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RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE ADIRONDACK PARK AGENCY WITH RESPECT TO THE EAGLE POINT PUBLIC CAMPGROUND UNIT MANAGEMENT PLAN

Proposed for Adoption by the Adirondack Park Agency November 9, 2018

WHEREAS, Section 816 of the Adirondack Park Agency Act (APA Act) directs the Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) to develop, in consultation with the Adirondack Park Agency (Agency), individual management plans for units of land classified in the Adirondack Park State Land Master Plan (APSLMP) and requires such management plans to conform to the guidelines and criteria of the APSLMP; and

WHEREAS, in addition to such guidelines and criteria, the APSLMP prescribes the contents of unit management plans and provides that the Agency will determine whether a proposed individual unit management plan (UMP) complies with such guidelines and criteria; and

WHEREAS, DEC has prepared a site-specific unit management plan dated October 2018 for the Eagle Point Public Campground in the Town of Chester, Warren County which contains specific proposals for the rehabilitation and upgrading of existing facilities at the campground; and

WHEREAS, the Adirondack Park Agency is an involved agency whose staff have been consulted in the preparation of the Eagle Point Public Campground UMP; and

WHEREAS, the management actions proposed within the Eagle Point Public Campground UMP are Type II Actions pursuant to 6 NYCRR Part 618.2; and

WHEREAS, DEC prepared a draft UMP for the Eagle Point Public Campground in August 2018 (Draft UMP), held a public meeting in Schroon Lake on September 12, 2018, and accepted public comments on the Draft UMP through September 30, 2018; and

WHEREAS, on September 13, 2018, DEC presented the Draft UMP to the Agency and the Agency established a public comment period on conformance of the Draft UMP with the guidelines and criteria of the APSLMP from September 13, 2018 through October 12, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, the Agency received one comment during the public comment period, in support of the Draft UMP; and

WHEREAS, DEC has prepared a Proposed Final UMP for the Eagle Point Public Campground, dated October 2018 (Proposed Final 2018 UMP); and

WHEREAS, the Proposed Final 2018 UMP proposes to: replace five existing comfort stations with three comfort stations, replace the shower building, close and combine campsites, repave roads and repair drainage structures, initiate an asbestos abatement plan for retaining walls, replace playground facilities, install plantings, replace fireplaces, install an interpretive historic kiosk, and upgrade facilities to improve accessibility; and

WHEREAS, on November 8, 2018 DEC staff presented the Proposed Final 2018 UMP to the Agency and Agency staff made a presentation recommending that the Proposed Final 2018 UMP conforms with the Intensive Use guidelines and criteria of the APSLMP; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has considered the foregoing recitals, the Proposed Final 2018 Amendment, Agency staff's October 31, 2018 Memorandum, DEC and Agency staff's November 8, 2018 presentations, public comment, and the deliberations of Agency Board Members and Designees at the Agency's November 8-9, 2018 meeting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that pursuant to Section 816 of the Adirondack Park Agency Act, the Agency finds the Proposed Final Eagle Point Public Campground Unit Management Plan, dated October 2018, conforms with the guidelines and criteria of the APSLMP; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Agency authorizes its Executive Director to advise the Commissioner of Environmental Conservation of the Agency's determination in this matter.

Ayes:		
Nays:		
Abstentions:		
Absent:		