# TOWN OF FARMINGTON ABSTRACT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACTIONS

# DELAWARE RIVER SOLAR LLC 466 YELLOW MILLS ROAD

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# Solar moratorium and adoption of Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Systems Regulations:

# October 11, 2016

Town Board Public Hearing date set for consideration of adoption of a Local Law entitled "A Local Law Establishing a Moratorium of Solar Collection Systems and Solar Farms."

### October 25, 2016

Town Board opens Public Hearing on solar moratorium. Town Board Public Hearing continued to November 22, 2016.

### **November 8, 2016**

Ontario County Planning Board Referral #175-2016: Recommendation of approval.

# **November 22, 2016**

Public Hearing continued. Public Hearing closed. Town Board adopts Local Law #5 of 2016: "Establishing a Moratorium on Solar Collection Systems and Solar Farms" to take effect immediately and remain in force and effect for six months from the date of filing.

### May 31, 2017

Solar Regulations Advisory Committee meeting.

### June 27, 2017

Town Board Public Hearing date set for consideration of extending the solar moratorium.

# July 25, 2017

Town Board opens Public Hearing on extending the solar moratorium. Public Hearing closed. Town Board adopts Local Law #3 of 2017: "A Local Law Extending a Moratorium on Solar Collection Systems and Solar Farms" to remain in effect until a new local law regulating solar collection systems and solar farms is adopted, or December 1, 2017.

# August 15, 2017

Solar Regulations Advisory Committee meeting.

# August 22, 2017

Town Board Public Hearing date set for consideration of adoption of a Local Law entitled "Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Systems Regulations."

# **September 13, 2017**

Ontario County Planning Board Referral #182-2017: Recommendation of approval with comments.

# **September 26, 2017**

Town Board opens Public Hearing on Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Systems Regulations. Public Hearing closed. Town Board adopts Local Law #6 of 2017: "Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Systems Regulations."

#### Solar Committee Members:

Ron Brand, Director of Development and Planning
Hal Adams, Chairperson, Agriculture Advisory Committee
Nate Bowerman, Town Board Member
James Morse, Code Enforcement Officer
Nancy Purdy, Zoning Board of Appeals Member
Douglas Viets, Planning Board Member
James Kincaid, Fire Marshal
Patricia Wirth, Conservation Board Member

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# Delaware River Solar Application:

### August 3, 2018

Project Review Committee discussion.

# September 7, 2018

Project Review Committee discussion.

**September 19, 2018** 

Planning Board: PB #1003-18 Preliminary Four-Lot Subdivision Plat

PB #1004-18 Preliminary Site Plan PB #0000-18 Special Use Permit

Setting Public Hearing for November 7, 2018

**September 24, 2018** 

Zoning Board: ZB #0902-18 Area Variance

ZB #0903-18 Area Variance ZB #0904-18 Area Variance ZB #0905-18 Area Variance Public Hearings opened.

SEQR classification as a Type I Action

30-day comment period established (9/28/18 to 10/29/18)

Public Hearings continued to November 26, 2018

**October 3, 2018** 

Planning Board: Planning Board declares intent to be designated Lead Agency

under SEQR

# **November 7, 2018**

ZB #0902-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
PB #1003-18	Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application
PB #1004-18	Preliminary Site Plan Application
PB #1006-18	Special Use Permit Application

Planning Board Public Hearings opened.

Planning Board: Planning Board designates itself as SEQR Lead Agency

Planning Board directs Town staff to prepare Full EAF, Parts 2, 3 Planning Board continues the Public Hearing to Dec. 5, 2018

# **November 26, 2018**

ZB #0902-18	Area Variance
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance

Zoning Board: Public Hearings continued to December 17, 2018

# **December 5, 2018**

ZB #0902-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
PB #1003-18	Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application
PB #1004-18	Preliminary Site Plan Application
PB #1006-18	Special Use Permit Application

Planning Board: Public Hearings continued to January 16, 2019

# **December 17, 2018**

ZB #0902-18	Area Variance
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance

Zoning Board: Public Hearings continued to January 28, 2019

# **January 16, 2019**

ZB #0902-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
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Planning Board: Public Hearings continued to April 17, 2019

# **January 28, 2019**

ZB #0902-18	Area Variance
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance

Zoning Board: Public Hearings continued to April 22, 2019

<b>April 17, 2019</b>	
ZB #0902-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
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Planning Board:	Public Hearings continued to May 15, 2019
April 22, 2019	
ZB #0902-18	Area Variance
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance
Zoning Board:	Public Hearings continued to May 20, 2019
May 15, 2019	
ZB #0902-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
PB #1003-18	Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application
PB #1004-18	Preliminary Site Plan Application
PB #1006-18	Special Use Permit Application
Planning Board:	Public Hearings continued to June 5, 2019
Planning Board:	Determination Under SEQR of a Complete Application. APPROVED
Planning Board:	Completion of Part 2 of Full EAF: Identification of Potential Project Impacts. APPROVED
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June 5, 2019	
ZB #0902-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
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Planning Board: Public Hearings continued to July 17, 2019

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Zoning Board: Public Hearings continued to July 22, 2019.

# July 17, 2019

ZB #0902-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
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Planning Board: Public Hearings continued to August 7, 2019

# July 22, 2019

ZB #0902-18	Area Variance
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance
ZB #0905-18	Area Variance

Zoning Board: Public Hearings continued to August 26, 2019.

# August 7, 2019

ZB #0902-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0903-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
ZB #0904-18	Area Variance Application (SEQR Determination)
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# *For the above seven applications:*

Acceptance of a Complete Part 2, Full Environmental Assessment Form: APPROVED Acceptance of a Complete Part 3, Full Environmental Assessment Form: APPROVED SEQR Determination of Significance (Negative Declaration): APPROVED

# For the following three applications:

PB #1003-18	Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application
PB #1004-18	Preliminary Site Plan Application
PB #1006-18	Special Use Permit Application

Planning Board Public Hearings continued to September 4, 2019.

# August 26, 2019

Zoning Board of Appeals: Public Hearings closed.

Zoning Board of Appeals Action:	ZB #0902-18	Area Variance—Denied
	ZB #0903-18	Area Variance—Denied
	ZB #0904-18	Area Variance—Denied
	ZB #0905-18	Area Variance—Denied

# September 4, 2019

PB #1003-18	Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application
PB #1004-18	Preliminary Site Plan Application
PB #1006-18	Special Use Permit Application

Planning Board: Public Hearings continued to October 16, 2019

# September 6, 2019

Project Review Committee discussion.

# **September 18, 2019**

Article 78 Proceeding (New York Civil Practice Law and Rules, Article 78) received.

### October 16, 2019

PB #1003-18 Revised Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application

PB #1004-18 Revised Preliminary Site Plan Application

PB #1006-18 Special Use Permit Application

Planning Board: Amendment Resolution to the SEQR Negative Declaration

Public Hearings continued to November 20, 2019

### **November 1, 2019**

Planning Review Committee discussion.

PB #1003-18	Second Revised Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application received
PB #1004-18	Second Revised Preliminary Site Plan Application received

PB #1006-18 Special Use Permit Application received

# **November 6, 2019**

PB #1003-18 Second Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application

PB #1004-18 Second Preliminary Site Plan Application

PB #1006-18 Special Use Permit Application

Planning Board: Acceptance of revised SEQR Full EAF Part 1

Second revised materials sent to Involved Agencies

Public Hearings remain continued to November 20, 2019

# November 20, 2019

PB #1003-18 Second Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application PB #1004-18 Second Preliminary Site Plan Application

PB #1006-18 Special Use Permit Application

Planning Board: Public Hearings continued to December 4, 2019

# **December 4, 2019**

PB #1003-18 Second Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application PB #1004-18 Second Preliminary Site Plan Application

PB #1006-18 Second Revised Special Use Permit Application

Planning Board: Public Hearings continued to December 18, 2019

# **December 18, 2019**

PB #1003-18 Revised Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application PB #1004-18 Revised Preliminary Site Plan Application

PB #1006-18 Special Use Permit Application

Full Environmental Assessment Form: Part 2—Identification of Potential Project Impacts

Full Environmental Assessment Form: Part 3—Evaluation of the Magnitude and Importance of Project Impacts and Determination of Significance

Full Environmental Assessment Form: Part 3—Supplemental Evaluation

Resolution: Acceptance of Parts 2 and 3 with Supplemental Pages of the SEQR Full Environmental Assessment Forms. APPROVED

Resolution: SEQR Determination whether the previous Determination of Significance for the Delaware River Solar Project as revised (Preliminary Subdivision Plat, Preliminary Site Plan and Special Use Permit) is adequate or in need of amendment. APPROVED

Resolution: Planning Board Public Hearings continued to January 15, 2020. APPROVED

# **January 15, 2020**

PB #1003-18	Revised Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application
PB #1004-18	Revised Preliminary Site Plan Application
PB #1006-18	Special Use Permit Application

Planning Board: Public Hearings continued to February 19, 2020

# **February 7, 2020**

Project Review Committee discussion.

# February 19, 2020

PB #1003-18 Revised Preliminary Subdivision Plat A
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**APPROVED** 

PB #1004-18 Revised Preliminary Site Plan Application

Continued to March 18, 2020

PB #1006-18 Special Use Permit Application

Continued to March 18, 2020

# March 4, 2020

Administrative Action:

PB #1003-18 Subdivision Plat Public Hearing Closed

Revised Preliminary Subdivision Plat Application

**APPROVED** 

# March 6, 2020

Project Review Committee discussion.

# March 18, 2020

Planning Board meeting cancelled in compliance with the New York State Governor's Executive Order on public gatherings during the Covid-19 pandemic.

# **April 1, 2020**

Administrative Action:

PB #1006-18 Special Use Permit

Public Hearing continued to May 6, 2020

PB #1004-18 Preliminary Site Plan

Public Hearing continued May 6, 2020