RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, RECOMMENDING ADOPTION OF THE CLIMATE SMART AND GREEN JOBS COMMUNITY PLEDGE

Sponsored By: Laws and Rules Committee: Senor, Landi, Hoffay, Madsen, Polacco

WHEREAS, the City of Kingston understands that climate change poses a real and increasing threat to our local and global environments and is primarily exacerbated by the current burning of fossil fuels; and

WHEREAS, Kingston is desirous of investigating methods to address and reduce such threats; and

WHEREAS, we believe that Kingston is in a position to set an example, for all of New York State, on how a small city can make a big difference; Kingston has a long-standing interest in attracting and retaining innovative businesses.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION-1. The Common Council of the City of Kingston hereby adopts the annexed Climate Smart and Green Jobs Community Pledge.

SECTION-2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Submitted to the Mayor this 2 mday of	Approved by the Mayor this day of
<u>October</u> , 2009	October , 2009
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Arlene Rion, City Clerk	James M. Sottile, Mayor
Adopted by Council on October 6 Res 181 2009 Climate Smart	_, 2009.