

RESOLUTION

At a Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Canastota Central School District (the "Board of Education"), held on February 13th, 2018 at 120 Roberts Street, Canastota, County of Madison, State of New York;

The meeting was called to order by Martha Berry, President of the Board of Education, and upon roll being called, the following members were:

PRESENT: President Berry, Trustee Bazan, Trustee Crosby
Trustee Gustin, Trustee Haddad, Trustee Hood,
Trustee, New

ABSENT:

OTHERS ALSO PRESENT: Superintendent Clarke + Lisa Brave, District Clerk

The following Resolution was offered by Trustee Gustin, and seconded by Trustee Hood.

WHEREAS, Real Property Tax Law §487 provides that certain solar or wind energy systems or farm waste energy systems are exempt from real property taxation for a period of fifteen years; and

WHEREAS, the School District Board of Education previously adopted a resolution providing that the exemption under Real Property Tax Law §487 shall not apply within its jurisdiction with respect to solar and wind energy systems; and

WHEREAS, Governor Cuomo signed into law Chapter 336 amending Real Property Tax Law §487; and

WHEREAS, Real Property Tax Law §487 further provides that effective January 1, 2018, certain micro-hydroelectric energy systems, fuel cell electric generating systems, micro-combined heat and power generating equipment systems and electric energy storage equipment and electric energy storage systems are exempt from real property taxation for a period of fifteen years; and

WHEREAS, Real Property Tax Law §487 permits a school district to adopt a resolution providing that the exemption under Real Property Tax Law §487 shall not apply within its

jurisdiction to energy system projects which begin construction subsequent to the effective date of such resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education desires to adopt a resolution opting out of the tax exemption for all systems identified in Real Property Tax Law §487.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

1. The Board of Education reaffirms its prior resolution that the tax exemption under Real Property Tax Law §487 shall not be applicable within the boundaries of the Canastota Central School District with respect to any solar or wind energy systems.
2. The tax exemption made available by Real Property Tax Law §487 shall not be applicable within the boundaries of the Canastota Central School District with respect to any farm waste energy systems constructed subsequent to the date of this Resolution.
3. The tax exemption made available by Real Property Tax Law §487 shall not be applicable within the boundaries of the Canastota Central School District with respect to any micro-hydroelectric energy systems, fuel cell electric generating systems, micro-combined heat and power generating equipment systems and electric energy storage equipment and electric energy storage systems constructed subsequent to the date of this Resolution.
4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

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

AYES: 7

NAYS: 0

The Resolution was thereupon declared adopted.

Dated: 2/14/18



School District Clerk
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***Via Certified Mail, Return Receipt
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Attn: President
NYS Energy Research and Development Authority
17 Columbia Circle
Albany, New York 12203-6399

Re: Canastota Central School District – RPTL Section 487 Opt-Out

Dear Sir/Madam:

Out office represents the Canastota Central School District. Enclosed, please find the most recent Board Resolution opting out of Real Property Tax Law Section 487.

Thank you for your courtesies.

Very truly yours,

Ferrara Fiorenza PC

Taylor M. Yerton
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Enclosure

cc: Dr. Kathleen Davis, Interim Superintendent of Schools (*via First Class Mail*)

**RESOLUTION OPTING OUT OF EXEMPTION
UNDER SECTION 487 OF REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW**

WHEREAS, Section 487 of the Real Property Tax Law provides a tax exemption for real property which includes certain solar or wind energy system or farm waste energy system; and

WHEREAS, Section 487(8) of the Real Property Tax Law authorizes school districts to opt out of this exemption; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Canastota Central School District has determined that it would be in the best interest of the District to opt out of this exemption;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

1. No tax exemption made available by Section 487 of the Real Property Tax Law shall be applicable within the jurisdiction of the Canastota Central School District with respect to any solar or wind energy system or farm waste energy system constructed subsequent to the effective date of this resolution.

2. No tax exemption made available by Section 487 of the Real Property Tax Law shall be applicable within the jurisdiction of the Canastota Central School District with respect to any micro-hydroelectric energy system, fuel cell electric generating system, micro-combined heat and power generating equipment system, or electric energy storage equipment or electric energy storage system constructed subsequent to the effective date of this resolution.

3. The Superintendent of Schools is authorized to take any other necessary and proper action to implement this resolution.

4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

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

AYES: 7

NAYS: 0

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Dated: 2-27-19

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August 2, 2019

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Nicholas Panuccio, School District Business Official (*via First Class Mail*)

Approved 6-11-19
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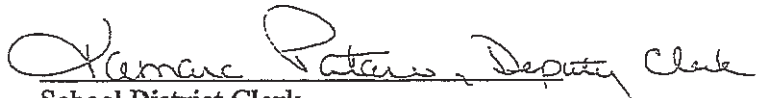
The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote, which resulted as follows:

AYES: 7

NAYS: 0

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Dated: 6-12-19


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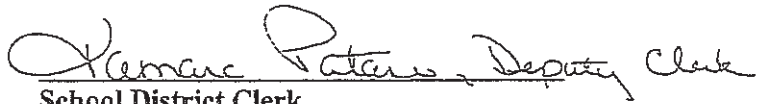
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September 19, 2019

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Approved 8-28-19

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

AYES: 6

NAYS: 0

The Resolution was thereupon declared adopted.

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Dated: 8-29-19



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