MEETING OF CSC Task Force February 10, 2022

A Meeting of the Climate Smart Communities Task Force was held on Thursday, February 10, 2022, at 9:00 am virtually via Google Meets, to discuss the following matters and any other matters that were properly brought before the Task Force.

The following members were present throughout the meeting:

Mariah Okrongly — Bedford 2030 Program Director & CSC Coordinator Mark F. Thielking — Director of Energy and Sustainability, Town of Bedford, NY William Condon — Climate Smart Communities Intern

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 9:03 am by Mariah Okrongly, Program Director who acted as Chair of the meeting.

TASK FORCE BUSINESS

Discussion of the completion of the following Climate Smart Communities Actions

1. Advanced Vehicles

It was recommended that the town intern be contacted to secure documentation confirming the continued use of the Nissan Leaf advanced vehicle by the Town of Bedford Police Department

2. LED Street Lights

Mark Thielking provided confirmation emails from the NYSERDA CEC program needed to submit for approval for the LED Street Lights action. Emails for both Cobra Head and Decorative Light Fixtures were included.

3. Partnerships with Other Entities

Confirmed that submission of membership in NYSERDA CEC and Sustainable Westchester would qualify for completion of this action.

4. Environmentally Preferable Purchasing Policy

The task force decided not to move forward with this action.

5. Compost Bins for Residents

It was concluded that Melissa Luper — Bookkeeper and Office Administrator for Bedford 2030 — would be the best contact through which to find more information and documentation required to submit for this action.

6. Traffic Calming

It was concluded that Kevin Winn — Commissioner of Public Works for the Town of Bedford — would be the best contact through which to find more information and documentation required to submit for this action.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned 9:46 am

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Mariah Okrongly Program Director