

RESOLUTION NO. 246

AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO ENTER INTO AND EXECUTE A MUNICIPAL AGREEMENT RELATING TO LOCAL LAW D FOR 2016, A LOCAL LAW TO ESTABLISH A SUSTAINABLE ENERGY LOAN PROGRAM IN THE COUNTY OF ALBANY

Introduced: 6/13/16

By Messrs. Clenahan, Beston, Bullock, Clay, Commisso, Ms. Cunningham, Messrs. Ethier, Feeney, Higgins, R. Joyce, Ms. Lekakis, Messrs. Mackey, Mayo, Mss. McKnight, McLean Lane, Messrs. Miller, O'Brien, Reinhardt, Simpson, Smith, Touchette, Ward and Ms. Willingham:

WHEREAS, Albany County desires to enter into an Energy Improvement Municipal Agreement with Energy Improvement Corporation ("EIC") in connection with Local Law D for 2016, a Local Law to Establish a Sustainable Energy Loan Program, and

WHEREAS, EIC is a local Development corporation duly formed under Section 1411 of the New York State Not-For-Profit Law for the purpose of promoting, facilitating, and financing energy audits and renewable energy system feasibility studies, energy efficiency improvements and alternative or renewable energy systems thereby promoting the public good by reducing greenhouse gas emissions, mitigating the effects of global climate change and lessening the burdens of government, and

WHEREAS, the Albany County Legislature has adopted Local Law D for 2016, a Local Law to Establish a Sustainable Energy Loan Program, entitled the Energize NY Benefit Financing Program Law of Albany County ("Energize NY"), and the Albany County Executive has signed same into law, and

WHEREAS, the EIC and Albany County desire to enter into an "Energy Improvement Corporation Municipal Agreement" authorizing the EIC to perform and carry out certain duties in order to assist owners of commercial real property located in Albany County to benefit from the Energize NY program, and

WHEREAS, Albany County desires this program be limited to owners of commercial real property located in Albany County, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Albany County Legislature authorizes the Albany County Executive to enter into and execute the Energy Improvement Corporation Municipal Agreement with EIC, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Legislature is hereby directed to forward certified copies of said resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 6/13/16