SUBMITTING QUESTION OF ABOLISHMENT OF ONE ELECTED TOWN JUSTICE TO VOTERS AT BIENNIAL TOWN ELECTION

WHEREAS, the Town of Collins currently has two elected Town Justices: and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has determined that it would be in the best interests of the Town of Collins to reduce the number of Town Justices to one; and

WHEREAS, the term of office of one of the elected Town Justices will expire on December 31, 2022.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, pursuant to the provisions of New York Town Law Section 60-a(2), the Town of Collins hereby reduces to one, the number of Town Justices for the Town of Collins, with the Town Justice position having an elected term of office expiring on December 31, 2022, being eliminated.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall be subject to permissive referendum as provided by New York State Town Law Article 7, Section 90 through Section 94.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Town Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to publish notice of this Resolution in the official newspaper of the Town within ten (10) days, and also within ten (10) days post on the signboard of the Town.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall take effect on the thirtieth day, or upon such resolution having been approved by an affirmative vote of a majority of qualified electors of such town, if a valid petition be filed within the statutorily authorized time period forcing such question on the ballot at a general or special town election.

The resolution as stated above is hereby adopted by a majority vote of the Town of Collins Town Board at an official meeting held on the 13TH day of June, in the year 2022, the ayes and nays taken and recorded below:

Aye Ken Martin, Supervisor

Aye Jackie McLean, Deputy Supervisor

Aye Jim Hotnich, Councilman

Absent Mary A. Stelley, Councilman

Absent Jane Sion, Councilman

CERTIFIED: Becky Jo Summers, Town Clerk Town of Collins

The Supervisor declared that the foregoing Resolution was duly carried, and further directed to the Town Clerk of the Town of Collins to, within 10 days, post on the signboard of the Town, a copy of this Resolution, and also within 10 days, to publish a copy of this Resolution in the newspaper designated by the Town for such publication.