## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing pursuant to Article 18-A of the New York State General Municipal Law, will be held by the Herkimer County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") on the 26th day of June, 2023, at 9:30 AM, local time at the Town of Manheim, 6356 State Route 167, Dolgeville, New York, Town of Manheim, in connection with the following matter:

SUNEAST GRASSY KNOLL SOLAR, LLC (the "Company") presented an application (the "Application") to the Agency on August 27, 2021, which application was amended on March 23, 2023, copies of which were presented at this meeting and copies of which are on file at the office of the Agency, requesting that the Agency consider undertaking; (i) to provide assistance through sales tax and mortgage tax incentives for the constructing, equipping, and financing of the above described project Facility and real property tax relief in the form of a Payment in Lieu of Tax Agreement (the "Assistance"), (ii) to acquire, construct, equip, and finance the Facility or to cause the Facility to be constructed, equipped, and financed; and (iii) to lease and/or sublease (with an obligation to leaseback) or sell the Facility to the Company or such other person as may be designated by the Company and agreed upon by the Agency; and

the Facility will consist of the acquisition, construction, and equipping of a ground-mounted utility scale solar energy generation system on leased property totaling 195 acres located at near the intersection of Burrell Road and Sabin Road in the Town of Manheim with an estimated capacity of 20 MVac  $\pm$  kilowatts. The Project has an estimated cost of Fifty Three Million, Three Hundred Thirty Five Thousand, Seven Hundred Sixty Seven and 00/100 Dollars (\$53,335,767.00) (the "Project Costs").

The project proposes to generate electricity that will allow residential and commercial subscribers to benefit from renewable energy that will offset traditional power sources.

A representative of the Agency will be present at the above-stated time to review the project application, and hear comments and accept written statements from any persons with views in favor of or opposed to either the proposed Assistance to the Company or the location or nature of the Facility.

A copy of the Application filed by the Company with the Agency with respect to the Facility, including an analysis of the costs and benefits of the Project, is available for public inspection during business hours at the offices of the Agency. A transcript or summary report of the hearing will be made available to the members of the Agency.

Additional information can be obtained from, and written comments may be addressed to John J. Piseck, Jr., Chief Executive Officer, Herkimer County Industrial Development Agency, 420 E. German Street, Suite 101A, Herkimer, New York 13350; Telephone 315-866-3000.

HERKIMER COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

Date: June 06, 2023 By <u>Victoria Adams</u>

Name: Victoria Adams Title: Assistant Secretary