Legal Notice Permissive Referendum Authorize Playground at Lodge from Reserve Fund

WHEREAS, a Parks and Recreation Reserve Fund was established on December 29, 2004 for the purpose of making improvements to town-owned parks and recreation facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Sweden was awarded a \$446,145 Environmental Protection Agency grant through the Office of New York State Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation for the purpose of making improvements at the Sweden Town Park including the construction of a lodge, installation of a playground and a sidewalk to the canal; and

WHEREAS, the grant requires the Town to expend the funds as incurred and submit to New York State for reimbursement; and

WHEREAS, the capital available for funding this project, including the Town's required contribution, is held in the Parks and Recreation Reserve Fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

Sec. 1. That the Town Board of the Town of Sweden does hereby authorize the expenditure of up to \$28,000 from the Parks and Recreation Reserve Fund for Type capital improvements; namely installation of improvements at the Sweden Town Park as agreed to in the grant contract between the Town of Sweden and the Office of New York State Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation.

Sec. 2. That reimbursement from New York State for this capital project will be redeposited to the Parks and Recreation Reserve Fund.

<u>Sec. 3.</u> That pursuant to Section 6-C of the General Municipal Law, this expenditure is subject to permissive referendum.

By Order of the Sweden Town Board Karen M. Sweeting, Town Clerk May 9, 2018