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Honorable Andrew Joyce, Chairman Albany County Legislature 112 State Street, Room 710 Albany, New York 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce:

In June of 2022 the Legislature unanimously adopted Local Law A for 2022 "A Local Law Establishing the Sustainable Technology and Green Energy Act (STAGE Act). The purpose of the Law is to enable the development of a STAGE grant program to attract and grow sustainable industries in Albany County. Section 5(e) of the law calls on the County Director of Economic Development to promulgate and submit to the Legislature for approval rules and regulations that are necessary to implement the STAGE program. The attached STAGE Act rules and regulations set up a process for managing STAGE Act funds that provides a fair, transparent, and agile process that will help attract green businesses and jobs to our County.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely

Daniel P. McCoy

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cc: Hon. Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader

Hon. Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel Arnis Zilgme, Minority Counsel