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Referred to: The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gavaris and Legislators Collins, Hansut, Kovacs, Nolan, and Roberts)

Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, John Gavaris, and Deputy Chair Kevin A. Roberts offer the following:

WHEREAS, this resolution has been submitted at the request of the County Executive on behalf of the Department of Finance; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Finance has requested permission to accept payment of the full amount of back taxes on a certain parcel of real property acquired by the County by reason of non-payment of taxes; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, based upon the examination of the Ulster County Legislature, and pursuant to the County of Ulster's State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA) Type II List that was adopted by the County in Resolution No. 118 on April 20, 2010, and as per Section 4.1.5 of that list, it has been determined that the following transaction does not pose a significant environmental impact and may and constitutes a Type II action in accordance with 6NYCRR, Part 617, of SEQRA, and does not require any determination or procedure under SEQRA; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Ulster County Commissioner of Finance is authorized to accept payment as above set forth with respect to the following parcel:

TOWN	DEED TO	AMOUNT
Shawangunk SBL# 99.1-1-38	Plaza, Jerome B & Plaza, Georgia F. 161 Church Rd. Pine Bush, NY 12566	\$20,586.00
Woodstock SBL# 27.13-4-18.100 Parcel # 165	Auringer, Michael 137 Fair Street Kingston, NY 12401	23,425.00
Woodstock SBL# 27.18-1-4 Parcel # 166	Auringer, Michael J. 137 Fair Street Kingston, NY 12401	63,734.00

and, be it further

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RESOLVED, that upon receipt of such payment with respect to each parcel, the Chair of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to make, execute and deliver to the owner making payment, a quitclaim deed conveying the interest of the County in the parcel, which quitclaim deed shall contain the covenant that the County of Ulster shall in no event be or become liable for any defects in title conveyed for any cause whatsoever, or that no claim or demand of any nature shall ever be made against the County of Ulster arising from such sales, conveyances, or any proceedings leading thereto,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:22NOES:0(Absent: Legislator Kitchen)

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on May 9, 2024

FINANCIAL IMPACT: TOTAL UNPAID TAXES: \$107,745.00

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STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF ULSTER

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the original resolution adopted by the Ulster County Legislature on the 14th Day of May in the year Two Thousand Twenty-Four, and said resolution shall remain on file in the office of said clerk.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this 15th Day of May in the year Two Thousand Twenty-Four.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this 15th Day of May 2024.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk Ulster County Legislature Approved by the County Executive this 22nd Day of May 2024.

[s] Jen Metzger Jen Metzger, County Executive