FEBRUARY 2025 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & HOUSING COMMITTEE Tuesday, February 25th at 6:30 pm.

1. Update from Housing Initiatives

OLD BUSINESS

- 206 & 208 Flatbush Ave.- Planning, S. Cahill
 Change to the Code of the City of Kingston 405.19

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Kwame WiafeAkenten Jr.



Sent: Thursday, November 21, 2024 1:07 PM

To: Kwame WiafeAkenten Jr.

Subject: FW: 206 & 208 Flatbush Avenue - SEQR Circulation

Attachments: Penn Ct. ' Design Package (Draft).pdf; PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN-10-30-24.pdf; EAF PART

1.pdf; Res Seek LA - 206 & 208 Flatbush.pdf; Involved_Interested Agencies.pdf; Lead Agency Cover Letter - 206 & 208 Flatbush.pdf; leadagencyresponseform - 206 & 208

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Please print all of this for Andrea's mailbox. Thank you

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Subject: 206 & 208 Flatbush Avenue - SEQR Circulation

The City of Kingston Planning Board received an application to demolish 32 existing studio units on the 206 Flatbush Avenue property and construct a new 4 story building with 82 one-bedroom units. The existing office, community and heating plant building will also be renovated to provide ADA accessibility for residents. Site work and a lot line revision will take place on both 206 & 208 Flatbush Properties and the project would result in 180 residential units on these sites, an increase of 50 units of senior housing above what is currently there. The proposal has been identified as an Unlisted Action under SEQR however the coordinated review is being initiated due to the number of Involved and Interested Agencies. As part of this review, you and/or a department or a commission you represent has been identified as an Involved/Interested Agency. The Kingston Planning Board adopted a resolution at the November 18, 2024 Planning Board Meeting indicating their intent to seek lead agency in the review. Please responds with whether you concur or objects to this designation within 30 days. Failure to respond within the 30 day period will indicate concurrence with the intent. Attached please find the following:

- Cover letter intent to seek lead agency
- Full EAF Part I prepared by the applicants
- Preliminary Site Plans and Design Package
- Adopted Resolution of the Kingston Planning Board to seek Lead Agency
- Involved and Interested Agency List
- SEOR Response form

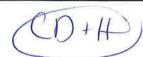
If you have any question, please contact the Planning Office 845-334-3955.

Kyla DeDea, Assistant Planner

City of Kingston 420 Broadway









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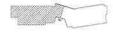
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Owner/Developer OWNER/DEVELOPER:

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SITE PLAN PREPARED FOR

PENN COURT/ COLONIAL GARDEN REDEVELOPMENT

CITY OF KINGSTON ULSTER COUNTY, NEW YORK

KNOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY 132 RONDOUT DRIVE KINGSTON, NY 12401 CONTACT: NR FAVISH LANGSAM 845-331-1955

ACCUMENTS

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AND DEVELOPMENT CORP. C/O XMIGSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY
132 RONDOUT DRIVE KINGSTON, NY 12401 CONTACT: MR. FAVISH LANGSAM 845-331-1955

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641 BROADWAY, NEWBURCH, NY 12550 CONTACT: JOHN W. FURST, ESQ-ATTORNEY 845-569-4377 JEURSTOCMBLAW.COM

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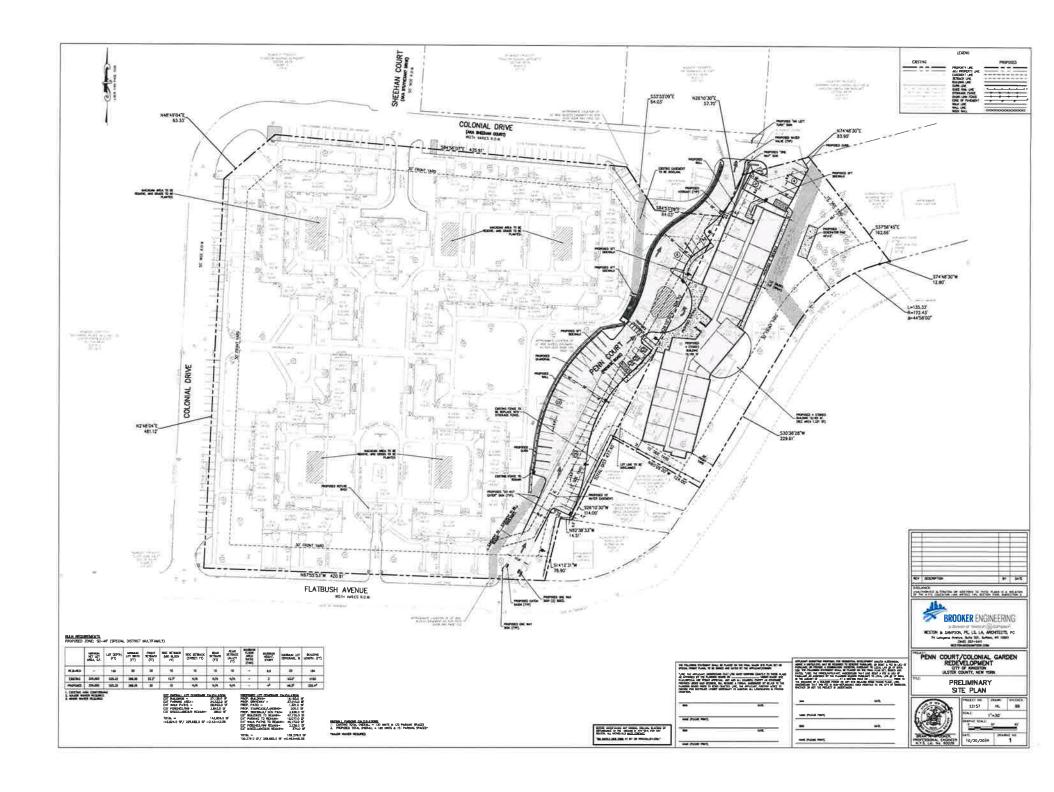
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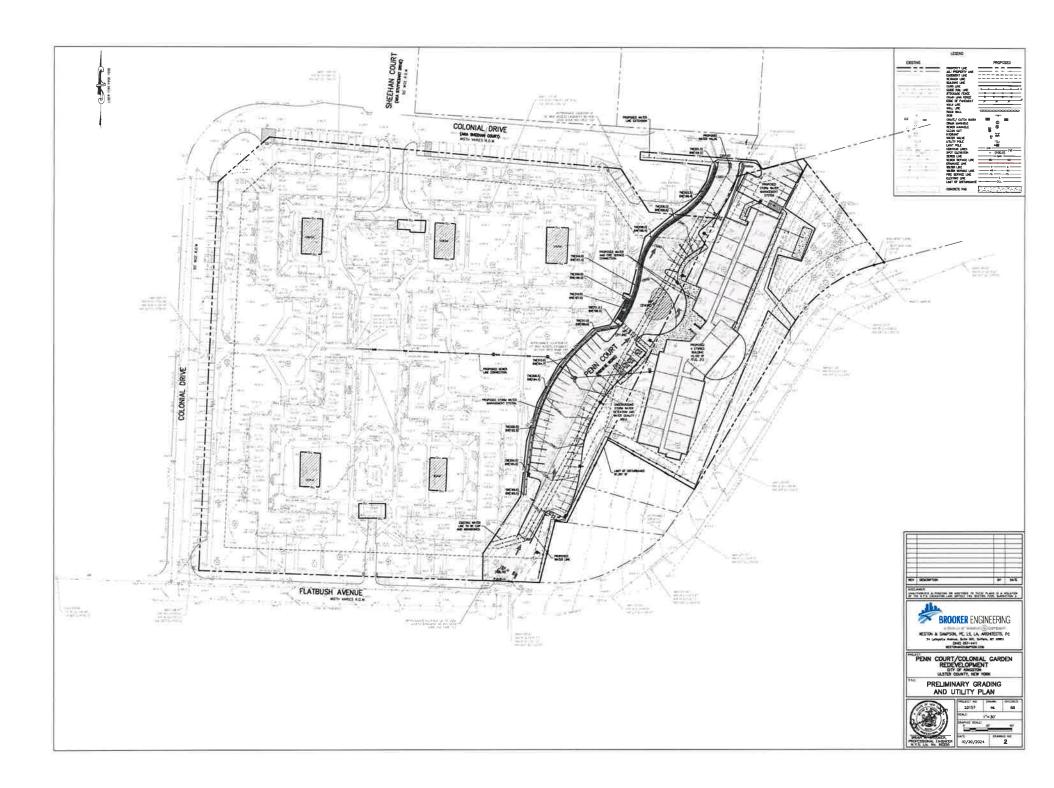


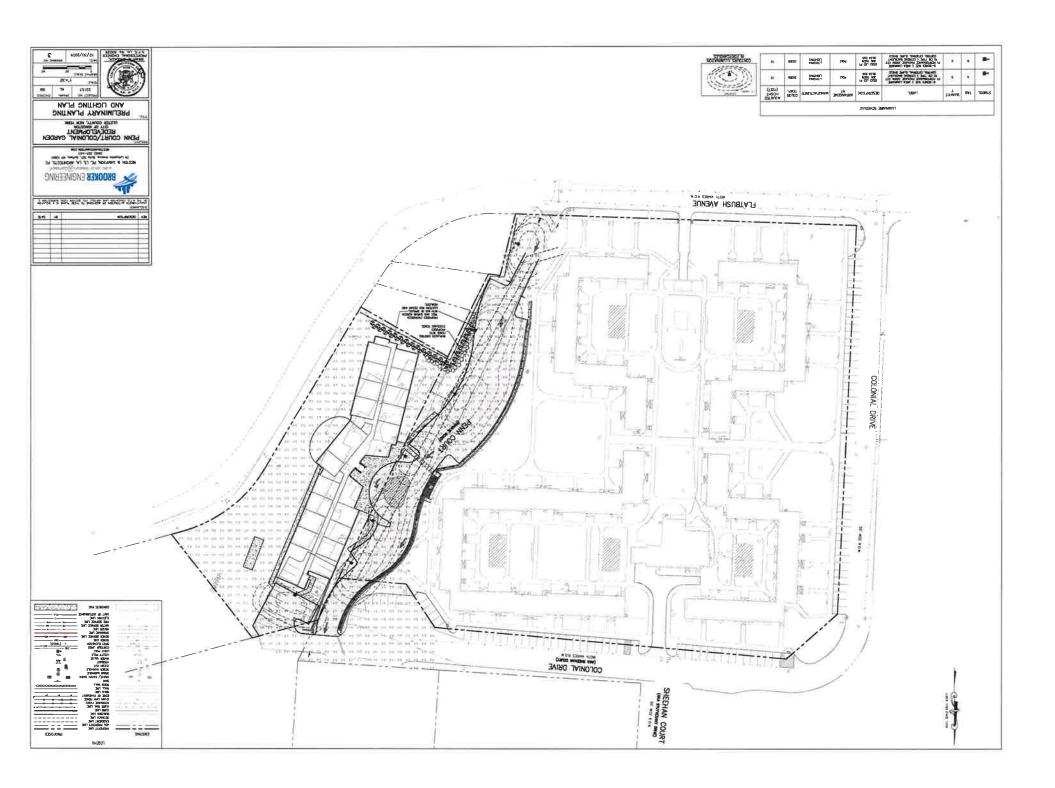


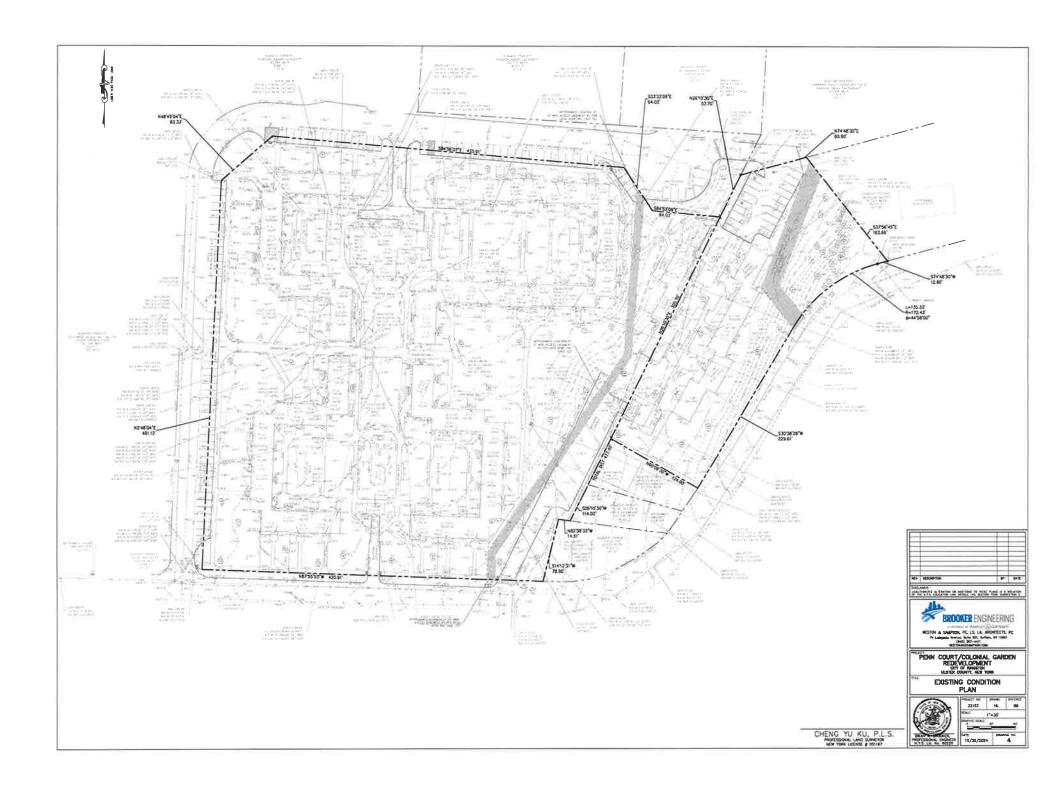


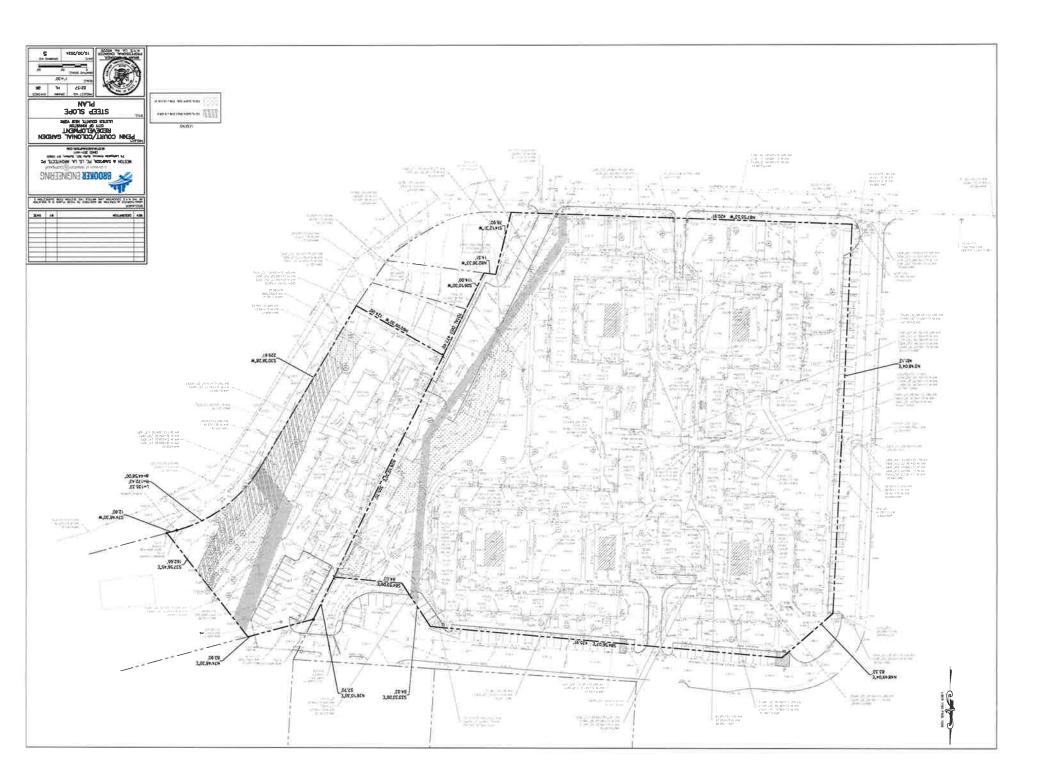












Full Environmental Assessment Form Part 1 - Project and Setting

Instructions for Completing Part 1

Part 1 is to be completed by the applicant or project sponsor. Responses become part of the application for approval or funding, are subject to public review, and may be subject to further verification.

Complete Part 1 based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information; indicate whether missing information does not exist, or is not reasonably available to the sponsor; and, when possible, generally describe work or studies which would be necessary to update or fully develop that information.

Applicants/sponsors must complete all items in Sections A & B. In Sections C, D & E, most items contain an initial question that must be answered either "Yes" or "No". If the answer to the initial question is "Yes", complete the sub-questions that follow. If the answer to the initial question is "No", proceed to the next question. Section F allows the project sponsor to identify and attach any additional information. Section G requires the name and signature of the applicant or project sponsor to verify that the information contained in Part 1 is accurate and complete.

A. Project and Applicant/Sponsor Information.

Name of Action or Project:				
Penn Court/Colonial Garden Redevelopment				
Project Location (describe, and attach a general location map):		-		
Penn Court in Kingston NY, adjacent to Colonial Gardens				
Brief Description of Proposed Action (include purpose or need):				
The Kingston Housing Authority (KHA) proposes to redevelop two (2) of its existing complexes known as Colonial Gardens and the Colonia Gardens Addition at Penn Court. Both complexes are currently located on separate tax lots and the KHA proposes to merge the two (2) tax lots. Work at Colonial Gardens consist of the rehabilitation and upgrade of the existing ninety-eight (98) apartment units and the existing community center/office. The proposed work at the Colonial Gardens Addition at Penn Court consists of tearing down the two (2) existing buildings (which total 18,366 sq. ft.) and currently house thirty-two (32) senior studio apartments; and replacing them with one four (4) story building totaling about 76,740 sq. ft. The new building will contain eighty-two (82) one-bedroom senior apartments. The addition of approximately fifty (50) housing units with this Project will help address the City's (and State's) critical housing shortage. The project also proposes 62 off-street parking spaces along a newly configured and designed Penn Court that will now connect to Colonia Drive.				
Name of Applicant/Sponsor:	Telephone: 845-331-1955			
Kingston Housing Authority and Mountco Construction and Development Corp	E-Mail: hwilcox@kingstonhousing.org			
Address: 132 Rondout Drive				
City/PO: Kingston	State: NY	Zip Code: 12401		
Project Contact (if not same as sponsor; give name and title/role):	Telephone: 845-569-4377			
John W. Furst, Esq Attorney	E-Mail: jfurst@cmrlaw.com			
Address: 641 Broadway, Newburgh, New York 12550				
City/PO: Newburgh	State: NY	Zip Code: 12550		
Property Owner (if not same as sponsor):	Telephone: 845-331-1955			
Kingston Housing Authority	E-Mail: hwilcox@kingstonhousin	ng.org		
Address: 132 Rondout Drive				
City/PO: Kingston	State: NY	Zip Code: ₁₂₄₀₁		

B. Government Approvals

B. Government Approvals, Funding, or Spo assistance.)	nsorship. ("Funding" includes grants, loans, ta	x relief, and any othe	r forms of financial
Government Entity	If Yes: Identify Agency and Approval(s) Required	Applicati (Actual or	
a. City Counsel, Town Board, ✓Yes□No or Village Board of Trustees	P.I.L.O.T		
b. City, Town or Village ✓Yes□No Planning Board or Commission	Site Plan Approval		
c. City, Town or Village Zoning Board of Appeals	Variance If Needed		
d. Other local agencies ✓Yes□No	SEE NOTICE LIST ATTACHMENT "A"		
e. County agencies ✓ Yes□No	SEE NOTICE LIST ATTACHMENT "A"		
f. Regional agencies Yes No			
g. State agencies	SEE NOTICE LIST ATTACHMENT "A"		
h. Federal agencies ☐Yes ☑No			
 i. Coastal Resources. i. Is the project site within a Coastal Area, 	or the waterfront area of a Designated Inland W	aterway?	□Yes ∠ No
ii. Is the project site located in a community with an approved Local Waterfront Revitalization Program?iii. Is the project site within a Coastal Erosion Hazard Area?			
C. Planning and Zoning			
C.1. Planning and zoning actions.			
Will administrative or legislative adoption, or a only approval(s) which must be granted to enal. If Yes, complete sections C, F and G. If No, proceed to question C.2 and con	mendment of a plan, local law, ordinance, rule of the proposed action to proceed? In plete all remaining sections and questions in P	_	Z Yes□No
C.2. Adopted land use plans.		(1)	
a. Do any municipally- adopted (city, town, vil where the proposed action would be located?		include the site	∠ Yes□No
If Yes, does the comprehensive plan include sp would be located?		roposed action	□Yes• No
b. Is the site of the proposed action within any Brownfield Opportunity Area (BOA); design or other?) If Yes, identify the plan(s):	ocal or regional special planning district (for exated State or Federal heritage area; watershed n	ample: Greenway; nanagement plan;	□Yes Z No
c. Is the proposed action located wholly or part or an adopted municipal farmland protection If Yes, identify the plan(s):	ially within an area listed in an adopted municing plan?	oal open space plan,	∐Yes ⊠ No

NOTICE LIST ATTACHMENT "A"

- a) City Counsel, Town Board or Village Board of Trustees
 - P.I.L.O.T
- b) City, Town or Village Planning Board or Commission
 - Site Plan Approval
- c) City, Town of Village Zoning Board of Appeals
 - Variances If Needed
- d) Other Local Agencies
 - City Sewer, City Water, Fire Department APPROVALS NEEDED
- e) County Agencies
 - Ulster Department of Health SEWER + WATER EXTENSION PERMITS
 239 Golden Hill Lane, Kingston, NY 12401
 HealthEd@co.ulster.ny.us
- f) State Agencies
 - HCR Funding

 New York State Housing Finance Agency

 641 Lexington Avenue, New York, NY 10065
 - NYDEC Stormwater <u>CONSTRUCTION PERMIT</u>
 625 Broad ay Albany, NY Contact@dec.ny.gov
 - NYSDOT <u>HIGHWAY WORK PERMIT IF NEEDED</u>
 50 Wolf Road Albany, NY 12232
 PublicTransportation@dot.ny.gov

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C.3. Zoning	
a. Is the site of the proposed action located in a municipality with an adopted zoning law or ordinance. If Yes, what is the zoning classification(s) including any applicable overlay district? SD-MF	✓ Yes No
b. Is the use permitted or allowed by a special or conditional use permit?	Z Y e s□No
c. Is a zoning change requested as part of the proposed action? If Yes, i. What is the proposed new zoning for the site?	☐ Yes Z No
C.4. Existing community services.	
a. In what school district is the project site located? Kingston City School District	
b. What police or other public protection forces serve the project site? Kingston Police Department	
c. Which fire protection and emergency medical services serve the project site? Kingston Fire Department	-
d. What parks serve the project site? Loughran Park Hutton Park	
D. Project Details	
D.1. Proposed and Potential Development	
a. What is the general nature of the proposed action (e.g., residential, industrial, commercial, recreational; if mix components)? Residential	ed, include all
b. a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed action? b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed? c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous properties) owned or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor? 7.57 acres	
c. Is the proposed action an expansion of an existing project or use? i. If Yes, what is the approximate percentage of the proposed expansion and identify the units (e.g., acres, mile square feet)? % 38.5 Units: housing units	✓ Yes No No es, housing units,
d. Is the proposed action a subdivision, or does it include a subdivision? If Yes,	□Yes ☑ No
i. Purpose or type of subdivision? (e.g., residential, industrial, commercial; if mixed, specify types)	
ii. Is a cluster/conservation layout proposed? iii. Number of lots proposed?	□Yes □No
iv. Minimum and maximum proposed lot sizes? Minimum Maximum	
e. Will the proposed action be constructed in multiple phases? i. If No, anticipated period of construction: 18 months ii. If Yes:	☐ Yes Z No
 Total number of phases anticipated Anticipated commencement date of phase 1 (including demolition) month year Anticipated completion date of final phase month year Generally describe connections or relationships among phases, including any contingencies where prograteermine timing or duration of future phases: 	ress of one phase may

	ct include new resid				☑ Yes ☐ No
If Yes, show nun	nbers of units propo One Family		771 E	20.40 (1.20 to 12.20	
	One raining	Two Family	Three Family	Multiple Family (four or more)	
Initial Phase	-	-		130 currently existing	
At completion of all phases				180 post construction	
or air phases			S 	- Too poor conditioner	
g. Does the propo	osed action include	new non-residentia	al construction (inclu	ding expansions)?	□Yes Z No
If Yes,	. 6 . 4				
i. Total number	in feet) of largest n	ronocod etmioturo:	hoight.	width; andlength	
iii. Approximate	extent of building s	space to be heated	or cooled:	widin; andlength square feet	
				result in the impoundment of any	MXMNI-
liquids, such a	s creation of a wate	r supply, reservoir	nond lake waste la	goon or other storage?	□Yes ☑ No
If Yes,			, porta, tatto, wasto ta	goon of other storage.	
i. Purpose of the	impoundment:			_	
ii. If a water imp	oundment, the princ	cipal source of the	water:	Ground water Surface water stream	ns Other specify:
iii. If other than v	vater, identify the ty	pe of impounded/	contained liquids and	1 their source.	
iv Approximate	size of the proposed	d impoundment	Volume	million gallong: surface areas	acres
	f the proposed dam		ucture:	million gallons; surface area:height;length	acies
			m or impounding str	ucture (e.g., earth fill, rock, wood, cond	crete):
D 2 Project On	anations				
D.2. Project Op					
a. Does the propo	sed action include a	any excavation, mi	ning, or dredging, du	oring construction, operations, or both? or foundations where all excavated	☐Yes ☑ No
materials will r	general she prepara emain onsite)	mon, grading or in	statiation of utilities	or foundations where all excavated	
If Yes:	,				
i. What is the pu	rpose of the excava	tion or dredging?			
ii. How much ma	terial (including roo	ck, earth, sediment	s, etc.) is proposed to	be removed from the site?	
• Volume	(specify tons or cub	oic yards):			
Over wh Degaribe nature	at duration of time?	?		1 1 1	0.1
m. Describe natur	re and characteristic	es of materials to b	e excavated or dredg	ed, and plans to use, manage or dispose	e of them.
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If yes, descri	onsite dewatering o	or processing of ex	cavated materials?		∐Yes No
ii yes, desem					
ν. What is the to	tal area to be dredge	ed or excavated?		acres	
vi. What is the m	aximum area to be	worked at any one	time?	acres	
				feet	
viii. Will the exca	vation require blast	ting?			☐Yes ☐No
ix. Summarize sit	e reclamation goals	and plan:			
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b. Would the prop	oosed action cause of	or result in alteration	on of, increase or dec ch or adjacent area?	rease in size of, or encroachment	☐Yes ✓ No
If Yes:	ng wonanu, watero	ouy, shorenile, dea	on or adjacent area?		
	etland or waterbody	y which would be	affected (by name. w	rater index number, wetland map numb	er or geographic
description):					00P
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ii. Describe how the proposed action would affect that waterbody or wetland, e.g. excavation, fill, plac alteration of channels, banks and shorelines. Indicate extent of activities, alterations and additions in	ement of structures, or square feet or acres:
iii. Will the proposed action cause or result in disturbance to bottom sediments? If Yes, describe:	□Yes□No
iv. Will the proposed action cause or result in the destruction or removal of aquatic vegetation? If Yes:	□Yes□No
acres of aquatic vegetation proposed to be removed:	
 expected acreage of aquatic vegetation remaining after project completion: 	
 purpose of proposed removal (e.g. beach clearing, invasive species control, boat access): 	
• proposed method of plant removal:	
• if chemical/herbicide treatment will be used, specify product(s):	
v. Describe any proposed reclamation/mitigation following disturbance:	
c. Will the proposed action use, or create a new demand for water?	
If Yes:	✓ Yes □ No
i. Total anticipated water usage/demand per day: 50 bedrooms * 110 gpd = 5500 gallons/day	
ii. Will the proposed action obtain water from an existing public water supply?	∠ Yes □No
If Yes:	E 7 65 E 1 6
Name of district or service area: Kingston Water Department	
Does the existing public water supply have capacity to serve the proposal?	✓ Yes No
Is the project site in the existing district?	✓ Yes No
Is expansion of the district needed?	Yes No
Do existing lines serve the project site?	✓ Yes No
iii. Will line extension within an existing district be necessary to supply the project? If Yes:	✓Yes □No
Describe extensions or capacity expansions proposed to serve this project: Water line extension and relocation to connect site to existing system	
Source(s) of supply for the district: Cooper Lake	
iv. Is a new water supply district or service area proposed to be formed to serve the project site? If, Yes:	☐ Yes ☑ No
Applicant/sponsor for new district:	
Date application submitted or anticipated:	
Proposed source(s) of supply for new district:	
v. If a public water supply will not be used, describe plans to provide water supply for the project:	
vi. If water supply will be from wells (public or private), what is the maximum pumping capacity:	gallons/minute.
d. Will the proposed action generate liquid wastes?	✓ Yes No
If Yes:	
i. Total anticipated liquid waste generation per day:5500 gallons/day	
ii. Nature of liquid wastes to be generated (e.g., sanitary wastewater, industrial; if combination, describe	all components and
approximate volumes or proportions of each): Sanitary Wastewater	
iii. Will the proposed action use any existing public wastewater treatment facilities? If Yes:	∠ Yes □No
Name of wastewater treatment plant to be used: Kingston Waste Water Treatment Division	
Name of district: Kingston Waste Water District	
Does the existing wastewater treatment plant have capacity to serve the project?	Z Yes □No
• Is the project site in the existing district?	Z Yes □No
• Is expansion of the district needed?	☐Yes ✓No

	 Do existing sewer lines serve the project site? Will a line extension within an existing district be necessary to serve the project? 	
	If Yes:	№ 1 e2 □ 140
	 Describe extensions or capacity expansions proposed to serve this project: 	
5500	O Gallons per day additional wastewater flow	
iv	Will a new wastewater (sewage) treatment district be formed to serve the project site?	
iv.	If Yes:	☐Yes Z No
ľ	Applicant/sponsor for new district:	
	Date application submitted or anticipated:	
	What is the receiving water for the wastewater discharge?	
ν.	If public facilities will not be used, describe plans to provide wastewater treatment for the project, including spec	ifying proposed
	receiving water (name and classification if surface discharge or describe subsurface disposal plans):	
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νi.	Describe any plans or designs to capture, recycle or reuse liquid waste:	
	NONE	
e. V	Will the proposed action disturb more than one acre and create stormwater runoff, either from new point	Z Yes □ No
	sources (i.e. ditches, pipes, swales, curbs, gutters or other concentrated flows of stormwater) or non-point	
	source (i.e. sheet flow) during construction or post construction? Yes:	
	How much impervious surface will the project create in relation to total size of project parcel?	
	Square feet or 3.68 acres (impervious surface)	
	Square feet or 7.57 acres (parcel size)	
ii.	Describe types of new point sources. Gutter runoff	
iti.	Where will the stormwater runoff be directed (i.e. on-site stormwater management facility/structures, adjacent pro-	ronerties
••••	groundwater, on-site surface water or off-site surface waters)?	roperties,
	On-site stormwater management measures	
	If to surface waters, identify receiving water bodies or wetlands: N/A	
	Will stormwater runoff flow to adjacent properties?	☐ Yes ✓ No
	Does the proposed plan minimize impervious surfaces, use pervious materials or collect and re-use stormwater?	✓ Yes ✓ No
f. I	Does the proposed action include, or will it use on-site, one or more sources of air emissions, including fuel	☐Yes Z No
	combustion, waste incineration, or other processes or operations?	
	es, identify: Mobile sources during project operations (e.g., heavy equipment, fleet or delivery vehicles)	
•	resolve sources during project operations (e.g., heavy equipment, neet of derivery venicles)	
ii.	Stationary sources during construction (e.g., power generation, structural heating, batch plant, crushers)	
iii.	Stationary sources during operations (e.g., process emissions, large boilers, electric generation)	
g. V	Vill any air emission sources named in D.2.f (above), require a NY State Air Registration, Air Facility Permit,	□Yes ☑ No
	r Federal Clean Air Act Title IV or Title V Permit?	
If Y		
t. 1	s the project site located in an Air quality non-attainment area? (Area routinely or periodically fails to meet imbient air quality standards for all or some parts of the year)	□Yes□No
ii. I	n addition to emissions as calculated in the application, the project will generate:	
	•Tons/year (short tons) of Carbon Dioxide (CO ₂)	
	•Tons/year (short tons) of Nitrous Oxide (N2O)	
	 Tons/year (short tons) of Perfluorocarbons (PFCs) 	
	Tons/year (short tons) of Sulfur Hexafluoride (SF ₆)	
	Tons/year (short tons) of Carbon Dioxide equivalent of Hydroflourocarbons (HFCs)	
	 Tons/year (short tons) of Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) 	

h. Will the proposed action generate or emit methane (including, but not limited to, sewage treatment plants, landfills, composting facilities)? If Yes:	∐Yes ☑ No
 i. Estimate methane generation in tons/year (metric): ii. Describe any methane capture, control or elimination measures included in project design (e.g., combustion to gelectricity, flaring): 	enerate heat or
 i. Will the proposed action result in the release of air pollutants from open-air operations or processes, such as quarry or landfill operations? If Yes: Describe operations and nature of emissions (e.g., diesel exhaust, rock particulates/dust): 	∏Yes☑No
j. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels or generate substantial new demand for transportation facilities or services? If Yes: i. When is the peak traffic expected (Check all that apply):	□Yes
 iii. Parking spaces: Existing Proposed Net increase/decrease	Yes No access, describe: Yes No Yes No Yes No
 k. Will the proposed action (for commercial or industrial projects only) generate new or additional demand for energy? If Yes: i. Estimate annual electricity demand during operation of the proposed action: ii. Anticipated sources/suppliers of electricity for the project (e.g., on-site combustion, on-site renewable, via grid/lo other): 	
iii. Will the proposed action require a new, or an upgrade, to an existing substation? 1. Hours of operation. Answer all items which apply. i. During Construction: Monday - Friday: Saturday: Saturday: Sunday: Sunday: Holidays: Holidays: Holidays: ii. During Operations: Monday - Friday: Saturday: Saturday: Saturday: Holidays: Sunday: Holidays: Holidays: Holidays: iii. During Operations: Monday - Friday: Saturday: Saturday: Holidays: Sunday: Sunday: Holidays: Sunday: S	□Yes□No

m. Will the proposed action produce noise that will exceed existing ambient noise levels during construction, operation, or both? If yes: i. Provide details including sources, time of day and duration: Construction equipment as permitted by Kingston ordinances.	☑ Yes □No
ii. Will the proposed action remove existing natural barriers that could act as a noise barrier or screen? Describe:	☐ Yes ☑ No
n. Will the proposed action have outdoor lighting? If yes: i. Describe source(s), location(s), height of fixture(s), direction/aim, and proximity to nearest occupied structures: Parking Lot, Walkway Lights 15' Height, 25' from nearby structures	☑ Yes □No
ii. Will proposed action remove existing natural barriers that could act as a light barrier or screen? Describe:	Yes No
o. Does the proposed action have the potential to produce odors for more than one hour per day? If Yes, describe possible sources, potential frequency and duration of odor emissions, and proximity to nearest occupied structures:	☐ Yes ☑ No
p. Will the proposed action include any bulk storage of petroleum (combined capacity of over 1,100 gallons) or chemical products 185 gallons in above ground storage or any amount in underground storage? If Yes: i. Product(s) to be stored ii. Volume(s) per unit time (e.g., month, year) iii. Generally, describe the proposed storage facilities:	☐ Yes Ø No
q. Will the proposed action (commercial, industrial and recreational projects only) use pesticides (i.e., herbicides, insecticides) during construction or operation? If Yes: i. Describe proposed treatment(s):	Yes No
ii. Will the proposed action use Integrated Pest Management Practices?r. Will the proposed action (commercial or industrial projects only) involve or require the management or disposal	Yes No
of solid waste (excluding hazardous materials)? If Yes:	LI Tes Elito
 i. Describe any solid waste(s) to be generated during construction or operation of the facility: Construction: tons per (unit of time) Operation: tons per (unit of time) ii. Describe any proposals for on-site minimization, recycling or reuse of materials to avoid disposal as solid waste: Construction: 	
• Operation:	
 iii. Proposed disposal methods/facilities for solid waste generated on-site: Construction: 	
Operation:	

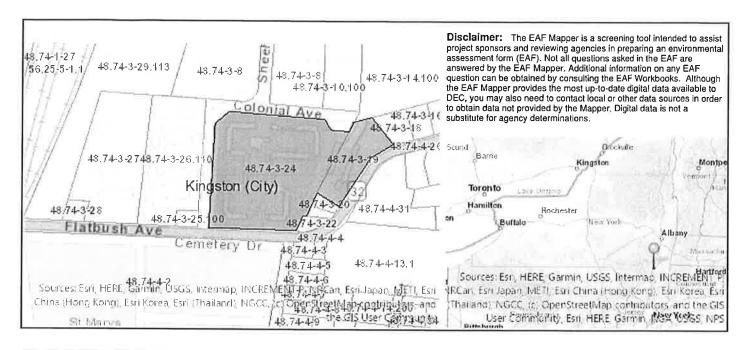
s. Does the proposed action include construction or mod	lification of a solid waste n	nanagement facility?	Yes V No		
If Yes:					
i. Type of management or handling of waste proposed for the site (e.g., recycling or transfer station, composting, landfill, or					
other disposal activities): ii. Anticipated rate of disposal/processing:					
• Tons/month, if transfer or other non-combustion/thermal treatment, or					
• Tons/hour, if combustion or thermal treatment					
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t. Will the proposed action at the site involve the commo		storage or disposal of hazard	lous Vas ANo		
waste?	oroidi gonorumon, treatment	, storage, or disposar or hazare	1002 1 62 1 100		
If Yes:					
i. Name(s) of all hazardous wastes or constituents to b	e generated, handled or ma	naged at facility:			
ii. Generally describe processes or activities involving	hazardous wastes or consti	hianta			
so determined processes of activities involving	nazardous wastes of consti	idents;			
iii. Specify amount to be handled or generated tons/month					
iv. Describe any proposals for on-site minimization, rec	cycling or reuse of hazardo	us constituents:			
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v. Will any hazardous wastes be disposed at an existin	v. Will any hazardous wastes be disposed at an existing offsite hazardous waste facility?				
If Yes: provide name and location of facility:	6 onsite hazardous waste to	acmty:			
If No: describe proposed management of any hazardous	wastes which will not be so	ent to a hazardous waste facili	ty:		
E. Site and Setting of Proposed Action			<u>-</u>		
E.1. Land uses on and surrounding the project site	-				
a. Existing land uses.					
i. Check all uses that occur on, adjoining and near the	project site.	1.			
☐ Urban ☐ Industrial ☐ Commercial ☑ Residence ☐ Forest ☐ Agriculture ☐ Aquatic ☐ Othe	iential (suburban) LI Ru	iral (non-tarm)			
ii. If mix of uses, generally describe:	(specify).				
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b. Land uses and covertypes on the project site.					
Land use or	Current	A A	CI		
Covertype	Acreage	Acreage After Project Completion	Change (Acres +/-)		
Roads, buildings, and other paved or impervious	riorcago	Troject Completion	(Acres +/-)		
surfaces	3.28	3.68	+.4		
Forested	0.13	0.13	0		
Meadows, grasslands or brushlands (non-	0.05				
agricultural, including abandoned agricultural)	3.05	2.75	<u>4</u>		
Agricultural					
(includes active orchards, field, greenhouse etc.)					
Surface water features					
(lakes, ponds, streams, rivers, etc.)					
Wetlands (freshwater or tidal)					
Non-vegetated (bare rock, earth or fill)					
• Other					
Describe:					
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c. Is the project site presently used by members of the community for public recreation? i. If Yes: explain:	□Yes⊡No
 d. Are there any facilities serving children, the elderly, people with disabilities (e.g., schools, hospitals, licensed day care centers, or group homes) within 1500 feet of the project site? If Yes, i. Identify Facilities: 	✓ Yes No
Day care, school	
e. Does the project site contain an existing dam?	□Yes☑No
If Yes:	L I GENTINO
i. Dimensions of the dam and impoundment:	
Dam height:	
Dam length: feet	
Surface area: acres	
Volume impounded: gallons OR acre-feet ii. Dam's existing hazard classification:	
iii. Provide date and summarize results of last inspection:	
m. Provide date and summarize results of last hispection.	
f. Has the project site ever been used as a municipal, commercial or industrial solid waste management facility,	□v□N-
or does the project site adjoin property which is now, or was at one time, used as a solid waste management facility, of Yes:	☐ Yes No lity?
i. Has the facility been formally closed?	☐Yes☐ No
If yes, cite sources/documentation:	
ii. Describe the location of the project site relative to the boundaries of the solid waste management facility:	
iii Describe any development constraints due to the prior colid wests esticitive.	
iii. Describe any development constraints due to the prior solid waste activities:	
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g. Have hazardous wastes been generated, treated and/or disposed of at the site, or does the project site adjoin property which is now or was at one time used to commercially treat, store and/or dispose of hazardous waste? If Yes:	□Yes ☑ No
i. Describe waste(s) handled and waste management activities, including approximate time when activities occurred	ad.
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h. Potential contamination history. Has there been a reported spill at the proposed project site, or have any	☐Yes No
remedial actions been conducted at or adjacent to the proposed site?	
If Yes:	
i. Is any portion of the site listed on the NYSDEC Spills Incidents database or Environmental Site	□Yes□No
Remediation database? Check all that apply: Yes – Spills Incidents database Provide DEC ID number(s):	
☐ Yes - Spills Incidents database Provide DEC ID number(s): ☐ Yes - Environmental Site Remediation database Provide DEC ID number(s):	
Neither database	
ii. If site has been subject of RCRA corrective activities, describe control measures:	
iii. Is the project within 2000 feet of any site in the NYSDEC Environmental Site Remediation database? If yes, provide DEC ID number(s): C356057	✓ Yes No
iv. If yes to (i), (ii) or (iii) above, describe current status of site(s):	
No. All a Maria and All a	
Brownfield Cleanup Program	
Classification: A, Active site, source of PCE contamination	

v. Is the project site subject to an institutional control limiting property uses?	☐ Yes ✓ No
 If yes, DEC site ID number: Describe the type of institutional control (e.g., deed restriction or easement): 	
Describe the type of institutional control (e.g., deed restriction or easement): Describe any use limitations:	
Describe any use limitations: Describe any engineering controls:	
Will the project affect the institutional or engineering controls in place?	∏Yes∏No
Explain:	
E.2. Natural Resources On or Near Project Site	
a. What is the average depth to bedrock on the project site? >6.5 feet	
b. Are there bedrock outcroppings on the project site?	☐ Yes ✓ No
If Yes, what proportion of the site is comprised of bedrock outcroppings?%	1 C3[#]110
c. Predominant soil type(s) present on project site: PIB 31.6 %)
PrC 31.4 %	
d. What is the average depth to the water table on the project site? Average: > 6.5 feet	
e. Drainage status of project site soils: Well Drained: 100 % of site	
Moderately Well Drained: % of site	
Poorly Drained% of site	
f. Approximate proportion of proposed action site with slopes: 0-10%: _92.3 % of site	
 ✓ 1025% or greater: ✓ 25% or greater: ✓ 2.8 % of site 	
g. Are there any unique geologic features on the project site? If Yes, describe:	☐ Yes No
h. Surface water features.	
 i. Does any portion of the project site contain wetlands or other waterbodies (including streams, rivers, ponds or lakes)? 	□Yes / No
ii. Do any wetlands or other waterbodies adjoin the project site?	[_]Yes☑No
If Yes to either i or ii , continue. If No, skip to E.2.i.	
iii. Are any of the wetlands or waterbodies within or adjoining the project site regulated by any federal, state or local agency?	[Yes ✓No
iv. For each identified regulated wetland and waterbody on the project site, provide the following information:	
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Lakes or Ponds: Name None Classification Approximate Size	
• Wetland No. (if regulated by DEC) None	
v. Are any of the above water bodies listed in the most recent compilation of NYS water quality-impaired waterbodies?	☐Yes Z No
If yes, name of impaired water body/bodies and basis for listing as impaired:	
i. Is the project site in a designated Floodway?	☐Yes Z No
j. Is the project site in the 100-year Floodplain?	□Yes ☑ No
k. Is the project site in the 500-year Floodplain?	□Yes ☑ No
1. Is the project site located over, or immediately adjoining, a primary, principal or sole source aquifer? If Yes:	✓ Yes □No
i. Name of aquifer: Principal Aquifer	

m. Identify the predominant wildlife specie	es that occupy or use the project site:	
Rabbits	Mice	-
Squirrels	Various Birds	
Deer		
n. Does the project site contain a designated	significant natural community?	☐Yes Z No
If Yes:		
i. Describe the habitat/community (compo	sition, function, and basis for designation):	
ii Course(s) of description as evaluation		
iii. Extent of community/habitat:		
Currently:		
	proposed:acres	
Gain or loss (indicate + or -):		
Gain of loss (indicate + of -).	acres	
o. Does project site contain any species of p	lant or animal that is listed by the federal government or NYS as	✓ Yes No
	in any areas identified as habitat for an endangered or threatened spe	
If Yes:		
	ed):	
Northern Long-eared Bat		
p. Does the project site contain any species	of plant or animal that is listed by NYS as rare, or as a species of	□Yes☑No
special concern?	1	
If Yes:		
i. Species and listing:		
q. Is the project site or adjoining area curren	tly used for hunting, trapping, fishing or shell fishing?	☐Yes Z No
If yes, give a brief description of how the pro-	oposed action may affect that use:	
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E.3. Designated Public Resources On or I		
a. Is the project site, or any portion of it, loca	ated in a designated agricultural district certified pursuant to	☐Yes Z No
Agriculture and Markets Law, Article 25	-AA, Section 303 and 304?	
If Yes, provide county plus district name/nu	imber:	
b. Are agricultural lands consisting of highly	productive soils present?	☐Yes Z No
i. If Yes: acreage(s) on project site?		
ii. Source(s) of soil rating(s):		
Natural Landmark?	f, or is it substantially contiguous to, a registered National	□Yes Z No
If Yes:		
	Biological Community Geological Feature	
	Biological Community Geological Feature ncluding values behind designation and approximate size/extent:	
ii. I lovide offer description of fandmark, in	including values benind designation and approximate size/extent:	
d. Is the project site located in or does it adjo	oin a state listed Critical Environmental Area?	☐ Yes ✓ No
If Yes:		
i. CEA name:		
ii. Basis for designation:		
iii. Designating agency and date:		

e. Does the project site contain, or is it substantially contiguous to, a building, archaeological site, or district which is listed on the National or State Register of Historic Places, or that has been determined by the Commissio Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation to be eligible for listing on the State Register of Historic Pla	✓ Yes No ner of the NYS ces?
If Yes: i. Nature of historic/archaeological resource: □ Archaeological Site ii. Name: Kingston City Almshouse ✓ Historic Building or District	
iii. Brief description of attributes on which listing is based: NYSDEC LIST - SHPO - Existing Building is in Use Today	
f. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in or adjacent to an area designated as sensitive for archaeological sites on the NY State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) archaeological site inventory?	Z Yes □No
g. Have additional archaeological or historic site(s) or resources been identified on the project site? If Yes: i. Describe possible resource(s):	□Yes ☑ No
ii. Basis for identification:	
h. Is the project site within fives miles of any officially designated and publicly accessible federal, state, or local scenic or aesthetic resource? If Yes:	☐Yes Ø No
 i. Identify resource: ii. Nature of, or basis for, designation (e.g., established highway overlook, state or local park, state historic trail or state. 	
etc.):	scenic byway,
iii. Distance between project and resource: miles.	
 i. Is the project site located within a designated river corridor under the Wild, Scenic and Recreational Rivers Program 6 NYCRR 666? If Yes: 	☐ Yes ✓ No
i. Identify the name of the river and its designation:ii. Is the activity consistent with development restrictions contained in 6NYCRR Part 666?	
ii. Is the activity consistent with development restrictions contained in 6NYCRR Part 666?	∐Yes □No
F. Additional Information Attach any additional information which may be needed to clarify your project. If you have identified any adverse impacts which could be associated with your proposal, please describe those impressures which you propose to avoid or minimize them.	pacts plus any
G. Verification I certify that the information provided is true to the best of my knowledge. Applicant/Sponsor Name R214N R200000000000000000000000000000000000	



B.i.i [Coastal or Waterfront Area]	No
B.i.ii [Local Waterfront Revitalization Area]	Yes
C.2.b. [Special Planning District]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h [DEC Spills or Remediation Site - Potential Contamination History]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h.i [DEC Spills or Remediation Site - Listed]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h.i [DEC Spills or Remediation Site - Environmental Site Remediation Database]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h.iii [Within 2,000' of DEC Remediation Site]	Yes
E.1.h.iii [Within 2,000' of DEC Remediation Site - DEC ID]	C356057
E.2.g [Unique Geologic Features]	No
E.2.h.i [Surface Water Features]	No
E.2.h.ii [Surface Water Features]	Yes
E.2.h.iii [Surface Water Features]	Yes - Digital mapping information on local and federal wetlands and waterbodies is known to be incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.2.h.v [Impaired Water Bodies]	No
E.2.i. [Floodway]	No
E.2.j. [100 Year Floodplain]	No
E.2.k. [500 Year Floodplain]	No
E.2.I. [Aquifers]	Yes
E.2.I. [Aquifer Names]	Principal Aquifer
E.2.n. [Natural Communities]	No

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E.2.o. [Endangered or Threatened Species - Name]	Northern Long-eared Bat
E.2.p. [Rare Plants or Animals]	No
E.3.a. [Agricultural District]	No
E.3.c. [National Natural Landmark]	No
E.3.d [Critical Environmental Area]	No
E.3.e. [National or State Register of Historic Places or State Eligible Sites]	Yes - Digital mapping data for archaeological site boundaries are not available. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.3.e.ii [National or State Register of Historic Places or State Eligible Sites - Name]	Kingston City Almshouse
E.3.f. [Archeological Sites]	Yes
E.3.i. [Designated River Corridor]	No

Resolution of the City of Kingston Planning Board to Seek Designation of Lead Agency for

#206 & 208 Flatbush Avenue (SBL 48.74-3-24 & 48.74-3-19)

RECEIVE in the SEQR Process Under 6 NYCRR Part 617

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MOTION: Wayne Plact WHEREAS, Kingston Housing Authority (the Applicant) has submitted a long and Part I of the Full Environmental Assessment Form, to the City of Kingston Rlanning Board, to rehabilitate 98 existing Colonial Gardens residential units, demolish 32 existing studio units on the annex site and construct of a new 4 story building with 82 one-bedroom units under a site plan review; and revise a property line under a subdivision process (the Action); and

WHEREAS, the project is located at #206 & 208 Flatbush Avenue, Kingston, New York (SBL 48.74-3-24 & 48.74-3-19); and

WHEREAS, although the application is considered Unlisted Action under 6 NYCRR Part 617 (NYS DEC SEQR), the applicants and the City of Kingston agree that a coordinated review is in the best interest of the comprehensive project review due to the number of involved and interested agencies; and

WHEREAS, the designation of a "lead agency" and a determination of the significance of the Action on the environment must be made in order to comply with the New York State Environmental Conservation Law (SEQR Act") and the regulations promulgated thereunder by the NYSDEC, and;

WHEREAS, the City of Kingston Planning Department in coordination with the Applicant have identified a list of involved and interested agencies, based upon the information submitted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF KINGSTON PLANNING BOARD, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the Action is determined to be an Unlisted Action and have opted to initiate a coordinated review under SEQR Part 617.5.

Section 2: That the City of Kingston Planning Board desires to establish itself as Lead Agency in the environmental review process.

That the Planning Department is directed to circulate a request to all involved and interested agencies, seeking concurrence with the designation of the Kingston Planning Board as the lead agency for the SEQR review of the Action.

Section 4: That this resolution shall take effect immediately.

MEMBERS Abso	ent/Present		SIGNATURE	YES	NO	RECUSE
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Wayne D. Platte Jr., Planning Board Chairman

11-18-24

City of Kingston Planning Board Involved/Interested Agencies 206 & 208 Flatbush Avenue – SBL 48.74-3-24 & 48.74-3-19 Circulation – City of Kingston Planning Board Resolution to Designate Lead Agency

INVOLVED & INTERESTED AGENCIES

City of Kingston Common Council *Emailed*

Building Safety Division *Emailed*

Zoning Board of Appeals *Emailed*

City of Kingston Engineering Department *Emailed*

Department of Public Works *Emailed*

Kingston Water Dept. *Emailed*

Kingston Fire Department *Emailed*

Kingston City School District *Emailed*

Ulster County Planning Board *Emailed*

Ulster County Health Department 239 Golden Hill Drive Kingston, NY 12401 Hard Copy - Mailed

NYSDOT 50 Wolfe Rd. Albany, NY 12232 Hard Copy Mailed

NYS Department of Environmental Conservation – Region 3 21 S. Putt Corners Rd. New Paltz, NY 12561 Hard Copy – Mailed

HCR Funding

New York State Housing Finance Agency 641 Lexington Avenue, New York, NY 10065 Hard Copy – Mailed

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Suzanne Cahill, Planning Director



Steven T. Noble, Mayor

November 21, 2024

TO: The INDIVIDUALS LISTED ON THE ATTACHED SCHEDULE A

RE: DESIGNATION OF CITY OF KINGSTON PLANNING BOARD AS LEAD AGENCY

To Whom It May Concern:

We have reviewed preliminary plans along with the Full Environmental Assessment Form Part I, prepared to rehabilitate 98 existing Colonial Gardens residential units, demolish 32 existing studio units on the annex site and construct of a new 4 story building with 82 one-bedroom units. The property owned by Kingston Housing Authority is also known as Ulster County tax map parcel SBL #48.74-3-24 & 48.74-3-19 (206 & 208 Flatbush Avenue), in the City of Kingston, (the Action).

The Action has been classified as an Unlisted Action under SEQR, however the applicants and the City of Kingston Planning Board have agreed to initiate a coordinated review under SEQR based on the number of Involved and Interested Agencies.

Upon consideration of the various criteria set forth in Section 617.6 of the SEQR Act, the Kingston Planning Board believes that it should be designated lead agency. Please indicate your concurrence with such designation within thirty (30) days. To the extent that you have any questions with respect to the Act or designation of this agency as lead agency, Ms. Suzanne Cahill is available and may be contacted by calling (845) 334-3955, or by writing to City Planner's Office, 420 Broadway, Kingston, New York 12401.

Following the designation as lead agency, a determination of significance shall be made in accordance with the Regulations. You will be notified of said determination immediately thereafter in accordance with Section 617.12 of the Regulations. Your agency <u>cannot</u> take any action or render any decision on the project until after the lead agency makes a determination and the SEQR process in concluded in accordance with 6NYCRR Part 617.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Cahill

Suzanne Cahill Planning Director

City of Kingston Planning Board Response to Request for Determination of Lead Agency

Re:

Planning@kingston-ny.gov

Kingston Housing Authority & Mountco #206 & 208 Flatbush Avenue (SBL 48.74-3-24 & 48.74-3-19)

Kingston Planning Board Designation as Lead Agency

On behalf of:	
Agency Name:	
-	
Agency mailing address: _	
Agency telephone:	
I acknowledge the receipt of to the City of Kingston Plan Review of the above matter	f the notice, dated, requesting our consent nning Board acting as Lead Agency in the SEQR Coordinated
The above named agency h	ereby:
	S that the City of Kingston Planning Board be declared Lead he environmental review of the above referenced project.
	CONSENT to the City of Kingston Planning Board being in this application and wishes that
DATED:	AGENCY NAME:
	BY:(Please Print)
	SIGNATURE:
Please Return By Decembe	r 21, 2024 To:
City of Kingston Planning O Suzanne Cahill, Planning D City Hall – 420 Broadway Kingston, New York 12401	irector

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RESOLUTION # ____ of 2024

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AMENDING SECTION 405.19 AFFORDABLE HOUSING STANDARDS OF THE FORM BASED CODE TO BETTER DEFINE AFFORDABLE AND WORKFORCE HOUSING.

Sponsored by: Community Development & Housing Committee

WHEREAS, As adopted in 2023, the City of Kingston Form Based Code defines 'Affordable' Housing as the monthly rent including utilities shall not exceed 30% of the figure that represents 80% Area Median Income (AMI), and 'Workforce Housing' as the monthly rent including utilities shall not exceed 30% of the figure that represents 120% Area Median Income; and

WHEREAS, Area Median Income is determined by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development using Census Data for entire counties, leaving municipalities to use county level data; and

WHEREAS, The Area Median Income in Ulster County in 2024 is \$117,200, under the current definitions of 'Affordable' and 'Workforce' in the Form Based Code, AMIs of \$58,600-\$93,760 are considered affordable for the purposes of housing and AMIs of up to \$140,640 are considered workforce for the purposes of housing; and

WHEREAS, the American Community Survey issued by the United States Census Bureau lists the median income for the City of Kingston at \$62,071, far lower than that of Ulster County as a whole, including 18.4% living below the federal poverty line and 23.4% of children living in poverty; and

WHEREAS, The American Community Survey shows that 57% of renter households are cost-burdened, paying more than a third of their income on housing costs; and

WHEREAS, The Ulster County AMI has increased 40% between 2020 and 2024, outpacing both inflation and wage increases for the local workforce; and

WHEREAS, The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) increased Fair Market Rents (FMR) by 17% between 2023 and 2024 to keep pace for Section 8 voucher holders to afford rents at 60% AMI; and

WHEREAS, the current definitions of 'affordable' and 'workforce' are currently above both FMRs and Market Rate Rents and will not satisfy the urgent need for housing for middle, low income and very low income residents of the City of Kingston, and may accelerate gentrification in our community; and

RESOLVED, The term 'affordable' in the SECTION 405.19 AFFORDABLE HOUSING STANDARDS OF THE FORM BASED CODE shall mean the monthly rent including utilities

shall not exceed 30% of the figure that represents 50% Area Median Income or Fair Market Rent as annually defined by HUD, whichever is lower, and

RESOLVED, The term 'workforce' in the SECTION 405.19 AFFORDABLE HOUSING STANDARDS OF THE FORM BASED CODE shall mean the monthly rent including utilities shall not exceed 30% of the figure that represents 80% Area Median Income or Fair Market Rent as annually defined by HUD, whichever is lower.