In the Matter of the MELODY LAKE WATER DISTRICT of the Town of Thompson, Sullivan County, New York, for an Increase in the Maximum Amount to be Expended for an Improvement of Facilities.

NEGATIVE DECLARATION UNDER SEQR

1. The Town Board of the Town of Thompson, by resolution duly adopted at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 5th day of February, 2019, did determine that the increase in the maximum amount to be expended for an improvement of facilities of the Melody Lake Water District in the Town of Thompson, due to general increases in costs of labor and materials, from \$375,000.00 to \$400,000.00, will not have a significant effect on the environment.

- 2. Lead agency for such project is the Town Board of the Town of Thompson, whose address is 4052 Route 42, Monticello, New York 12701, the designation of which was accomplished by resolution duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Town Board held on the 5th day of February, 2019.
- 3. The person to contact for further information is Supervisor William J. Rieber, Jr., whose address is 4052 Route 42, Monticello, New York 12701, telephone number 845-794-2500.
- 4. The cost to a typical property in the Melody Lake Water District will be increased from \$813.89 to approximately \$840.07 per year.
- 5. The basis for the negative declaration is as follows: that the increase in the maximum amount to be expended for improvement of facilities from \$375,000.00 to \$400,000.00 due to general increases in costs or labor and materials will not violate any of the criteria for determining environmental significance as set forth in Part 617 of the Regulations.

Dated: Monticello, New York February 05, 2019

> TOWN OF THOMPSON Town Hall 4052 Route 42 Monticello, New York 12701