LIF Industries, LLC (2016 Transaction) - Consent Resolution

A regular meeting of the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") was convened in public session at the Theodore Roosevelt Executive & Legislative Building, Legislative Chambers, 1550 Franklin Avenue, Mineola, Nassau County, New York, on December 19, 2024, at 5:00 p.m., local time.

The meeting was called to order by the Chair, upon roll being called, the following members of the Agency were:

PRESENT:

William H. Rockensies

Chair

John Coumatos

Asst. Treasurer

Reginald A. Spinello

Member

Marco Troiano

Member

Joseph Manzella

Member

Marissa Brown

Member

NOT PRESENT:

Raymond Pinto

Secretary

THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL PERSONS WERE PRESENT:

Sheldon L. Shrenkel

Chief Executive Officer/Executive Director

Anne LaMorte

Chief Financial Officer

Colleen Pereira

Administrative Director

Stephanie Alfano

Temporary Administrative Assistant

Anthony Marano

Agency Counsel

Paul O'Brien

Bond/Transaction Counsel

The attached resolution no. 2024-84 was offered by R. Spinello, seconded by J. Manzella.

Resolution No. 2024 - 84

RESOLUTION TAKING OFFICIAL ACTION TOWARD AND APPROVING CERTAIN MATTERS IN CONNECTION WITH A CERTAIN PROJECT FOR LIF INDUSTRIES, LLC

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") is authorized and empowered by the provisions of Chapter 1030 of the 1969 Laws of New York, constituting Title 1 of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law, Chapter 24 of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "Enabling Act"), and Chapter 674 of the 1975 Laws of New York, as amended, constituting Section 922 of said General Municipal Law (said Chapter and the Enabling Act being hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Act") to promote, develop, encourage and assist in the acquiring, constructing, reconstructing, improving, maintaining, equipping and furnishing of manufacturing, industrial and commercial facilities, among others, for the purpose of promoting, attracting and developing economically sound commerce and industry to advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York, to improve their prosperity and standard of living, and to prevent unemployment and economic deterioration; and

WHEREAS, to accomplish its stated purposes, the Agency is authorized and empowered under the Act to acquire, construct, reconstruct and install one or more "projects" (as defined in the Act) or to cause said projects to be acquired, constructed, reconstructed and installed and to convey said projects or to lease said projects with the obligation to purchase; and

WHEREAS, LIF INDUSTRIES, INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York (the "Applicant"), presented an application for financial assistance (the "Application") to the Agency, which Application requested that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") consisting of the following: (A)(1) the acquisition of an interest in an approximately 7.66 acre parcel of land located at 5 Harbor Park Drive, Port Washington, Town of North Hempstead, Nassau County, New York (Section: 6; Block: 86; Lots: 4, 5, 6A and 6B) (the "5 Harbor Parcel"), (2) the renovation of the existing building (collectively, the "5 Harbor Building") on the 5 Harbor Parcel, together with related improvements to the 5 Harbor Parcel, and (3) the acquisition of certain furniture, fixtures, machinery and equipment (the "5 Harbor Equipment") necessary for the completion thereof (collectively, the "5 Harbor Project Facility"); (B)(1) the acquisition of an interest in an approximately 2.92 acre parcel of land located at 10 Harbor Park Drive, Port Washington, Town of North Hempstead, Nassau County, New York (Section: 6; Block: 58; Lot: 102) (the "10 Harbor Parcel"), (2) the renovation of the existing building (collectively, the "10 Harbor Building") on the 10 Harbor Parcel, together with related improvements to the 10 Harbor Parcel, and (3) the acquisition of certain furniture, fixtures, machinery and equipment (the "10 Harbor Equipment") necessary for the completion thereof (collectively, the "10 Harbor Project Facility"); (C)(1) the acquisition of an interest in an approximately 3.03 acre parcel of land located at 18 Industrial Park Drive, Port Washington, Town of North Hempstead, Nassau County, New York (Section: 6; Block: 86; Lot: 9) (the "18 Industrial Parcel" and together with the 5 Harbor Parcel and the 10 Harbor Parcel, collectively, the "Land"), (2) the renovation of the existing building (collectively, the "18 Industrial Building" and together with the 5 Harbor Building and the 10 Harbor Building, collectively, the "Building") on the 18 Industrial Parcel, together with related improvements to the 18 Industrial Parcel, and (3) the

acquisition of certain furniture, fixtures, machinery and equipment (the "18 Industrial Equipment" and together with the 5 Harbor Equipment and the 10 Harbor Equipment, collectively, the "Equipment") necessary for the completion thereof (collectively, the "18 Industrial Project Facility" and together with the 5 Harbor Project Facility and the 10 Harbor Project Facility, collectively, the "Project Facility"), all of the foregoing for use by the Applicant and/or its affiliates as their office, manufacturing, warehousing and distribution facility; (D) the granting of certain "financial assistance" (within the meaning of Section 854(14) of the General Municipal Law) with respect to the foregoing in the form of potential exemptions or partial exemptions from real property taxes, mortgage recording taxes and sales and use taxes (collectively, the "Financial Assistance"); (E) the lease (with an obligation to purchase), license or sale of the Project Facility to the Applicant or such other entity as may be designated by the Applicant and agreed upon by the Agency; and (F) the sublease thereof to the Applicant or such other entity(ies) as may be designated by the Applicant and agreed upon by the Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Agency appointed the Applicant as agent of the Agency to undertake the acquisition, construction, installation and equipping of the Project Facility and the Agency subleased the Project Facility to the Applicant, all pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth in three (3) certain Sublease Agreements, dated as of July 1, 2016 between the Applicant and the Agency, for the 5 Harbor Parcel, 10 Harbor Parcel and 18 Industrial Parcel (as amended, collectively, the "Lease"), and the other Transaction Documents (as defined in the Lease); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to a resolution adopted by the members of the Agency on December 16, 2020, the Agency consented to, <u>inter alia</u>, (a) the transfer of the Applicant's interest in the Project Facility by the Applicant to LIF Industries, LLC (the "Assignee"), and (b) the assignment of the Lease and the other Transaction Documents by the Applicant to the Assignee and the assumption of the Applicant's obligations by the Assignee (including the assignment, amendment or restatement of finance mortgages); and

WHEREAS, the Applicant and the Assignee entered into three (3) certain First Amendments to Sublease Agreement dated as of December 30, 2021 (collectively, the "First Amendment") and related documents pursuant to which the Assignee assumed the obligations of the Applicant under the Lease and the other Transaction Documents; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to a notification and consent request letter from counsel to the Assignee dated December 4, 2024 (the "Consent Request"), the Assignee has requested that the Agency consent to the merger of the Assignee with and into Unified Door and Hardware Group LLC (the "Company") and the amendment of the Lease and the other Transaction Documents as required to effectuate such transfer (collectively, the "Merger Transaction"); and

WHEREAS, no additional Financial Assistance is being requested by the Assignee with respect to such request and, therefore, no public hearing of the Agency is required pursuant to Section 859-a of the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Agency is willing to consent to such requests, subject to the terms of this Resolution;

- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE NASSAU COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, AS FOLLOWS:
- <u>Section 1.</u> Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given to them in the Lease.
- Section 2. The Agency hereby ratifies, confirms and approves actions heretofore taken by the CEO/Executive Director and the staff of the Agency with respect to the matters contemplated by this Resolution, including, without limitation, those actions required to ensure full compliance with the requirements of the Act, Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law (the "SEQR Act") and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto (the "Regulations" and together with the SEQR Act, collectively, "SEQRA"), and all other Applicable Laws that relate thereto.
- Section 3. The Agency determines that the request for consent with respect to a previously approved and unchanged Project is a Type II Action pursuant to SEQRA involving "continuing agency administration" which does not involve "new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment" (6 NYCRR §617.5(c)(20)) and therefore no Findings or determination of significance are required under SEQRA.
- <u>Section 4.</u> No additional Financial Assistance is being requested by the Assignee with respect to the Merger Transaction, and, therefore, no public hearing of the Agency is required pursuant to Section 859-a of the Act.
- <u>Section 5.</u> The Agency has considered the request made by the Assignee and hereby finds and determines that the requested consent will promote the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the inhabitants of Nassau County, New York, and improve their standard of living, and thereby serve the public purposes of the Act.
- Section 6. The Agency hereby determines that the Agency has fully complied with the requirements of the Act, SEQRA and all other Applicable Laws that relate to the Merger Transaction.
- Section 7. The Agency hereby consents to the Merger Transaction as set forth in the Consent Request, subject to the provisions of this Resolution.
- Section 8. The execution and delivery of the documents, instruments and agreements required to effectuate the Merger Transaction (collectively, the "Amendment Documents"), being substantially in the forms used for prior similar transactions, are hereby authorized and approved. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, CEO/Executive Director and Administrative Director of the Agency are each hereby authorized, acting individually or jointly, to execute, acknowledge and deliver the Amendment Documents. The execution and delivery of the Amendment Documents by any one of said officers shall be conclusive evidence of due authorization and approval.
- Section 9. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, CEO/Executive Director and Administrative Director of the Agency are each hereby designated an Authorized Representative of the Agency and each of them is hereby authorized and directed, acting individually or jointly,

to execute and deliver any and all consents, agreements, amendments, papers, instruments, opinions, certificates, affidavits and other documents required in connection with the Amendment Documents (collectively, the "Consent Documents"), and to do and cause to be done any and all acts and things necessary or proper for carrying out this Resolution, including, without limitation, taking any necessary action to obtain consent of any other person or party necessary with respect to execution, delivery and approval of the Consent Documents. The execution and delivery of the Consent Documents by any one of said officers shall be conclusive evidence of due authorization and approval.

Section 10. The authorizations set forth in this Resolution are subject to the conditions that the Assignee shall pay the Agency's consent and amendment fee in the amount of \$750 and shall reimburse the Agency for all actual costs and expenses incurred by the Agency in connection with the transactions contemplated herein, including, without limitation, all reasonable attorneys' fees and disbursements incurred by the Agency, including without limitation, the fees and expenses of Special Counsel, Phillips Lytle LLP.

Section 11. All covenants, stipulations, obligations and agreements of the Agency contained in this Resolution, the Amendment Documents and the Consent Documents shall be deemed to be the covenants, stipulations, obligations and agreements of the Agency to the full extent authorized or permitted by law, and such covenants, stipulations, obligations and agreements shall be binding upon the Agency and its successors from time to time; provided, however, that no covenants, stipulations, obligations or agreements of the Agency contained in this Resolution, any Amendment Document or any Consent Document shall give rise to any pecuniary liability of the Agency or a charge against its general credit or shall obligate the Agency in any way except to the extent that the same can be paid or recovered from the Project Facility or the sale or liquidation of the Project Facility or revenues therefrom.

No covenant, stipulation, obligation or agreement herein contained or contained in any Amendment Document or any Consent Document shall be deemed to be a covenant, stipulation, obligation or agreement of any member, officer, agent or employee of the Agency in his or her individual capacity and neither the members of the Agency nor any officer executing any Amendment Document or any Consent Document shall be liable personally on the Amendment Documents or the Consent Documents or be subject to any personal liability or accountability by reason of the issuance thereof.

- Section 12. The Chairman and CEO/Executive Director of the Agency are each hereby authorized to approve modifications to the terms approved herein which are not inconsistent with the intent and substance of this Resolution, such approval to be evidenced by the execution by any one of such officers of the Amendment Documents and/or the Consent Documents containing such modifications.
- <u>Section 13.</u> Notwithstanding any provision in the Lease or any other Transaction Document to the contrary, the Agency's consent does not and shall not be construed to mean that there are no defaults or events of default under the Lease or any other Transaction Document or that any such defaults or events of default have been or shall be waived by the Agency.

<u>Section 14.</u> The Chair, Vice Chair, CEO/Executive Director and Administrative Director of the Agency, acting individually or jointly, are hereby authorized and directed to distribute copies of this Resolution to the Assignee and such other parties as any such officer may determine.

Section 15. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

| William H. Rockensies | VOTING | Aye |
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| John Coumatos | VOTING | Aye |
| Raymond Pinto | NOT PRESENT | |
| Reginald A. Spinello | VOTING | Aye |
| Marco Troiano | VOTING | Aye |
| Marissa Brown | VOTING | Aye |
| Joseph Manzella | VOTING | Aye |

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

| STATE OF NEW YORK |) |
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| COUNTY OF NASSAU |) |

We, the undersigned [Assistant] Secretary and [Vice] Chair of the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), do hereby certify that we have compared the foregoing extract of the minutes of the meeting of the members of the Agency, including the Resolution contained therein, held on December 19, 2024, with the original thereof on file in our office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of said original and of such Resolution set forth therein and of the whole of said original so far as the same relates to the subject matter therein referred to.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that (A) all members of the Agency had due notice of said meeting; (B) said meeting was in all respects duly held; (C) pursuant to Article 7 of the Public Officers Law (the "Open Meetings Law"), said meeting was open to the general public, and due notice of the time and place of said meeting was duly given in accordance with such Open Meetings Law; and (D) there was a quorum of the members of the Agency present throughout said meeting.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that, as of the date hereof, the attached Resolution is in full force and effect and has not been amended, repealed or rescinded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed the seal of the Agency this 17th day of December, 2024.

Wiee | Chair

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