May 5, 2021 Town Board RESOLUTION made by Auchmoody, seconded by Guerriero

OF THE TOWN OF LLOYD IN ULSTER COUNTY, NEW YORK

AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF LLOYD

TO SUBMIT A LETTER TO THE NYSDEC REGARDING EVALUATION OF IMPACT ON NYCDEP RELEASES TO THE LOWER ESOPUS CREEK.

WHEREAS, the Town of Lloyd relies on the Hudson River to supply safe and potable drinking water for our thousands of residents, and

WHEREAS, the Town of Lloyd has previously joined the Hudson 7, a coalition of regional municipalities whose purpose is to ensure the continued availability of safe and potable drinking water, and

WHEREAS, Riverkeeper has advised the Town of Lloyd and other municipalities regarding its serious concern about New York City’s discharge of turbid water from the Ashokan Reservoir into the lower Esopus Creek, which in turn flows into the Hudson River, and it has provided the Town with a sample resolution, by which the Town could express to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (“DEC”) the critical importance of DEC carefully reviewing New York City’s request for a SPDES permit to allow discharges of turbid water, and to request environmental impacts from the proposed discharges will be avoided or minimized to the greatest extent practicable, including through the consideration and implementation of alternative processes, now,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Board of the Town of Lloyd adopts the resolution annexed hereto as Exhibit A and authorizes the Town of Lloyd to transmit it, in substantially the form annexed, to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation.

Roll Call: Pizzuto, aye; Winslow, aye; Guerriero, aye; Auchmoody, aye

Four ayes carried

Frederick B. Pizzuto
Supervisor, Town of Lloyd

[Signature]

5/14/21

Date