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ACCEPT BALLOT PETITION FOR PHOENICIA & MORTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY BUDGET INCREASES

WHEREAS, the Shandaken Town Clerk has reviewed and Certified, as correct and accurate, the petition presented by the Phoenicia Library Association & Morton Memorial Library; requesting an increase of the annual contribution of the Town of Shandaken for the operating budgets of the Phoenicia Library & Morton Memorial Libraries, and the Town Board having determined that said petition is sufficient in form and content,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Board of the Town of Shandaken requests that the Ulster County Board of Elections place the following proposition on the November 7, 2023 ballot for the Town of Shandaken to be voted "yes" or "no" by the voters of the Town of Shandaken:

YES or NO "SHALL THE TOWN OF SHANDAKEN INCREASE ITS ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION FOR THE OPERATING BUDGET OF THE MORTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY BY FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE (\$5475) DOLLARS TO THE SUM OF SIXTY THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE (\$60,225) DOLLARS ANNUALLY; AND SHALL THE TOWN OF SHANDAKEN INCREASE ITS ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION FOR THE OPERATING BUDGET OF THE PHOENICIA LIBRARY BY SEVENTEEN THOUSAND SEVEN HUDRED FIFTY (\$17,750) DOLLARS TO THE SUM OF ONE HUNDRED NINETY-NINE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY (\$199,750) DOLLARS ANNUALLY?"

AND MOVE ITS ADOPTION