

Ulster County Industrial Development Agency

## **IDA Procedure for Processing Applications**

The following applies to bonding, sales-tax, mortgage-tax, and property-tax inducements (PILOT), unless noted otherwise:

## Preliminary Action Prior to IDA Meeting #1

- 1. Project applicant calls IDA staff or is referred to IDA staff by IDA counsel
- 2. IDA staff has preliminary discussion with project applicant to assess project eligibility based on GML, UCIDA UTEP Matrix and Points Calculator
- 3. IDA staff discusses project eligibility with the IDA Chair
- 4. IDA staff sends project applicant the IDA application
- 5. Project applicant delivers substantially completed IDA application and application fee to IDA staff
- 6. For a PILOT only: IDA staff, together with the project applicant, reaches out to the local taxing authority's assessor to determine the estimated value of the improvements to the project site. IDA staff prepares an estimated PILOT schedule
- 7. IDA staff and IDA counsel conducts due diligence on the project applicant and reviews completed IDA application for completeness and accuracy
- 8. IDA staff and IDA counsel prepares summary memo on proposed project and due diligence and the project materials (completed IDA application, summary memo and due diligence materials) are sent to IDA members
- 9. IDA Chair and members select pre-screening group
- 10. Prescreening group meets with IDA staff, IDA counsel and project applicant to review project materials
- 11. Prescreening group is: (a) satisfied with project materials, and process moves to Meeting #1, (b) not satisfied with project materials, and matter moved back to staff and counsel for additional

	due diligence, or (c) determines to recommend to board not to move forward with the project
	12. IDA staff and IDA counsel prepare summary memo of prescreening meeting
	13. Project materials and prescreening memo are distributed to board members at least two weeks in advance of Meeting #1
Meeting #1	IDA staff introduces the proposed project and prescreening group provides input
	2. Project applicant makes presentation
	3. IDA members review project materials and ask questions
	4. If board determines to move forward, IDA members agree to schedule Public Hearing
Preliminary Action Prior to Meeting #2	1. IDA staff and counsel conducts additional due diligence, if needed
	2. IDA staff schedules Public Hearing
	3. IDA member conducts the Public Hearing
	4. IDA staff arranges for PH transcript
	5. IDA staff sends PH transcript at least two weeks in advance of Meeting #2
Meeting #2	IDA members review PH transcript and ask questions
Meeting #3	IDA members adopt SEQR Resolution <sup>1</sup> and Approving Resolution

## Approved by the UCIDA Board September 12th, 2018

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> IDA adopts SEQR Resolution after local municipality completes its SEQR review of the proposed project.