



## TOWN OF MARBLETOWN

A regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Marbletown was convened in a public session of the Town Hall, 1925 Lucas Ave Cottekill, New York on December 19, 2023, at 6:00 o'clock P.M. local time. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Rich Parete, and, upon roll being called, the following were:

PRESENT:

ABSENT:

The following Resolution was offered by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_:

### **RESOLUTION # -2023; IN SUPPORT OF 2023 NYSDOT TAP-CMAQ-CRP FUNDING APPLICATION**

**WHEREAS**, a Notice of Funding Availability for the Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP), Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement Program (CMAQ), Carbon Reduction Program (CRP) been made available by the NYS Department of Transportation; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Marbletown seeks to advance its Comprehensive Plan by constructing safe and accessible pedestrian and bicycle access from the Marbletown Elementary School to the Marbletown Community Center in Stone Ridge; and

**WHEREAS**, the recent announcement of the NYSDOT TAP-CMAQ-CRP Grant Program provides \$165 million in funding to support bicycle, pedestrian, multi-use path and transportation-related projects and programs that support the goals of New York's nation-leading Climate Leadership and Community Protection Act (CLCPA); and

**WHEREAS**, the NYSDOT TAP Grant Program provides funds a variety of transportation related projects which increase options for non-vehicular transportation including: planning, design and construction of on-road and off-road facilities for pedestrians, bicyclists, and non-motorized transportation users; and

**WHEREAS**, NYSDOT will provide up to 80% of the total eligible project costs with a 20% match provided by the Town; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed project is supported by the Town and the local community, volunteer groups, and the Rondout Valley Central School District; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Marbletown Town Board fully supports the proposed projects included in the funding application;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:**

Supervisor Rich Parete is hereby authorized and directed to file an application for funds to the New York State Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) with a Town cash matching share of \$466,520; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Supervisor is hereby authorized to act on behalf of the Town Board in all matters related to this financial assistance, and upon approval of the said request, to enter into and execute a state assistance contract for such financial assistance. The attached Resolution shall take effect immediately.