair, Public Works & Transportation

FROM:

Hon. Vedat Gashi

Chairman of the Board

DATE:

March 14, 2025

RE:

PH and LL – Responsible Bidder Legislation

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Thank you.

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CC: Jill Axelrod

> Marcello Figueroa Dayana Gomez Dylan Tragni Sunday Vanderberg

### LOCAL LAW INTRO. NO. - 2025

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BE IT ENACTED by the County Board of the County of Westchester as follows:

**Section 1**. A new Article IV is hereby added to Chapter 233 of the Laws of Westchester County to read as follows:

### CHAPTER 233, Article IV. - Lowest Responsible Bidder for Public Work

Sec. 233.501. Short Title.

Sec. 233.511. Applicability.

Sec. 233.521. Definitions.

Sec. 233.531. Determination of Lowest Responsible Bidder; Provisional Determinations of Non-responsibility.

Sec. 233.541. Notice to Bidder Regarding Provisional Determination of Non-responsibility.

Sec. 233.551. Final Determination.

Sec. 233.561. Contractor's Ongoing Responsibility.

Sec. 233.571. Recordkeeping.

Sec. 233.581. Severability.

### Sec. 233.501. Short Title.

This Article shall be known as and may be cited as the "Lowest Responsible Bidder for Public Work Law."

### Sec. 233.511. Applicability.

This Local Law shall apply to public work projects subject to, and not otherwise excepted from, the competitive bidding requirements of New York State General Municipal Law section 103(1) and the Laws of Westchester County section 161.11(3).

### Sec. 233.521. Definitions.

- 1. Bidder: Any individual, sole proprietor, partnership, firm, corporation, limited liability company, association, or other legal entity that responds to requests for bids issued by the County for public work pursuant to New York State General Municipal Law section 103(1) and the Laws of Westchester County section 161.11(3).
- 2. <u>Commissioner: The Commissioner of the County Department that is requesting bids, and/or the Commissioner's designee.</u>
- 3. Contractor: Any individual, sole proprietor, partnership, firm, corporation, limited liability company, association, or other legal entity that enters into a contract with the County for public work following the award of such contract under New York State General Municipal Law section 103(1) and the Laws of Westchester County section 161.11(3).
- 4. <u>Principal: An individual, partnership, joint venture, or corporation which holds an ownership interest of 10 percent or more in the Bidder or Contractor.</u>
- 5. <u>Provisional Determination: The initial, non-final determination about a Bidder's Responsibility, which is made by the Commissioner.</u>
- 6. Responsibility: The financial ability, legal capacity, integrity, and past performance of a Bidder or Contractor, and its compliance with applicable laws and regulations.
- 7. Responsibility Questionnaire:
  - a. A questionnaire, as may be amended from time to time, that is applicable to the public work project and the Bidder.
  - b. The applicable questionnaire requires Bidders to answer questions demonstrating the Bidders' financial ability, legal capacity, integrity, past performance on municipal or other government contracts, and compliance with applicable laws and regulations.

- c. Such Responsibility Questionnaire shall be certified by an owner or official of the Bidder.
- 8. Responsive: A Bidder's meeting the minimum specifications or requirements as prescribed in the request for bids.

# Sec. 233.531. Determination of Lowest Responsible Bidder; Provisional Determinations of Non-responsibility.

- 1. Whenever any contract for public work is bid pursuant to General Municipal Law section 103(1) and the Laws of Westchester County section 161.11(3), the County shall include the relevant Responsibility Questionnaire as part of the request for the bid, along with the other relevant bid documents.
- 2. Only bids including a completed Responsibility Questionnaire and all other necessary documentation will be considered for the relevant contract by the County. The submission of a bid shall establish that the Bidder received all necessary documents, including, but not limited to, the Responsibility Questionnaire. Failure to submit the completed Responsibility Questionnaire with the bid documents shall render the bid non-responsive.
- 3. The Commissioner shall determine whether the apparent lowest Bidder is responsible after the Commissioner's review and consideration of, as applicable, the following:
  - a. the bid documents;
  - b. the information provided by the Bidder in the completed Responsibility

    Questionnaire;
  - c. material information regarding the financial ability, legal capacity, integrity, and past performance of the Bidder;

- d. information collected pursuant to this and other New York State and Local Laws, including the list described in Section 233.571 of this Chapter; and
- e. county and state executive orders and rules and regulations, including the "Guidelines for Responsibility Determinations," set forth in New York Codes, Rules and Regulations, Title 9, Section 4.170.
- 4. <u>In the event of any of the following, the Commissioner shall make a Provisional</u>

  <u>Determination that the Bidder is not responsible:</u>
  - a. the Bidder is found to have falsified any material information on a submitted

    Responsibility Questionnaire;
  - b. the Bidder fails to properly disclose any material information on a submitted

    Responsibility Questionnaire;
  - c. the Bidder has committed a willful violation of a provision of the New York State

    Labor Law within the preceding thirty-six (36) months; and/or
  - d. any Principal of the Bidder is or was a Principal of any other business entity that has been found guilty of a willful violation of the New York State Labor Law within the preceding thirty-six (36) months.
- 5. Upon a Provisional Determination by the Commissioner that the apparent lowest Bidder is not responsible, (a) the Commissioner shall provide the reasons therefor in a memorandum to the Board of Acquisition and Contract ("A&C"), and append any documentation in support of the Provisional Determination to the memorandum, and (b) sections 233.541 and 233.551 of this Article shall apply.

### Sec. 233.541. Notice to Bidder Regarding Provisional Determination of Non-responsibility.

- 1. When a Provisional Determination is made that the Bidder is not responsible, A&C shall notify the respective Bidder of the Provisional Determination of non-responsibility, in writing, stating the reasons therefor, and shall provide the apparent lowest Bidder with copies of any supporting materials, including those that the Commissioner has submitted to A&C in support of the Commissioner's Provisional Determination of Bidder non-responsibility (hereafter, the "Notice").
- 2. The Notice shall set forth a date, time, and place for the apparent lowest Bidder to appear and be heard on the issue of non-responsibility before A&C (the "Appearance Date"), and the Notice must advise that the Bidder shall have the opportunity to rebut the Provisional Determination either (a) in-person before A&C on the date set forth in the Notice, with or without counsel; and/or (b) upon the submission of a written response and any supporting documentation at least three (3) days prior to the date set forth in the Notice.
- 3. No fewer than ten (10) days before the Appearance Date set forth in the Notice for the apparent lowest Bidder to appear and be heard on the issue of non-responsibility before A&C, the Notice shall be either: (a) personally served on the Bidder; (b) sent via overnight mail to the mailing address provided by the Bidder, by a carrier that provides proof of delivery; or (c) sent via e-mail to the e-mail address provided by the Bidder.

### Sec. 233.551. Final Determination.

- 1. The Bidder may respond to the Notice regarding the Provisional Determination as follows:
  - a. On the Appearance Date, at the time and place set forth in the Notice, a representative of the Bidder may appear in person before A&C, with or without counsel; and/or

- b. At least three (3) days before the Appearance Date, the Bidder may submit a written response and any supporting documentation.
- 2. No fewer than six (6) days after the Appearance Date set forth in the Notice of the Provisional Determination of non-responsibility, A&C shall make a final determination, via resolution (the "Resolution"), regarding the Responsibility of the apparent low Bidder (the "Final Determination"). In making a Final Determination, A&C shall review and consider, as applicable, the following:
  - a. the bid documents;
  - b. the information provided by the Bidder in the completed Responsibility

    Questionnaire;
  - c. material information regarding the financial ability, legal capacity, integrity, and past performance of the Bidder;
  - d. information collected pursuant to this and other New York State and Local Laws, including the list described in Section 233.571 of this Chapter;
  - e. county and state executive orders and rules and regulations, including the "Guidelines for Responsibility Determinations," set forth in New York Codes, Rules and Regulations, Title 9, Section 4.170; and
  - f. any information provided by the Bidder pursuant to the process set forth in paragraph 1 of this section (Sec. 233.551(1)).
- 3. Within five (5) business days of the Final Determination, A&C shall notify the Commissioner and the Bidder of the Final Determination by providing a copy of the Resolution to: (a) the Commissioner, via e-mail, inter-office mail, personal delivery, or other means; and (b) the Bidder, via either (i) personal service on the Bidder or (ii) overnight mail to the mailing address provided by the Bidder, by a carrier that provides proof of delivery.

- 4. If the Final Determination of A&C deems the apparent lowest Bidder to be non-responsible:
  - a. The Final Determination may be appealed by the Bidder pursuant to Article 78 of the New York Civil Practice Law and Rules.
  - b. As soon as practicable after notification of the Final Determination, and regardless of whether the Bidder has appealed the Final Determination, the Commissioner shall review the next lowest Bidder for the public work project to determine whether such Bidder is responsible, until a lowest responsible Bidder is determined through the process set forth above in Sections 233.531(3)–(5), 233.541, and 233.551.

### Sec. 233.561. Contractor's Ongoing Responsibility.

- 1. Following the award of the contract to the lowest responsible Bidder, the Contractor shall at all times during the contract term remain responsible. The Contractor shall, as requested by the Commissioner, provide information to the Commissioner about the Contractor's continuing legal authority to do business in New York State; its integrity; its experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity.
- 2. If the Contractor fails to comply with the requirements of paragraph 1 of this section, in addition to any sanctions available under the contract, the Contractor may be subject to sanctions including, but not limited to: (a) temporary suspension of work on the public work project until the Contractor complies with the requirements of paragraph 1 of this section; and/or (b) withholding by the County of payments due under the contract until the Contractor complies with the requirements of paragraph 1 of this section.
- 3. The Commissioner shall, upon receipt of the information listed in paragraph 1 of this section, conduct an investigation into whether the Contractor is responsible in accordance with the procedure set forth above in Section 233.531(3)-(5).

- 4. In the event that, following the award of the contract, the Contractor is found to have falsified any material information on a submitted Responsibility Questionnaire, the Commissioner shall make a Provisional Determination that the Contractor is not responsible.
- 5. If the Commissioner makes a Provisional Determination that the Contractor is not responsible, and, following the process outlined in sections 233.541 and 233.551 above and the Contractor's opportunity to be heard, A&C makes a Final Determination that the Contractor is not responsible, then A&C may, through resolution, determine that the Contractor is in default with respect to the awarded contract.

### Sec. 233.571. Recordkeeping.

A&C shall keep an accurate list of all Bidders and Contractors who have been deemed to be not responsible through a Final Determination of A&C. This list shall be for informational purposes only, and the inclusion of an entity on the list shall not bar the entity from bidding on or being awarded a County contract. Such non-responsible entities shall remain on the list for a period of no fewer than five (5) years, unless a court of competent jurisdiction determines that the County's non-responsibility determination was in error.

### Sec. 233.581. Severability.

If any clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or part of this local law shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, section, or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered.

### Section 2.

The Clerk of the Board shall cause a notice of this Local Law to be published at least once a week for two successive weeks, the first publication of which shall be had within ten days after such local law is adopted, in the official newspapers published in the County of Westchester, said notice to contain the number, date of adoption and a true copy of the Local Law, and a statement that this Local Law changes a provision of law relating to public bidding and/or contracts, and is therefore subject to the provisions of Sections 209.171(2) and 209.181 of the Laws of Westchester County, providing for a permissive referendum.

### Section 3.

This Local Law shall take effect sixty (60) days after its adoption, subject to the provisions of Section 209.181 of the Laws of Westchester County.

# **WESTCHESTER COUNTY**

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TO:

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TOWN OF SOMERS COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER: STATE OF NEW YORK	) (
In the Matter of the Application of	
THE TOWN OF SOMERS	PETITION
For the Extension of the Peekskill Hollow Sewer District to Include the Boundaries of the Parkview Extension Area of Somers Sewer District No. 1	
	) (

#### TO: THE BOARD OF LEGISLATORS OF THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

The Petition of Robert Scorrano, as Supervisor of the Town of Somers, respectfully shows and demonstrates to the Board of Legislators of the County of Westchester:

- 1. That the Town of Somers is a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York and is located in the County of Westchester, State of New York.
  - 2. That the Town of Somers currently operates Sewer District No. 1 in the Town of Somers.
- 3. That a Petition, Map and Plan have been prepared by Parkview B & G, LLC (Parkview) dated April 12, 2024, for the extension of the Somers Sewer District No. 1 of the Town of Somers and duly presented to this Town Board: and a duly conducted public hearing on said extension was held on November 14, 2024, at which time the public hearing was closed and the Town Board of the Town of Somers at that time duly adopted a resolution to extend the Somers Sewer District No. 1 to include the boundaries of the Parkview extension area as set forth in its petition.
- 4. Petitioner is a limited liability company formed and existing under the laws of the State of New York and is in good standing. Petitioner is the owner of two existing parcels of land comprising in the aggregate 56.8 acres. The parcels are shown and designated on the Town of Somers Tax Map as tax parcels 4.20-1-12 and 15.08-1-4. Tax parcel 4.20-1-12 consists of approximately 19.8 acres. With respect to such parcel, 8.9 acres is presently zoned Residence R80; 8.6 acres is presently zoned Residence R40 and 2.3 acres is presently zoned Planned Hamlet PH. Tax parcel 15.08-1-4 consists of approximately 37 acres and is presently zoned Residence R80. Where the context requires, the two tax parcels shall hereinafter be collectively referred to as the "Property." Access to the Property is through the Somers Realty Planned Hamlet via Reynolds Drive. Petitioner has previously submitted to this Board a petition to rezone the Property to permit the construction of the improvements referenced below in accordance with the provisions of the Multifamily Residence Baldwin Place MFR-BP District. Petitioner proposes to construct an 81 unit townhouse community with associated asphalt road and parking, utility infrastructure,

stormwater management areas, landscaping, lighting, and a walking trail on approximately 49.3 acres of the Property. Five of the 81 units will be sponsor provided (at their cost without any county, state, or federal funding), and target households at or below the 120% AMI. A total of 58 units (including the 5 sponsor provided units at or below 120% AMI) will be three bedroom units and the remaining 23 units will be two bedroom. Additionally, on the remaining 7.5 acres of the Property, Petitioner proposes to construct, as a community benefit for the Town of Somers, a Community Center of approximately 6000 square feet which will include meeting rooms, bathrooms, storage and locker space and recreational areas. The Community Center lot will also include a proposed dog park as an additional community benefit. Upon completion of the construction of the Community Center, solely at the Petitioner's cost, Petitioner will dedicate the Community Center and the lot upon which it is constructed to the Town of Somers. A conservation area will be provided along the eastern portion of the property that will remain undeveloped preserving the land adjacent to the North County Trailway.

- 5. That the Town Board of the Town of Somers as Lead Agency under SEQRA adopted a Negative Declaration on February 13, 2025, having conducted a complete environmental review under SEQRA. The County of Westchester was an Involved Agency in this coordinated environmental review.
- 6. That the Town of Somers, therefore, deems it in the public interest that the Parkview extension area be connected to and serviced by the Peekskill Hollow Sewer District owned and operated by the County of Westchester.
- 7. That appropriate maps, property descriptions and plans have been prepared and submitted to the Town of Somers in connection with the petition of Parkview, all of which are attached hereto as **Exhibit A** and incorporated herein.
- 8. The resolution of the Town Board of the Town of Somers to extend the Somers Sewer District No. 1 to include the Parkview Extension Area dated February 13, 2025, is attached as **Exhibit B** hereto.
- 9. That the extension and enlargement of the Peekskill Hollow Sewer District, as proposed, is co-terminus with the boundaries of the Parkview Extension Area of Somers Sewer District No. 1.
- 10. That the establishment of the Parkview Extension Area of Somers Sewer District No. I will not result in any costs or expenses to the Town of Somers since it is proposed that all improvements to be designed, installed and constructed to service said extension area will be privately funded.
- 11. That a feasibility analysis has been performed which indicates that there is adequate capacity contained in the Peekskill Hollow Sewer District to service the Parkview Extension Area as currently proposed for development.
- 12. That on February 13, 2025, the Town Board of the Town of Somers adopted a resolution to petition the Board of Legislators of the County of Westchester to consider the

extension and enlargement of the Peekskill Hollow Sewer District as set forth above pursuant to Article 5-A of the County Law. A copy of this resolution is attached as **Exhibit C** hereto.

WHEREFORE, the Town Board of the Town of Somers hereby petitions the County of Westchester for the enlargement and extension of the Peekskill Hollow Sewer District to encompass and include the Parkview Extension Area of Somers Sewer District No. 1 as established by the Town Board of the Town of Somers.

Dated: Somers, New York February 21, 2025

TOWN OF SOMERS

Robert Scorrano

Supervisor

STATE OF NEW YORK

) SS.:

COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER)

On the 21<sup>st</sup> day of February, in the year 2025, before me, the undersigned personally appeared ROBERT SCORRANO, Supervisor of the Town of Somers, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

Notary Public

PATRICIA KALBA
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK
Registration No. 01KA6080158
Qualified in Westchester County
Commission Expires SEPTEMBER 09, 202

# EXHIBIT "A"

TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF SOMERS COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

PARKVIEW B & G LLC

PETITION

FOR AN EXTENSION OF SOMERS SEWER DISTRICT #1

TO THE SUPERVISOR AND MEMBERS OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF SOMERS:

PETITIONER, PARKVIEW B & G LLC (hereinafter "Petitioner"), having a principal place of business at 57 Route 6, Suite 207, Baldwin Place, New York 10505, hereby petitions the Town Board of the Town of Somers for an extension of Somers Sewer District #1 and, in connection therewith, states as follows:

1. Petitioner is a limited liability company formed and existing under the laws of the State of New York and is in good standing. Petitioner is the owner of two existing parcels of land comprising in the aggregate 56.8 acres. The parcels are shown and designated on the Town of Somers Tax Map as tax parcels 4.20-1-12 and 15.08-1-4. Tax parcel 4.20-1-12 consists of approximately 19.8 acres. With respect to such parcel, 8.9 acres is presently zoned Residence R80; 8.6 acres is presently zoned Residence R40 and 2.3 acres is presently zoned Planned Hamlet PH. Tax parcel 15.08-1-4 consists of approximately 37 acres and is presently zoned Residence R80. Where the context requires, the two tax parcels shall hereinafter be collectively referred to as the "Property". Access to the Property is through the Somers Realty Planned Hamlet via Reynolds Drive. Petitioner has previously submitted to this Board a petition to rezone the Property to permit the construction of the improvements referenced below in accordance with

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- 2. Petitioner seeks an extension of the Somers Sewer District #1 (hereinafter "SSD1") to enable the Property as referenced above to be serviced with municipal sewer service. In connection therewith, Petitioner will, at no cost or expense to SSD1 or the Town of Somers, provide the sewer infrastructure elements referenced below, which such sewer infrastructure elements would enable future connection of the improvements to be constructed upon the Property as referenced above as depicted in the document attached as Exhibit A hereto, which such document is entitled "Enlarged Somers Sewer #1 and Peekskill Sanitary Sewer Districts Expansion Map".
- 3. Petitioner proposes, pursuant to Article 12 of the Town Law, that the Town Board of the Town of Somers extend SSD1 so that the boundaries of the SSD1 as extended will include the Property shown on Exhibit A. For purposes of this Petition, such extension of the SSD1 shall be referred to as "the SSD1 Expansion Area".

- 4. Attached hereto and made part hereof as Exhibits A & B are maps of the existing and proposed boundaries of the SSD1, including an enlarged plan, illustrating the individual properties already located within the existing boundaries of the SSD1 and the Peekskill Sanitary Sewer District and the expansion of such districts as requested by this Petition. Said Exhibits are entitled "Exhibit A Enlarged Somers Sewer #1 and Peekskill Sanitary Sewer Districts Expansion Map" and "Exhibit B Somers Sewer #1 and Peekskill Sanitary Sewer Districts Expansion Map".
- 5. Attached hereto and made part hereof as Exhibits C and D are engineering drawings showing the preliminary general plan of proposed improvements within the SSD1 Expansion Area. Exhibit C is entitled "Grading & Utilities Plan" consisting of three total sheets, last revised January 31, 2024 (Drawing SP-2.1, SP-2.2, and SP-2.3) and Exhibit D is entitled "Offsite Utilities Plan", dated January 31, 2024 (Drawing SP-2.4)" as prepared by Insite Engineering, Surveying & Landscape Architecture, P.C., an engineering firm duly licensed by the State of New York. The final design of the proposed improvements is subject to approval by Town of Somers and Westchester County authorities. As set forth thereon, the following sewer infrastructure elements are proposed to be constructed at no cost or expense to SSD1 or the Town of Somers, it being understood that the term "offsite" shall refer to improvements located within the public right-of-way and off the site of the Property and the term "onsite" shall refer to improvements located on the Property:

### A. Offsite Improvements:

- a. Proposed Sewer Manholes along Reynolds Drive, Columbus Street, and Hoyt Street (approximately 8);
- b. Proposed Sewer Main along Reynolds Drive, Columbus Street, and Hoyt Street (approximately 1,210 feet in length);
- c. Proposed Sewer Forcemain from onsite sewer pump station (approximately 340 feet in length)

### B. Onsite Improvements:

- i. Sewer Manholes (approximately 26);
- ii. Sewer Main (approximately 4,140 length feet);
- iii. Sewer Forcemain (approximately 2,650 feet in length);
- iv. Two sewer pump stations and two valve pits.
- 6. Attached hereto and made part hereof as Exhibit E is an Engineering Report entitled "Wastewater Engineering Report for Trailside Estates at Somers, Town of Somers, New York dated January 31, 2024" as prepared by Insite Engineering, Surveying & Landscape Architecture, P. C.
- 7. The SSD1 Expansion Area includes the Property as described above, which such property consists of approximately 56.8 acres which is proposed to be developed in accordance with plans submitted to the Planning Board of the Town of Somers. As set forth above, such plans contemplate the development of the Property for a residential townhouse community of 81 units with associated site appurtenances together with a 6000 square foot Community Center described above.

- 8. As set forth above, no portion of the cost of the proposed infrastructure improvements as preliminarily shown on Exhibits C and D will be borne by SSD1 or the Town of Somers. No amounts are to be expended by the Town of Somers or SSD1 for construction of proposed improvements necessary to provide sewer service to the Property as set forth in Exhibits C and D and the residential townhouse community and the Community Center to be constructed on the Property. All costs associated with the review, approval, inspection and acceptance of the proposed facilities shall be the responsibility of Petitioner.
- 9. Upon completion, the infrastructure improvements, both onsite and offsite referenced above shall be turned over to the SSD1 and any private property in which such improvements shall be located shall be made accessible by the deeding of any necessary access easements on the Property. Sewer service laterals to each of the proposed 81 townhouse unit buildings on the Property will not be turned over to the SSDI. Sewer service lateral for the proposed Community Center will be turned over to the Town of Somers as part of the 7.5 acre lot upon which it is constructed that the Petitioner will dedicate to the Town of Somers.
- Treatment Plant, SSD1 is part of the Westchester County Peekskill Sanitary Sewer District. As a consequence of the foregoing, expansion of SSD1 as requested by this Petition requires expansion of the Westchester County Peekskill Sanitary Sewer District. It should be noted in this regard that Tax parcel 4.20-1-12 is already in the Westchester County Peekskill Sanitary Sewer District. This Petition therefore also seeks to expand the Westchester County Peekskill

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The confirming boundary of the Westchester County Sewer District was obtained from Westchester County GIS mapping (giswww.westchestergov.com/gismap/). In accordance with the website's description of layer, "The data

Sanitary Sewer District to include the entirety of the Property. Expansion of the Westchester County Peekskill Sanitary Sewer District is required to be authorized by the Westchester County Board of Legislators upon petition being made therefor by the municipal agency having jurisdiction over SSD1, the Town Board of the Town of Somers. As expansion of the Westchester County Peekskill Sanitary Sewer District is a condition precedent to expansion of SSD1, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Town Board petition the Westchester County Board of Legislators for an expansion of the Westchester County Peekskill Sanitary Sewer District to the same extent requested by this Petition, i.e., to include the Property which is the subject matter of this Petition.

11. Petitioner agrees to comply with the rules and regulations of the SSD1 as presently existing or as same may be amended in the future, including all rates and fee schedules.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that (a) the Town Board of the Town of Somers extend the Somers Sewer District #1 as hereinabove proposed and described, and that a Public Hearing thereon be held according to law; and (b) the Town Board of the Town of Somers Petition the Westchester County Board of Legislators for a corresponding extension of the Westchester County Peekskill Sanitary Sewer District.

layer was derived from sewer districts mapped by the Department of Planning in 1997. Data was updated in 2020 to reflect all available Board of Legislators (BOL) approved additions and take-outs to the year 2019. Updates also include district boundaries updates in June 2015 by GUIS to conform to new Westchester County Municipal Boundaries data layer updated in 2014."

### PARKVIEW B & G LLC.

By: Kenneth Kearney, Member-Manager

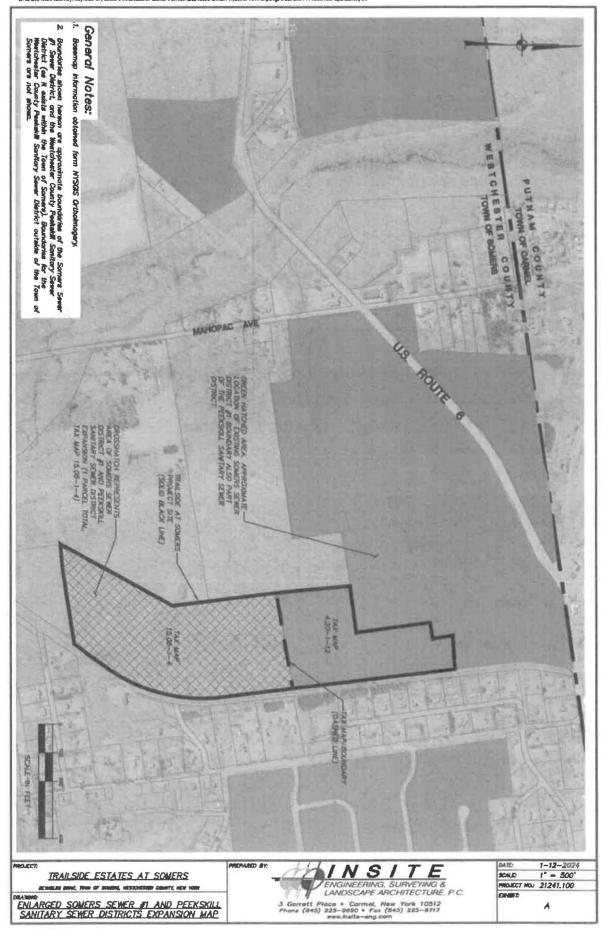
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On the 12 day of February, 2024 before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared Kenneth Kearney, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

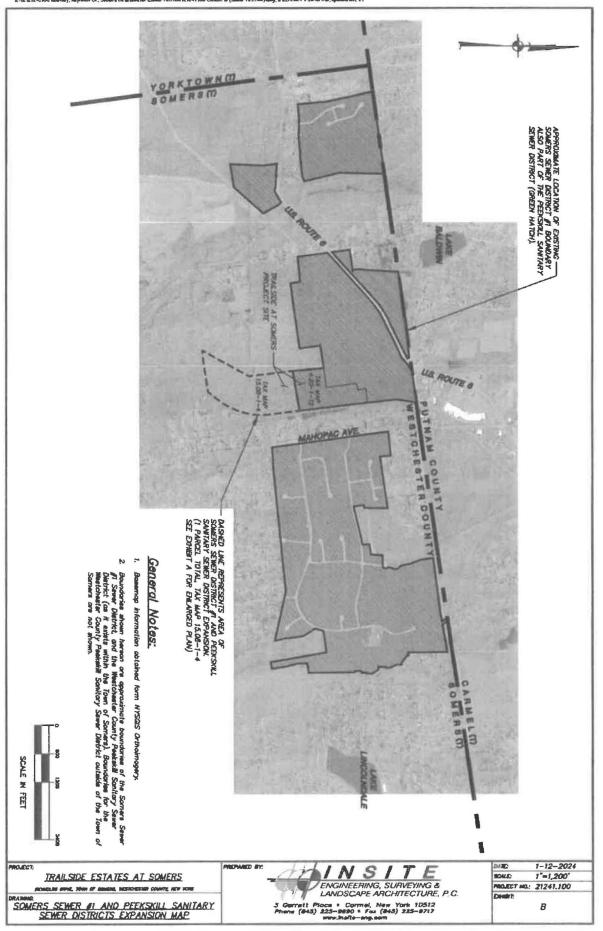
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# **EXHIBIT A**



**EXHIBIT B** 



# **EXHIBIT C**

Grading & Utilities Plan consisting of three total sheets, last revised January 31, 2024 (Drawing SP-2.1, SP-2.2, and SP-2.3), separately submitted

**EXHIBIT D** 

Offsite Utilities Plan, dated January 31, 2024 (Drawing SP-2.4), separately submitted

**EXHIBIT E** 



### **WASTEWATER ENGINEERING REPORT**

For

Trailside Estates at Somers Town of Somers, New York

January 31, 2024

Prepared By

Insite Engineering, Surveying & Landscape Architecture, P.C. 3 Garrett Place Carmel, New York 10512

#### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

The applicant, Parkview B & G, LLC is proposing to construct an 81-unit townhouse community and community center on two parcels totaling 56.8± acres in the Town of Somers. The townhouse units will consist of (58) three-bedroom units and (23) two-bedroom units. The community center will be dedicated to the Town of Somers. The tax parcels are identified as 4.20-1-12 and 15.08-1-4, located in the PH, R40 and R80 zoning districts. Access to the property is proposed through the Somers Realty Planned Hamlet via Reynolds Drive. The site is located on the south side of US Route 6 and between the Somers Realty Planned Hamlet and the North County Trailway.

A portion of the project is shown as being located in the Westchester County Peekskill Sanitray Sewer District. As part of this application, it is proposed to place the entire property in Somers Sewer District 1 and expand the county sewer district to the entirety of the property. A sanitary sewer conveyance system extension down Reynolds Drive consisting of gravity sewer main and sewer manholes was reviewed and approved by the Town and WCDOH as part of the Somers Realty Phase 3 subdivision but was not constructed. The onsite sewer service will be provided by a sewer collection and conveyance system which will connect to the terminal manhole in Reynolds Drive which was reviewed and approved by the Town and WCDOH as part of the Somers Realty Phase 3 subdivision. The sanitary sewer system will consist of an onsite gravity sewer collection and conveyance system which will discharge to one of two proposed pump stations. From the pump stations, a sewer forcemain will convey the sewage to the terminal manhole in Reynolds Drive.

#### 2.0 PROJECT DESIGN FLOWS AND ANTICIPATED FLOWS

Design maximum daily wastewater flows for the proposed project are based on the hydraulic loading rates given in the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) publication *Design Standards for Intermediate Sized Wastewater Treatment Works – 2014* (Dec 14). The following table calculates the hydraulic loading rates and the design flow rates (gallons per day or gpd) for the proposed project.

Proposed Use	Hydraulic  Loading Rate	Design Maximum Daily  Domestic Flow  (gpd)	
58 - Three Bedroom Townhomes	330 gpd/dwelling	19,140	
23 - Two Bedroom Townhomes	220 gpd/dwelling	5,060	
Town Community Center	-	1,000	
Total		25,200	

**Table 1: Project Design Maximum Daily Flow Rate** 

For preliminary purposes, an estimate of 1,000 gpd is assumed for the proposed community center to be dedicated to the Town of Somers.. As the project advances an actual maximum daily flow for the community center will be established based on discussions with the Town on anticipated use.

The anticipated design average daily flows for the project is expected to be significantly less then the design maximum daily design flow. The design maximum daily flows represent conservative flows to ensure that the proposed water works are designed with an ample factor of safety. The anticipated actual flows are based on occupancy rates and measured data for water use. Statistical data (obtained from Rutgers University, Center for Urban Policy Research, Residential Demographic Multipliers, June 2006) for the average number of occupants in a single-family attached dwelling which are owner-occupied (based on number of bedrooms) was used to calculate the expected number of residents anticipated for

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the project as shown in the table below. Data from the American Water Works Association (AWWA) shows that the average in home water use is 69 gpd per person. This number is reduced to 45 gpd per person when water saving fixtures are used, which is the case for this project.

Table 2: Design Average Daily Flow

Proposed Use	Occupancy Rate	Total Anticipated Residents	Water Use Per Resident (gpd)	Water Use (gpd)
Town Community Center		-	-	1,000
58 -Three Bedroom Townhomes	3.08 people/unit	179	45	8,055
23 - Two Bedroom Townhomes	2.16 people/unit	50	45	2,250
	Tota	Anticipated V	/ater Use (gpd)	11,305

As demonstrated above, through the use of water saving fixtures as required by current building code, a design maximum flow of 25,200 gpd is proposed for the project, while the actual anticipated flows are 11,305 gpd.

Although the anticipated average daily flow for the project is lower than the design maximum daily flows, the design maximum daily flows are used for the design of the system. This provides an additional factor of safety in the proposed design.

The peak hourly flow for the domestic and park is calculated using a peaking factor that is based on the population of the subject project. *Recommended Standards for Wastewater Facilities - 2004* was used to determine a peaking factor of four.

#### Peak Hourly Flow

25,200 gpd  $\div$  (24 hr/day)  $\div$  (60 min/hr) = 17.5 gallons per minute (gpm) Peak Hourly Flow = 17.5 gpm x 4 = **70.0 gpm** 

# 3.0 PROPOSED CONNECTION TO SOMERS SEWER DISTRICT #1 AND THE WESTCHESTER COUNTY PEEKSKILL SANITARY SEWER DISTRICT

Existing 6 inch and 8-inch ductile iron pipe (DIP) forcemains run along US Route 6. These sewer forcemains originate in The Preserves development, and run along US Route 6 ultimately discharging into a manhole located at the intersection of Hill and Lee Boulevards in the Town of Yorktown. Sewage then flows by gravity into the Peekskill Wastewater Treatment Plant. The sewer forcemains north of the project site are owned by the Town of Somers and are part of Somers Sewer District #1. Since the sewage from Somers Sewage District #1 discharges to the Peekskill Wastewater Treatment Plant, Somers Sewer District #1 is also part of the Westchester County Peekskill Sanitary Sewer District. The Trailside Estates at Somers Project is proposing to connect to the conveyance system constructed as part of the Somers Realty Planned Hamlet which ultimately discharges to the existing 6 inch and 8-inch diameter forcemains.

The Peekskill Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) is approved for a monthly average flow of 10 mgd (million gallons per day). Based on review of the discharge monitoring reports from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the Peekskill WWTP has averaged between 5.15 to 8.11 mgd over the past 24 months. The proposed project would create an additional 0.03 mgd. Therefore, there is sufficient capacity in the Peekskill WWTP to accommodate the proposed project.

#### 4.0 PROPOSED COLLECTION SYSTEM COMPONENTS

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A gravity sewage collection and conveyance system consisting of 8-inch diameter PVC SDR 35 sewer mains and precast concrete manholes will be installed onsite. The sewage collection and conveyance system will flow by gravity to one of two onsite pump stations. Two duplex pump stations are proposed to be installed and will connect to the approved terminal sewer manhole and gravity sewer system along Reynolds Drive. A backup generator will be provided for each pump station to power the pumps in the event of power failure. The proposed sewer collection and conveyance system will consist of

both onsite improvements and offsite improvements along Reynolds Drive, Columbus Street and Hoyt Street. The onsite and offsite improvements are proposed to consist of the following:

#### A. Offsite Improvements:

a. Proposed Sewer Manholes: 8 Total

b. Proposed 8" Diameter Sewer Main: 1,210 length feet

c. Proposed Sewer Forcemain: 340 length feet

#### B. Onsite Improvements:

a. Proposed Sewer Manholes: 26 Total

b. Proposed 8" Diameter Sewer Main: 4,140 length feet

c. Proposed Sewer Forcemain: 2,650 length feet

d. Two Sewer Pump Stations and Two Valve Pits

Wastewater flow from each townhome will be conveyed by individual 4" diameter PVC SDR 35 sewer service connection. The service connections will be installed with a minimum slope of ¼" per foot meeting the requirements of DEC 14. Each sewer service connection will connect to an 8" PVC SDR 35 gravity sewer main. The 8" gravity sewer mains will flow the proposed onsite pump stations to be conveyed to the sewer conveyance system along Reynolds Drive which was previously approved and proposed to be constructed as part of this project. As part of the proposed connection the Somers Realty Planned Hamlet Pump Station will be analyzed to determine if any modifications are necessary.

All PVC SDR 35 pipe will contain rubber push on gaskets at pipe connections. Sewer manholes will be installed at all bends for access and maintenance. All sewer manholes will have exterior asphalt coating and contain water tight connections at all pipe connections. Cleanouts will be provided on each sewer service connection just outside of the townhomes. All sewer mains will be pressure tested, and all manholes vacuum tested in accordance with the *Recommended Standards for Wastewater Treatment Works*.

#### 5.0 PUMP STATION DESIGN

Wastewater flow from each townhome and the proposed community center will be conveyed by gravity to one of two onsite sewer pump stations. Sewer pump station #1 is located at the southern end of the project site. Wastewater from the southern most 60 townhome units are conveyed by gravity to sewer pump station #1. From pump station #1, a sewer forcemain conveys the wastewater across the project site and discharges to an onsite sewer manhole where it is then conveyed by gravity to sewer pump station #2. Sewer pump station #2 is located in the northeast corner of the project site. The wastewater from the remaining 21 townhome units and community center are conveyed by gravity to sewer pump station #2. The sewer forcemain from pump station #2 conveys all of the onsite wastewater to the terminal sewer manhole along Reynolds Drive.

The pump stations will be sized to convey at a minimum the peak hourly flow from the subject project and the community center. The pumps will need to achieve this flow rate while pumping against the static and friction heads in the system. The static head the pumps will need to overcome will be from the liquid level in the pump station wet well the elevation of the terminal sewer manhole along Reynolds Drive. Duplex grinder pumps are proposed for each pump station. The grinder pumps allows a smaller diameter forcemain, which will help to achieve a minimum velocity of 2.0 ft/s in the proposed forcemains in accordance with DEC 14. A 3-inch diameter forcemain is envisioned. Headloss calculations and pump sizing will be provided in future reports.

#### 5.1 Pumps and Pump Controls

Duplex submersible grinder pumps are proposed to convey the sewage flow contributing to each pump station generated from the proposed development. The pumps will be housed in a six-foot diameter wet well. The submersible pumps will be controlled via a liquid level probe in the wet well that will turn the pumps on or off depending on the water level within the wet well. The pump

controller will also alternate the lead/lag designation of the pumps. Additionally, a backup float system will be provided to operate the pumps independent of the probe controls in the event of a probe control system failure.

#### 5.2 Pump Design Criteria

As discussed above, the pump design is based on the average design flow reaching the pump station and a peaking factor of 4.0. The static head and losses associated with bends, entrance and exit losses and valves to calculate a total dynamic head (TDH) at the peak flow using a Hazen-Williams "C "value of 120. The specific flows and TDHs for the pump station are discussed below.

Based upon an average daily flow rate of 25,200 gallons per day (gpd) and a peaking factor of 4.0, a peak design sewage inflow rate of 70 gallons per minute (gpm) was calculated for the entire project. Separate peak design sewage inflow rates will be calculated for each pump station based on the number of townhomes conveyed to each station.

#### 5.3 Pump Controls

A submersible level control system is proposed for each of the pump stations. This system is composed of a submersible level transducer to control and monitor the operation of the duplex pump station and provide lead-lag automatic alternation, high and low level alarms (Visual and Audible).

Both submersible grinder pumps within each pump station will shut off at the "both pumps off" set point. When the level in the wet well rises to the second set point, "lead pump on", a signal will be sent to the control panel to turn the lead pump on. The "lead pump on" set point will be 1 foot above the "both pumps off" set point. The lead pump shall operate until the liquid level reaches both pumps off level (pump(s) shut off). If the liquid level in the wet well continues to rise to the "lag pump on" set point, 6 inches above the "lead pump on" set point, the control panel will, in addition to the lead pump, turn on the lag pump. The further rise of the liquid level within the wet well 6 inches to "High Level Alarm" set point will result in an alarm condition being transmitted to operating personnel via an auto-dialer to the sewer system operator.

In the event that the primary control system fails to operate the pumps, and the wet well level rises above the high-level alarm set point, a back-up float pump control system will override the primary pump controller and take over control of the pumps. Upon the liquid level reaching 6 inches above the "high level alarm", the back-up float will turn on both the lead and lag (after 45 second delay for lag) pumps. Upon the liquid level reaching 6 inches below the low alarm," a backup float will simultaneously turn both pumps off. The station will continue to operate in this mode until the alarm condition is corrected and the primary pump control system has been placed back into operation.

#### 5.4 Wet Well

The pump station wet well has been designed based on the average daily flow reaching the pump station. The pump dose volume for each pump station is set to provide less than 30-minute detention time, at the average daily flow as recommended by *Recommended Standards for Wastewater Facilities*.

Guiderails for the lifting and lowering of the proposed submersible grinder pumps will be provided. A portable hoist socket has been provided at the top of the wet well. This socket will be compatible with a portable hoist currently used by the Somers Sewer Department in order to lift and lower the submersible pumps.

#### 5.5 Valve Pit

A precast concrete valve pit will be provided for the pump station to house gate valves, check valves, plug valves and a bypass piping system. The valve pit will also house discharge pressure

gauges on the forcemain. The valve pit will be provided with a floor drain to the wet well for removal of accumulated water. A gate valve will be provided on the drain line.

#### 5.6 Check Valves

Check valves will be provided on both pump discharge headers. The proposed check valves will be swing type with a weight and lever. The check valves will have a pressure rating of 150 psi.

#### 5.7 Control Panel

The controls for the pump station will be post mounted inside the pump station fence. Controls will include power panels, a transfer switch for auxiliary power, pump control panel, and an autodialer. The controls will be house in a weather proof NEMA enclosure. Access to the pump pit area will be provided via a 10-foot wide gate.

#### 5.8 Auto-dialer and Alarm Communication

In order to transmit pump station alarm conditions, an autodialer with telephone will be provided. Alarm conditions will include pump station "Wet Well High Level" alarm, "Wet Well Low Level" alarm, "Power Failure" alarm and "Pump Failure" alarm. The auto-dialer will be capable of transmitting the four alarms separately. The power and pump failure systems will also have contacts connected to the autodialer. The autodialer shall call a designated representative of the owner and Adam Smith at the Town of Somers Sewer Department. Dial out numbers will be coordinated at startup.

#### 5.9 Forcemains

The proposed sewer forcemains will be used to convey raw sewage from the sewer pump stations to the terminal sewer manhole along Reynolds Drive. Two (2) 3" diameter PVC SDR 21 forcemains are envisioned. The PVC SDR 21 will have bell and spigot joints and factory installed gaskets. The fittings and elbows will be glued SCH 80 fittings. Any horizontal or vertical bends will be provided with concrete thrust blocks. The forcemain shall be provided with 3'-6" minimum cover.

#### 5.10 Emergency Backup Power

The controls, autodialer and telephone modem will be connected to an uninterrupted power supply (UPS) to maintain control and communications while the backup generator starts.

A natural gas generator will supply backup power. The generator will be able to run both the lead and lag pump, controls and communications. An automatic transfer switch will provide automatic startup of the backup generator and automatic transfer between primary and backup power as required.

## EXHfflIT "B"

Record & Return to: Roland A. Baroni, Jr. ABRAMSFENSTERMAN,LLP 81 Main Street, Suite 400 White Plains, NY 10601

At a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Somers at Town Hall located at 335 Route 202, Somers, Westchester County, New York on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025 at 7:00 P.M.

# RESOLUTION TO EXTEND THE SOMERS SEWER DISTRICT #1

WHEREAS, a Petition, Map, Plan and Report have been prepared by PARK.VIEW B & G, LLC dated April 12, 2024, for the extension of the Somers Sewer District #1 of the Town of Somers, New York, and duly presented to this Town Board; and

WHEREAS, an Order was duly adopted by the Town Board on October 10, 2024, reciting the filing of said petition, the improvements proposed, the boundaries of the proposed extension, and the estimated expenses thereof and specifying November 14, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. as the time and the Town Hall in said Town as the place where the said Board would meet to consider the petition and to hear all persons interested in the subject thereof, concerning the same; and

WHEREAS, such Order was duly posted, published and served as required by law; and

WHEREAS, a hearing in the matter was duly held by the Board on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024 commencing at 7:00 p.m. o'clock at the Town Hall in said Town and considerable discussion upon the matter having been had, and all persons desiring to be heard having been duly heard and thereupon the hearing being duly closed; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board as Lead Agency under SEQRA adopted a Negative Declaration February 13, 2025 having conducted a complete environmental review under SEQRA; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has reviewed the submissions for the Proposed Action and, in particular, the Map, Plan and Report dated April 12, 2024, pertaining to the proposed extension of the Somers Sewer District #1; and

WHEREAS, based upon its review of the submitted petition and the environmental record for the Proposed Action, the Town Board makes the following environmental findings pursuant to SEQRA:

1. As discussed in the Map, Plan and Report, there is adequate capacity in the existing system to service the project.

- 2. The Town Board has weighed and balanced relevant environmental impacts with social, economic and other considerations.
- 3. The Town Board hereby certifies that the requirements of Part 617 of Title 6 NYCRR have been met.
- 4. The Town Board hereby certifies that consistent with the social, economic and other essential considerations, from among the reasonable alternatives available, the action is one that avoids or minimizes adverse environmental impacts to the maximum extent practicable, and that adverse environmental impacts will be avoided or minimized to the maximum extent practicable by incorporating as conditions to the decision those mitigative measures that were identified as practicable.

NOW, upon the evidence given at such hearing and on motion of Supervisor Scorrano seconded by Councilman Cirieco, it is

RESOLVED AND DETERMINED, that (a) the petition aforesaid is signed and acknowledged or proved as required by law, it duly complies with the requirements of Section 191 of the Town Law as to sufficiency of signers with respect to the boundaries of the proposed district extension as herein approved and it is otherwise sufficient; (b) all property and property owners within the proposed district extension are benefitted thereby; (c) all the property and property owners benefitted are included within the limits of the proposed district expansion; and (d) that it is in the public interest to grant in whole the relief sought; and it is further

RESOLVED AND DETERMINED, that the extension of the Somers Sewer District #1 as proposed in said petition be approved; that such extension be designated as "Parkview Water Extension"; that the improvements to be constructed by the Petitioner or its successors be constructed at the sole cost and expense of the Petitioner, and such extension be bounded and described as set forth in **Schedule A** attached hereto; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the Town Clerk shall file certified copies thereof, in duplicate, in the office of the State Department of Audit and Control in Albany, New York and record same with the County Clerk, County of Westchester, Division of Land Records within ten (10) days hereof.

Roll Call:	Vote:
Hon. Robert Scorrano Councilman Anthony Cirieco Councilman William Faulkner Councilman Richard G. Clinchy Councilman Thomas A. Garrity	AYE AYE AYE AYE AYE

### STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER TOWN OF SOMERS

I, PATRICIA KALBA, Town Clerk of the Town of Somers, do hereby certify that I have compared the preceding Resolution with the original thereof filed in my office at Town Hall, 335 Route 202, Somers, Westchester County, New York, that the same is a true and correct copy of said original and the whole thereof.

I further certify that all members of the Town Board had due notice of the meeting at which said resolution was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Town this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025.

PATRICIA KALBA

Town Clerk

STATE OF NEW YORK ) ss.: COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER )

On the 19<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year 2025 before me, the undersigned personally appeared PATRICIA KALBA, Town Clerk of the Town of Somers, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

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## **SCHEDULEA**

Tax Parcels

- 1. 4.20-1-12
- 2. 15.08-1-4

## EXHJBIT "C"

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- 4. The Town Board hereby certifies that consistent with the social, economic and other essential considerations, from among the reasonable alternatives available, the action is one that avoids or minimizes adverse environmental impacts to the maximum extent practicable, and that adverse environmental impacts will be avoided or minimized to the maximum extent practicable by incorporating as conditions to the decision those mitigative measures that were identified as practicable.

NOW, upon the evidence given at such hearing and on motion of Supervisor Scorrano seconded by Councilman Faulkner, it is

RESOLVED AND DETERMINED, that (a) the petition aforesaid is signed and acknowledged or proved as required by law, it duly complies with the requirements of Section 191 of the Town Law as to sufficiency of signers with respect to the boundaries of the proposed district extension as herein approved and it is otherwise sufficient; (b) all property and property owners within the proposed district extension are benefitted thereby; (c) all the property and property owners benefitted are included within the limits of the proposed district expansion; and (d) that it is in the public interest to grant in whole the relief sought; and it is further

RESOLVED AND DETERMINED, that the extension of the Somers Consolidated Water District No. 1 as proposed in said petition be approved; that such extension be designated as "Parkview Water Extension"; that the improvements to be constructed by the Petitioner or its successors be constructed at the sole cost and expense of the Petitioner, and such extension be bounded and described as set forth in **Schedule A** attached hereto; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the Town Clerk shall file certified copies thereof, in duplicate, in the office of the State Department of Audit and Control in Albany, New York and record same with the County Clerk, County of Westchester, Division of Land Records within ten (10) days hereof.

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Roll Call:	vote:
Hon. Robert Scorrano	AYE
Councilman Anthony Cirieco	AYE
Councilman William Faulkner	AYE
Councilman Richard G. Clinchy	AYE
Councilman Thomas A. Garrity	AYE

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# COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER TOWN OF SOMERS

I, PATRICIA KALBA, Town Clerk of the Town of Somers, do hereby certify that I have compared the preceding Resolution with the original thereof filed in my office at Town Hall, 335 Route 202, Somers, Westchester County, New York, that the same is a true and correct copy of said original and the whole thereof.

I further certify that all members of the Town Board had due notice of the meeting at which said resolution was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Town this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025.

ATRICIA KALBA

Town Clerk

STATE OF NEW YORK ) ) ss.: COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER )

On the 19<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year 2025 before me, the undersigned personally appeared PATRICIA KALBA, Town Clerk of the Town of Somers, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

Votary Public

### **SCHEDULEA**

### Tax Parcels

- 1.4.20-1-12
- 2. 15.08-1-4