# **Application for Financial Assistance**

County of Clinton Industrial Development Agency (CCIDA)

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Plattsburgh, NY 12901

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A nonrefundable administrative application fee of \$1500 must be submitted at the time of the application, of which, \$750 will be applied to the project's closing cost. Checks may be made payable to: **The County of Clinton IDA**.

Please submit one (1) electronic copy and two (2) hard copies of the application (and any attachments) and SEQR (if applicable) to the address above. Include the check with the hard copies.

# ALL APPLICATIONS <u>MUST BE</u> SUBMITTED TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO THE REGULAR SCHEDULED CCIDA MEETING

For a copy of the meeting schedule as well as the Uniform Tax Exempt Policy (UTEP) go to <a href="https://www.clintoncountyida.com">www.clintoncountyida.com</a>

Application Updated: 7/2016

## **Note to Applicant:**

The information requested by this application is necessary to determine the eligibility of your project for Clinton County Industrial Development Agency (CCIDA) benefits. Please answer all questions, inserting "none" or "not applicable" where appropriate. If you are providing an estimate, please indicate by inserting "est." after the figure. Attach additional sheets if more space is needed for a response than provided.

Please submit two (2) hard copies of the application (and any attachments) and SEQR (if applicable) to CCIDA, 137 Margaret Street, Suite 209, Plattsburgh, NY 12901 ATTN: Executive Director. In addition, please send an electronic version of the entire application and SEQR (if applicable) as well as all attachments to <a href="mailto:infoatIDAs@gmail.com">infoatIDAs@gmail.com</a>. Include within the hardcopy, a check made payable to the County of Clinton Industrial Development Agency in the amount of \$1500. Submissions must be made <a href="two (2) weeks prior">two (2) weeks prior</a> to the regular scheduled meetings of the CCIDA (2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month unless otherwise noted).

Upon submission of this application to the CCIDA, the application becomes a public document. Be advised that any action brought before the CCIDA is public information. All agendas are issued and posted on the CCIDA's website seven (7) days prior to Board meetings. If there is information that the applicant feels is of a proprietary nature, please identify as such, and that information will be treated confidentially to the extent permitted by the law.

By signing and submitting this application, the Applicant acknowledges that it has received a copy of the CCIDA's Uniform Tax Exempt Policy (UTEP) and all other policies mentioned. Policies can be obtained at <a href="https://www.clintoncountyida.com">www.clintoncountyida.com</a>.

A project financed through the CCIDA involves the preparation and execution of significant legal documents. These documents not only comply with New York State law but also conform to CCIDA policies in effect at time of closing (all policies are posted on the website). Please consult with an attorney before signing any documents in connection with the proposed project.

The applicant will receive an engagement letter from the CCIDA's legal counsel. The applicant will then be asked to sign the engagement letter acknowledging it understands that the project is responsible for <u>all</u> CCIDA legal costs related to the project, including when the project is reconveyed. In addition, should the project not close and legal services have been rendered by the CCIDA legal counsel, the applicant will still be responsible for those costs.

If the project requires a public hearing, a representative from the applicant's organization is required to be present. A date will be coordinated by the CCIDA's legal counsel and/or Executive Director. If you have any questions regarding the application or the process, feel free to contact the CCIDA's Executive Director at (518) 565-4600 or infoatIDAs@gamil.com.

# **PART I: Project Information**

PROJECT'S CCIDA <u>APPLICATION</u> # \_\_\_\_\_(Official Use)

## Section A: Assistance

	Type of Financial Assista	ance Requested - [Ci	heck One]	
Straight Lease -	Bond Financing -	Both -	Other -	
If "Other," Explain				
7	Type of Benefits Project is a	Seeking – [Check Al	l that Apply]	
- 7.75 C F AULUS	Sales Tax Exemption –  Seeking bonds, a PILOT and/or  will be required in Part II of the	Exemption- exemption from sales of	Tax-Exempt Bonds — and/or mortgage reco	Other –
If Other, Explain:	Section B	3: Background	_	
1.)				
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	orthway Solar, LLC	LLC olo Byon Mo	Cupo	
Company Point of Contact: Nexamp Capital, LLC c/o Ryan McCune				
Address: 101 Summer St. Fir 2, Boston MA, 02110  Phone Number: ( ) 607 592 5648				
	Point of Contact's e-mail: RMcCune@Nexamp.com			
Company Website; www.Nexamp.com				
Company NAICS C				
	ation Number (EIN): 87-435	9882		

2.) Business Type [Check One]:
Private or Public Corporation
If Public, on what exchange is it listed?
Subchapter S
Sole Proprietorship
General Partnership
Limited Partnership
Limited Liability Company/Partnership
DISC
Not-for-profit
Other:
State of Incorporation (if applicable): DE
3.) Describe the nature of your business and its principal products and/or services:
Northway Solar, LLC is a project company and wholly owned subsidiary of Nexamp Capital, LLC charged with the operation of a 5MWac Community Solar Array in the Town of Peru. This is Northway's first undertaking. This facility will sell power in to the local energy grid, and allow the local community access to Community Solar subscriptions that can help reduce their energy costs.
Nexamp, originally founded in 2007, is a solar developer, operator and construction firm headquartered in Boston MA. The individuals, property owners, businesses and communities served by Nexamp projects benefit for its nationally distributed portfolio of solar assets. Nexamp, directly and through its wholly owned subsidiaries, develops projects, acquires fully-developed projects, and manages its projects on a continuing basis.
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3a.) Will the project move its facility from another location in New York to Clinton County? Yes or No
3b.) Will the project result in the abandonment of an existing facility in New York?  Yes or No
3c.) If "Yes" to 3a and/or 3b, is the reason for moving to another location in the state to remain competitive in your industry or the state? Yes or No
If "Yes," please explain

# 4.) Applicant's Stockholders, Directors and Officers (or Partners):

Stockholders/Directors/Officers	Name	Address	Business Affiliation/Percentage Ownership
Nexamp Capital, LLC		101 Summer St, Fir 2, Boston MA 02110	100%

4a.) Has anyone on this list been convicted of a Felony? Yes or No
If "Yes," Explain:
4b.) Has anyone on this list filed Bankruptcy? Yes or No
If "Yes," Explain:

# 5.) Applicant's Counsel, Accountant and Bank References:

Applicant's Counsel	I (ULCAVA)	
Name: Joshua Sabo, esq. Couch White, LLP Firm: P.O. Box 22222 Address: Albany, New York 12201-2222 Phone: jsabo@couchwhite.com 518-320-3443 (direct)		
Applicant's Accountant		
Name:		
Firm:		
Address		
Phone:		
E-mail:		
Applicant's Bank Reference(s)		
Bank Name:		
Address:		
Phone:		
Website:		
Website:		

6.) Project Type [Chec	k All that Apply]:		
Manufacturing	Warehousing	R&D	Tax-Exempt
Wind Farm	Commercial	Retail	Medical
Residential	Recreation	Adaptive Reuse	Other
Small Alternative Energy	Distributive Service	Tourism Destination Facility	Industrial (includes pollution control)
*See CCIDA Eli	gible Project Policy f	or definitions <u>www.clir</u>	ntoncountyida.com
If "Other," please explain	in:		
For Retail and Tourism  6a.) Retail Proje	cts:		
<ul> <li>Will physi</li> <li>Is the comm</li> <li>Has to the listhed decer</li> </ul>	mers who visit the protect the project's facility be cally visit the facility. If "Yes" to either to be devoted to said to project a critical part nunity? Yes or he project been endors a local municipal governoise located in a face.	oposed facility? Yes  of used in providing set of the above, how much use?  t of a larger, planned de  No  rsed by the local munic erning body? Yes  former Empire Zone?  Distressed Census track or No	ipal chief executive officer or No Yes or No
<ul> <li>Will come</li> <li>Clint</li> <li>Coun</li> <li>Is the</li> <li>Cour</li> <li>Will</li> </ul>	e from outside the eco on, Essex, Franklin, F aties)? Yes or No If Yes, attach mark e project linked to oth aty? Yes or No	l/or service a significant nomic development replantion, St. Lawrence let analysis that demonster Tourism Facility Deay sales tax and occupa	strates said attraction

•	If not operated by a not-for-profit, will the project agree to pay real estate taxes and/or PILOT payments on said facility? Yes or No
7.) Scope of Proj	ect [Check All that Apply]:
Constru	action of a new building
Acquis	tion of land
Acquis	ition of existing building
Renova	tions to existing building
Constru	action of addition to existing building
Acquis	tion of machinery and/or equipment
Installa	tion of machinery and/or equipment
Other (s	specify)
*Note: All p	ease attach) rojects involving construction, expansion or modification of an existing site <u>must</u> fill out <b>Part</b> of this application. If SEQR has already been determined and approved by the municipality ned to Part III of this application.
all of the activition and tax map data	proposed project in detail. This description should include explanation of es/operations which will occur due to this project; the location (address) a of the site; the dimensions of new/modifications building(s) & type of o attach photo of the site, preliminary plans, sketches and/or floor plans on:
	the Town of Peru Planning Board in December 2021, is set to be located on the land of Robert and Cecile oute 22, Plattsburgh, New York, tax ID 2572-1.33. The applicant will be leasing $\pm$ 32 acres of this 73.3 acre
eploy ± 12,376 530w bif acking, secured with gro	construct, own and operate a 5MWac community solar array. The array is a single-axis tracker system will acial solar panels connected to the grid via a two central inverters. Panels will be mounted mounted to ATI und screws and/or piles. Site access will be via an impervious packed gravel access road, and the site will menter fence per town and state regulations.
	mation: 8a) September 2022

<ul> <li>(8b) Estimated Completion Date:</li> <li>(8c) Zoning Classification of the Project:</li> <li>(8d) Legal owner of the site or building:</li> <li>(8e) Most Recent use of the site and/or building</li> <li>8(f) Municipality Project is located in:</li> <li>8(g) School District Project is located in:</li> </ul>	8a) September 2022 8b) December 2023 8c) Rural 8d)Robert and Cecile Moffat g: 8e)N/A 8f) Town of Peru 8g) Peru Central
8(h) Is there an existing or proposed lease for (If yes, attach a copy)	this project? Yes or No
8(i) Is there a purchase option or other legal or If yes, attach copy or describe participation:	common control in the project? Yes or No
8(j) List the major equipment to be acquired as inventory of said equipment when one become	<del>-</del>
Solar Panels ATI - Single Axis Tracker Racking ( Central Inverters (2) Pad-Mounted Transformers	
8(k) Is there now or does the applicant believe proposed project? Yes or No	there will be significant opposition to the

# 9.) On-site Utilities and Providers:

Type:	Provider:
Water	N/A
Sewer	N/A
Electric	NYSEG
Gas	N/A
Broadband	N/A

#### Section C: Project Costs

# 10.) What is the estimated Total Project Cost? (Note: More in-depth information will be required in Part II of this application)

Category	Costs
Land	\$
Building	\$
Equipment	\$7,234,201.67
Other	\$4,468,993.67
Total:	\$11,703,195.34

If citing "Other," Explain: Labor \$1,642,442.04, Civil \$1,619,433.23, Professional Services \$461,146.40, Interconnection Costs: \$745,972.00

10(a) Both Clinton County and the CCIDA have policies that encourage the use of local labor. Is the applicant willing to consider the use of local labor? Yes or No

#### 11.) Financing Sources:

11(a) State the sources reasonably necessary for the financing of the Project site, the construction of the proposed buildings and the acquisition and installation of any machinery and equipment necessary or convenient in connection therewith, and including any utilities, access roads or appurtenant facilities, using the following categories:

Description of Sources	Amount
Private Sector Financing	\$_5,032,374.00
Public Sector	
Federal Programs	<sub>\$</sub> 2,848,878.07 *
State Programs	\$ 2,848,878.07 * \$ 1,574,227.20**
Local Programs	\$
Applicant Equity	<sub>\$</sub> _6,670,821.34
Other (specify, e.g., tax credits)	
	\$
	\$
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PROJECT FINANCING SOURCES	\$ 11,703,195.34

\*Investment Tax Credit makes up 26% of project cost, and should not be considered a government contribution due to the risk associated with Tax equity.

\*\*Amount is assumed as of 3/30/22 - project has not qualified for initial MW block

Funds are paid out over the first 5 years of the project through NYSERDA reimbursement( 3 years) and ITC Equity Deals (5 years). Funds must be available through debt and equity contributions up-front and the risk of monetization falls to equity shareholders

Yes No . If yes, indicate particulars.
The vast majority of professional service expenditures have taken place on the project, as have approximately \$186,493 in total interconnection upgrade expenses with NYSEG.
11(c) Amount of loan requested: \$; Maturity requested:years.
11(d) Has a commitment for financing been received as of this application date, and if so, from whom?
Yes ; No . Institution Name: TBD
11(e) Provide name and telephone number of the person we may contact.
Name: Phone:
11(f) The percentage of Project costs to be financed from public sector sources is estimated to equal the following:%
11(g) The total amount estimated to be borrowed to finance the Project is equal to the following: \$\frac{5,032,374}{}
*Note: Attach an outline of the financing package that is expected to be utilized for this project including

#### Section D: Employment Information

#### 12.) Employment Impact

dollar amounts and funding sources

12(a) Indicate the number of people presently employed at the Project site and the additional number that will be employed at the Project site at the end of the first and second years after the Project has been completed, using the tables below for (1) employees of the Applicant, (2) independent contractors, and (3) employees of independent contractors. (Do not include construction workers). Also indicate below the number of workers employed at the Project site representing newly created positions as opposed to positions relocated from other project sites of the applicant. Such information regarding relocated positions should also indicate whether such positions are relocated from other project sites financed by obligations previously issued by the Agency.

TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT Employees of Applicant					
	Professional or Managerial	Skilled	Semi-Skilled	Un-Skilled	Totals
Present Full Time					0
Present Part Time					0
Present Seasonal					0
First Year Full Time					0
First Year Part Time					0
First Year Seasonal					0
Second Year Full Time					0
Second Year Part Time					0
Second Year Seasonal					0

	TYPE OF Independ	EMPLOYN ent Contra			
	Professional or Managerial	Skilled	Semi-Skilled	Un-Skilled	Totals
Present Full Time					
Present Part Time					
Present Seasonal					

First Year Full Time			
First Year Part Time			
First Year Seasonal			
Second Year Full Time			
Second Year Part Time			
Second Year Seasonal			

TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT Employees of Independent Contractors					
	Professional or Managerial	Skilled	Semi-Skilled	Un-Skilled	Totals
Present Full Time					0
Present Part Time					0
Present Seasonal					0
First Year Full Time	4	14	16		34
First Year Part Time					0
First Year Seasonal					0
Second Year Full Time					0
Second Year Part Time					0
Second Year Seasonal					0

B. Indicate below (1) the estimated salary and fringe benefit averages or ranges and (2) the estimated number of employees residing in the North Country Economic Development Region for all the jobs at the Project site, both retained and created, listed in the tables described in subsection A above for each of the categories of positions listed in the chart below.

RELATED EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION				
	Professional or Managerial	Skilled	Semi-Skilled	Un-Skilled
Estimated Salary and Fringe Benefit Averages or Ranges	<\$60,000	<\$40,000	>\$40,000	
Estimated Number of Employees Residing in the North Country Economic Development Region <sup>1</sup>	2	4	6	

C. Please describe the projected timeframe for the creation of any new jobs with respect to the undertaking of the Project:

The project is not expected to have any long-term full-time employment associated with its construction. The project will have an equivalent of 34 FTE during construction, through a combination of sub-contractor employees and local Nexamp Construction management.

\* FTE: Any combination of (2) two or more part-time jobs that when combined together, constitute the equivalent of a job of at least 35 hours per week.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The North Country Economic Development Region consists of the following counties: Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Hamilton, Jefferson, Lewis, and St. Lawrence.

## Section E: Representations and Certification by Applicant

	(name of authorized representative of the Applicant submitting application)
deposes and says that he/she is	(Title) of
(hereinafter referred to as the	"Applicant"), the corporation/partnership/limited liability company named in this
Application; that he/she has rea	ad the foregoing Application and knows the content thereof, that the same is true to
his/her knowledge.	

Deponent further says that the reason this verification is made by the deponent and not by the Applicant is because the said Applicant is a legal entity - corporation/partnership/limited liability company - as opposed to an actual person. The grounds of the deponent's belief relative to all matters in said Application which are not upon his/her own personal knowledge are investigations which deponent has caused to be made concerning the subject matter of the Application as well as acquired by the deponent in the course of his/her duties, as an officer and from the books and papers of the Applicant.

On behalf of said Applicant, deponent acknowledges and agrees that the Applicant shall be and is responsible for all costs incurred by the County of Clinton Industrial Development Agency (hereinafter referred to as the "Agency") acting on behalf of the attached application whether or not the application, the project it describes, the attendant negotiations and financial assistance is carried to successful conclusion. If, for any reason whatsoever, the Applicant fails to conclude or consummate necessary negotiations or fails to act within a reasonable or specified period of time to take reasonable, proper, or requested action or withdraws, abandons, cancels, or neglects that application (or if in cases of bonds the Agency or the Applicant are unable to find buyers willing to purchase the total bond issue requested), then, and in that event, upon presentation of invoice, the Applicant shall pay to the Agency, its agents or assigns all actual costs involved in conduct of the application, up to that date and time, including fees of Agency counsel. A nonrefundable filing fee of \$1,500 is required with this application, of which, \$750 will be applied to the project closing costs (Make check payable to: County of Clinton IDA). Upon successful closing of the transaction and/or sale of the required bond issue, the Applicant shall pay to the Agency an administrative fee set by the Agency not to exceed an amount equal to .75% of the total benefited transaction. The cost incurred by the Agency and paid by the Applicant, including the Agency's counsel and the administrative fee, may be considered as a cost of the project and included as part of the resultant transaction. The Applicant should also be aware that the Applicant is responsible for all fees and legal costs incurred by the Agency for re-conveyance of titles at the end of the project. The Agency reserves the right to visit the project site on an annual basis during the benefit period.

Agency Financial Assistance Required for Project. The Project would not be undertaken but for the Financial Assistance provided by the Agency or, if the Project could be undertaken without the Financial Assistance provided by the Agency, then the Project should be undertaken by the Agency for the following reasons:

<u>Relocation or Abandonment</u>. The provisions of subdivision one of Section 862 of the General Municipal Law will not be violated if Financial Assistance is provided for the Project.

Compliance with Article 18-A of the New York General Municipal Law. The applicant confirms and hereby acknowledges that as of the date of this application, the applicant is in substantial complaince with all provisions of

Article 18-A of the New York General Munucipal Law, including, but not not limited to, the provision of Section 859-a and Section 862(1) thereof.

Compliance with Federal, State, and Local Laws. The applicant is in substantial compliance with applicable local, state, and federal tax, worker protection, and environmental laws, rules, and regulations.

False or Misleading Information. The applicant understands that the submission of any knowingly false or knowingly misleading information may lead to the immediate termination of any Financial Assistance and the reimbursement of an amount equal to all or part of any tax exemptions claimed by reason of Agency involvement in the Project.

Absence of Conflicts of Interest. The applicant acknowledges that the members, officers and employees of the Agency are listed on the Agency's website. No member, officer or employee of the Agency has an interest, whether direct or indirect, in any transaction contemplated by this Application, except as hereinafter described:

Additional Information. Additional information regarding the requirements noted in this Application and other requirements of the Agency is included the Agency's Policy Manual which can be accessed at http://www.clintoncountyida.com/.

I affirm under penalty of perjury that all statements made on this application are true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

> (CEO/President of Company) CHIEF DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

NOTARY

Sworn to before me this 5th day of April

BRIANNA RAINVILLE Notary Public nmonwealth of Massachusetts My Commission Expires February 3, 2028

#### Note to Applicant:

The 2013 New York State Budget, enacted on March 28, 2013, established new recordkeeping, reporting, and recapture requirements for industrial development agency projects that receive New York State ("NYS") sales tax exemptions, including projects granted assistance by County of Clinton Industrial Development Agency ("CCIDA").

These new NYS sales tax recording and reporting requirements for industrial development agency projects include the following requirements:

- 1. CCIDA must keep records of the amount of sales tax benefits provided to each project and make those records available to NYS upon request.
- CCIDA must report to NYS, within 30 days after providing financial assistance to a
  particular project, the amount of sales tax benefits expected to be provided to such
  project.
- 3. CCIDA must post on the internet and make available without charge copies of its resolutions and project agreements.

The legislation now requires that CCIDA to recapture NYS sales tax benefits where:

- 1. The project is not entitled to receive those benefits;
- 2. The exemptions exceed the amount authorized by CCIDA, or are claimed for unauthorized property or services; or
- 3. The project operator failed to use property or services in the manner required by its agreements with CCIDA.

#### What this means for CCIDA Projects:

- 1. Companies requesting a sales tax exemption from CCIDA must include in their application the value of the savings they anticipate receiving. Note that the new regulations require that CCIDA must recapture any benefit that exceeds the amount listed in a company's application. Accordingly, please ensure that you provide a realistic estimate of the sales tax exemptions which you are requesting.
- 2. Projects subject to recapture must remit payment within 20 days of a request from CCIDA.
- 3. All project agreements and resolutions will now be publicly available on CCIDA's website.
- 4. CCIDA's policy has always been to allow project operators to request certain information be redacted if the project can demonstrate that its release would result in substantial harm to the project's competitive position.

<sup>\*</sup>Note: Per the CCIDA UTEP, all Project receiving sales tax benefits are required to submit their ST-340s or risk losing said benefit.

# **PART II: COST BENEFIT ANALYSIS**

Please answer all questions either by filling in blanks or by attachment

## **SECTION F - FINANCING STRUCTURE:**

1. Tax-Exempt Financing Requested [Check all that Apply]			
X	Straight Lease Transaction		
	Tax-Exempt Bonds		
	Sales Tax Exemption Until completion date		
	Mortgage Tax Abatement		
	Real Property Tax Abatement/PILOT		
	Other – Explain:		
2. Based on the CCIDA's UTEP PILOT Scoring Criteria (see attachment C); indicate the methodology used by the applicant to determine the Type of real property tax abatement the project is eligible for (if applicable):  Type II Type III Deviation (check one)			
Type I Type II Type	III Deviation (check one)		
Type I Type II Type  Describe:	III Deviation (check one)		
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Describe:  SECTION G - PROJI  1. Name of Project Beneficiary ("Company")	ECT QUESTIONNAIRE:  Northway Solar, LLC		

A. Amount of Bonds Sought:	\$
B. Value of Sales Tax Exemption Sought	\$_320,218,79
C. Value of Real Property Tax Exemption Sought *20-year PILOT agreement at \$4000/MWac	\$ 433,817.63
D. Value of Mortgage Recording Tax Exemption Sought (Clinton County MRT = 1%; as of 9/1/13)	\$

# SECTION H - PROJECTED PROJECT INVESTMENT:

A.	Land-Related Costs	
1.	Land acquisition	\$ <u></u> 0
2.	Site preparation	\$ 1,060,434.43
3.	Landscaping	\$
4.	Utilities and infrastructure development	\$ <u>745,972.00</u>
5.	Access roads and parking development	\$ 279,499.40
6.	Other land-related costs (describe)	\$

B.	Building-Related Costs	
1.	Acquisition of existing structures	\$ 0
2.	Renovation of existing structures	\$ 0
3.	New construction costs	\$
4.	Electrical systems	\$
5.	Heating, ventilation and air conditioning	\$
6.	Plumbing	\$
7.	Other building-related costs (describe)	\$
C.	Machinery and Equipment Costs	
1.	Production and process equipment	\$ 7,234,201.67
2.	Packaging equipment	\$_0
3.	Warehousing equipment	\$_0
4.	Installation costs for various equipment	\$ 1,642,442.04
5.	Other equipment-related costs (describe)	\$ 0
D.	Furniture and Fixture Costs	
1.	Office furniture	\$ <u></u> 0
2.	Office equipment	\$ 0
3.	Computers	<b>\$</b> 0
4.	Other furniture-related costs (describe)	\$_0

E.	Working Capital Costs	
1.	Operation costs	\$
2.	Production costs	\$
3.	Raw materials	\$
4.	Debt service	\$
5.	Relocation costs	\$
6.	Skills training	\$
7.	Other working capital-related costs (describe)	\$
F.	Professional Service Costs	
1.	Architecture and engineering	\$ <u>461,146.40</u>
2.	Accounting/legal	\$
3.	Other service-related costs (describe)	\$
G.	Other Costs	
1.	Mortgage Amount not included in above costs	\$
2.		\$

$H_{\bullet}$	Summary of Expenditures	
1.	Total Land Related Costs	\$ 2,365,405.23
2.	Total Building Related Costs	\$
3.	Total Machinery and Equipment Costs	\$ 8,876,643.70
4.	Total Furniture and Fixture Costs	\$
5.	Total Working Capital Costs	\$
6.	Total Professional Service Costs	\$ 461,146,40
7.	Total Other Costs	\$
	TOTAL PROJECT COSTS	\$_11,703,195.34

# **SECTION I - PROJECTED CONSTRUCTION EMPLOYMENT IMPACT:**

1. Please provide estimates of total construction jobs at the Project:

Year	Construction Jobs	Construction Jobs		
	(Annual wages and benefits \$40,000 and under)	(Annual wages and benefits over \$40,000)		
Current Year				
Year 1	16	18		
Year 2				
Year 3				
Year 4				
Year 5				

Year	Total Annual Wage Be	es and Estimated Addi nefits NYS Incom
Current Year	\$	\$
Year 1	\$_1,642,442.04	\$ 65,697.68
Year 2	\$	\$
Year 3	\$	\$
Year 4	\$	\$
Year 5	\$	\$
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2. Please provide estimates of total new permanent jobs (FTE) to be created at the Project:

Year	New Jobs	New Jobs	
	(Annual wages and benefits \$40,000 and under)	(Annual wages and benefits over \$40,000)	
Current Year			
Year 1			
Year 2			
Year 3			
Year 4			
Year 5			

3. Please provide estimates of total annual wages and benefits of total permanent construction jobs at the Project:

Year	Total Annual Wages and Benefits	Estimated Additional  NYS Income Tax
Current Year	\$	\$
Year 1	\$	\$
Year 2	\$	\$
Year 3	\$	\$
Year 4	\$	\$
Year 5	\$	\$

4. Provide estimates for the Creation of New Job Skills relating to permanent jobs. List the projected new job skills for the new permanent jobs to be created as a result of the undertaking of the project by the applicant

Number of Positions Created	Wage Rate
	Number of Positions Created

<sup>\*</sup>Should you need additional space, please attach a separate sheet.

## **SECTION K - PROJECTED OPERATING IMPACT:**

Please provide estimates for the impact of Project of	operating purchases and sales:
Additional Purchases (1 <sup>st</sup> year following project completion)	\$
Additional Sales Tax Paid on	
Additional Purchases	\$
Estimated Additional Sales (1st full year	
following project completion	\$
Estimated Additional Sales Tax to be	
`	\$
	Additional Purchases (1st year following project completion)  Additional Sales Tax Paid on Additional Purchases  Estimated Additional Sales (1st full year following project completion

2. Please provide estimates for impacts of other economic benefits expected to be produced as a result of the Project not mentioned in this application:

This project will bring resiliency to the local Grid through additional distributed generation serving local distribution networks, to be consumed by local homes and businesses.

The value of Nexamp energy subscriptions, should the Town or its residents choose to utilize Nexamp energy services can upwards of \$3.2 million in savings on energy over 25 years.

Nexamp has also made an environmental contribution to the Town of Peru as a condition of its site plan approval totaling \$14,126.00 for improvements to green infrastructure within the Town.

#### **CBA QUESTIONNAIRE CERTIFICATION**

I certify that I have prepared the responses provided in this Questionnaire.

I affirm under penalty of perjury that all statements made in this Questionnaire are true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I understand that the foregoing information and attached documentation will be relied upon, and constitute inducement for, the Agency in providing financial assistance to the Project. I certify that I am familiar with the Project and am authorized by the Company to provide the foregoing information, and such information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I further agree that I will advise the Agency of any changes in such information, and will answer any further questions regarding the Project prior to the closing.

Name of Person Completing Project Questionnaire on behalf of the Company.

Name: CHER DEVALORMENT OFFICER

Phone Number: 978-688-2700

Signature: 2

#### **APPLICATION ATTACHMENT A:**

### Acknowledgements and Yearly Filings

As a condition to issuing financial assistance to the applicant the County of Clinton Industrial Development Agency is required by the New York State Comptroller's office to obtain the following supplementary information <u>yearly</u> for the duration of the transaction:

- 1. Outstanding balance at beginning and end of year and principal payments made during year.
- 2. The current interest rate for bonds (for adjustable rate bonds the rate at the end of the year is needed).
- 3. Current year tax exemptions for county, local (towns) and school taxes.
- 4. PILOT (Payment in lieu of taxes) payments made each year to county, local and school taxing authorities.
- 5. Documentation and affidavits regarding the use of local construction workers in the construction phase of the Project. See Use of Local Labor Policy and Attachment D of this application.
- 6. Once project is authorized, report the number of full-time, part-time and seasonal workers employed in terms of FTE (as defined in this application).
- 7. Submit NY-45 Form (with employee identification blacked-out) showing 4Q monthly data regarding salary and employment levels. Also include an average salary.

In addition to the above, in reporting the first year the CCIDA need:

- 1. An amortization schedule showing the planned principal reduction each year for the life of the issue.
- 2. The amount exempted for:
  - (a) sales tax
  - (b) mortgage recording tax
- 3. Each year of construction Sale tax and documents (ST-60, ST-340, ST-123, etc.).

This information is required by January 31st of each succeeding year and shall be submitted in writing to the County of Clinton Industrial Development Agency, 137 Margaret Street, Suite 209, Plattsburgh, NY 12901. (Fax: 518-565-4616)

	We have reviewed, understand and will comply wi	th the above, as required by the New York State
Comptro	oller's Office.	
Name:_	6	Title: CHIQ- DEVELOPMENT OFFICE
Date:_	4/5/27	

### APPLICATION ATTACHMENT B

## **County of Clinton IDA Fee Schedule:**

Adopted: 5/13/13 Revised 3/21/16 Revised 2/13/17

Type	Cost	Description
Application Fee	\$1500	The Agency will charge a nonrefundable administrative application fee for finance transactions equal to \$1500 upon submission of an application by a project. \$750 is a non-refundable administrative fee. The remaining \$750 will be applied to the project's closing costs.
Fee Issuances for Bonds, Refinancing or Straight Lease Transactions	.75 of 1%	The Agency will charge said fee on the total benefited project costs. Such fee shall be payable upon the successful conclusion of the sale of obligations (bonds) or upon the execution and delivery of the documents providing financial assistance (straight lease not involving bonds). Fees shall be applied towards administrative costs to the Agency and are non-refundable.
Modification/Amendment Transactions Fees	\$500	The Agency will charge a nonrefundable modification/amendment transaction fee per instance (post-closing) equal to \$500 upon the submission of a letter to the Agency explaining in detail the requested action to modify or amend existing documents previously executed by the Agency. Fees shall be applied towards administrative costs to the Agency and are non-refundable.
Reconveyance of a Straight Lease Fees Not Involving New Financial Assistance	\$500	The Agency will charge a nonrefundable reconveyance administrative fee for straight lease transactions. The project is responsible for paying all legal costs and/or other third party costs incurred by the Agency on behalf of the project. Fees shall be applied towards administrative costs to the Agency and are non-refundable
Special Meeting Fee	\$500	The Agency will charge a nonrefundable administrative fee for a special meeting of the IDA held at the project's request.
IDA Legal Fees	Varies	The project is responsible for paying all legal costs and/or other third party costs incurred by the Agency on behalf of the project. Fees shall be applied towards administrative costs to the Agency and are non-refundable.

<sup>\*</sup>The Agency Board reserves the right to determine and impose other administrative fees on Agency projects in consideration for financial assistance being granted by the Agency and/or the costs incurred by the Agency. The Agency may provide for a different application fee and/or a different administrative fee for a particular project by resolution duly adopted by the Agency Board.

## APPLICATION ATTACHMENT C

## **CCIDA UTEP PILOT Scoring Criteria**

Variable/ Threshold	Permanent Payroll Level in Terms of # of Jobs Created	% of Average County Wage	# of Potential Spin-off Jobs	Local Business Impact and/or Community Investment Reviewing appropriate level yearly	Educational Benefits  Reviewing appropriate levels/year	Value of Real Property	Totals:
Level 1 (1 point)	Less than 100 jobs within 5 years	At least 75% for new jobs	Less than 100 verifiable Spin off jobs	Need for local industry/services is low e.g. insurance, banking, trucking Belong to Chamber	Low level such as school visits/ school-to-work	\$500k-\$1.5x10 <sup>6</sup>	
Level 2 (2 pts)	100 - 300 jobs	At least 100% for new jobs	100-300 verifiable Spin off jobs	Use local industrial suppliers & services/raw materials/parts Or Reuse abandoned facility	Limited Support/ Learn to Earn Internships underwrite facilities or programs	\$1.5 - 5.0 x 10 <sup>6</sup>	
Level 3 (3 pts)	300+ jobs within 5 years	At least 150% for new jobs	300+ verifiable Spin off jobs	Demonstrate synergy with local services, suppliers and manufacturers Or Reclaim brownfield/adaptive re-use of facilities.	Major support to schools and colleges Scholarships (NMSQT); internships; sponsorships underwrite faculty \$10,000	\$5.0 x 10 <sup>6</sup> +	
Totals:	1	0	0	1	1	2	5

# **Scoring**

6 points or less - Category 1 benefits 7-11 points - Category 2 benefits 12 points or more - Category 3 benefits

## APPLICATION ATTACHMENT D

## CONSTRUCTION EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT

construction employment opportunities for r extension of financial assistance by the Ag "Project"), Northway Solar. LLC	of Clinton Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") to promote esidents of Clinton County, New York and in consideration of the gency for the project which is the subject of this application (the (the "Company") understands that it is the Agency's policy by New York State residents and agrees to provide the information
requested below as a way to provide local estimate of the number, type and duration of	construction opportunities. The Company also agrees to provide an construction jobs to be created through Agency assistance, whether mpany, its general contractor, or individual vendors.
	Company shall, if requested by the Agency, submit to the Agency a identified names and business addresses of the prime contractor, subaction of the Project.
Relevant Company Information:	General Contractor, if determined:

Relevant Company Information:  Company: Northway Solar, LLC  Company representative for Contract Bids and Awards: Paul Slazik, Director, Construction			General Contractor, if determined:			
			Contractor: Nexamp, Inc  Representative: Paul Slazik, Director, Construction			
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Boston, MA 02110			Boston, MA 02110			
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