RESO 2014-40: SUPPORT LOCATION OF A CASINO IN BROOME COUNTY

PRESENT:
Supervisor James E. Finch
Councilman Gary D. Bullock
Councilman Charles Francisco
Councilman Jerry Minoia
Councilman William Dumian, Jr.

Offered By: Mr. Bullock Seconded By: Mr. Minoia

Whereas, the citizens of the State of New York overwhelmingly voted in the affirmative to amend 9 of Article 1 of the Constitution to allow the authorization of up to seven Class III casinos in New York State, and

Whereas, the Governor announced that the first four casinos will be built in Upstate New York, including at least one in the Southern Tier/Central Region, which includes Broome County, and

Whereas, it is projected that the construction of these Class III casinos will promote significant job growth, increase aid to schools, and permit local governments to lower property taxes through revenues generated for the host communities, which would accordingly inure to the benefit of Broome County in the event that a Broome County site was selected,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that in furtherance of the above goals, the Town Board of the Town of Conklin hereby declares its support for locating one of the proposed casinos within Broome County, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution shall be sent to the New York State Gaming Commission, Governor Andrew Cuomo, New York State Senator Thomas Libous, New York State Assemblywoman Donna Lupardo, New York State Assemblyman Clifford Crouch, and New York State Assemblyman Christopher Friend.

CERTIFICATION

I, Sherrie L. Jacobs, do hereby certify that I am the Town Clerk of the Town of Conklin and that the foregoing constitutes a true, correct, and complete copy of a resolution duly adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Conklin at a meeting thereof held at the Conklin Town Hall, 1271 Conklin Road, Conklin, New York, on March 11, 2014. Said resolution was adopted by the following roll call vote:

Supervisor James E. Finch YES
Councilman Gary D. Bullock YES
Councilman William Dumian, Jr. YES
Councilman Charles Francisco YES
Councilman Jerry Minoia YES
Dated: March 11, 2014
Town of Conklin Seal

Sherrie L. Jacobs, Town Clerk of the Town of Conklin