

At a Regular Meeting of the
Town Board held in and for
the Town of Oswego on the
8th day of February, 2022, at
6:00 P.M. at the Town Hall.

AMENDED
SEQRA RESOLUTION
(Declaring a Negative Declaration for REDI PROJECT #CO.38)

WHEREAS, on or about June 9, 2020, the Town Board for the Town of Oswego adopted a SEQRA Resolution declaring the upgrades to the Lakeshore Road project for which the Town of Oswego is the recipient of a Resiliency and Economic Development Initiative (REDI) grant to have no negative impact on the environment and thus issued a Negative Declaration; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board, in consultation with its project engineers BCA Architects & Engineers (BCA), has further determined that the initial SEQRA Resolution did not adequately address the wetland mitigation requirements related to this project, and thus recommended an amended Short Environmental Assessment Form (SEAF) be prepared, and reviewed by the Town Board; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board for the Town of Oswego (the “Town Board”) has reviewed the recommendation of BCA and has caused a revised SEAF to be prepared which further addresses the permanent loss of approximately 6934 Square feet of Palustrine Shrub-Scrub wetlands and 398 square feet of Palustrine Forested wetland, with a permanent impact resulting in the conversion of 436 square feet of open water to wetlands, and a temporary impact of 2,269 square feet of open water area; and

WHEREAS, by resolution dated December 14, 2021, the Town Board declared itself the Lead Agency under a coordinated review by several involved state and local agencies to ensure an efficient and thorough review of the issues of any environmental significance of the Projects; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has reviewed and completed Parts 2 & 3 of the Short Environmental Assessment Form (SEAF) for the project and believes a Determination of Significance is appropriate at this time; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board further believes that it is in the best interest of the Town of Oswego, its residents and businesses to pursue the construction of the project for which this REDI grant was provided, and that said construction activity and the final engineered work to be performed to make the Lake Ontario shoreline located within the Town of Oswego more resilient will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts; now, therefore it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the Town Board for the Town of Oswego has reviewed and accepts Parts 2 & 3 of the SEAF prepared by BCA for the REDI Project No. 38 and commonly referred to as the Lakeshore Road REDI project; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the Town Board declares that based upon its review of the information prepared by BCA, taking into consideration the comments of all Involved Agencies that commented on the Project, and the board members' general knowledge of the Project, that the proposed actions to be taken in relation to REDI Project No. 38 will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts and thus a negative declaration is hereby directed to be prepared by the Town Attorney and filed with the Environmental Notice Bulletin, and an advertisement of sufficient information be published in the Palladium-Times, the official newspaper of the Town of Oswego, all in accordance with the requirements of the REDI grant program; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the Town Supervisor is hereby authorized to execute any documents necessary to give effect to this resolution.

The Resolution was made by Councilor Herrmann and seconded by Councilor Tesoriero and voted on by the Members of the Town Board in attendance and constituting a quorum in accordance with the following roll call vote:

DANIEL GURNEY, SUPERVISOR	YES []	NO []
GREG HERRMANN, COUNCILOR	YES []	NO []
RICHARD TESORIERO, COUNCILOR	YES []	NO []
JONATHAN FOWLER, COUNCILOR	YES []	NO []
DAVID STERIO, COUNCILOR	YES []	NO []

The Resolution, having been duly voted upon, is adopted by a roll call vote in accordance with the foregoing.

Dated: February 8, 2022

NIKKI FOWLER, TOWN CLERK

Certification

I, Nikki Fowler, the duly appointed Town Clerk of the Town of Oswego, do hereby certify that the following Resolution was adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Town Board held on February 8, 2022, and is on file and of record in the office of the Town Clerk for the Town of Oswego, and that said Resolution has not been altered, amended or revoked and is in full force and effect.

Dated: February __, 2022

NIKKI FOWLER, TOWN CLERK
TOWN OF OSWEGO