Mexico Town Board Minutes of Public Hearing on Local Law 4 of 2022: Sawmill Regulations Held May 9, 2022 at McAuslan Hall 3245 Main St. Mexico Commencing at 7:00 P.M.

Present: Eric Behling, Supervisor

Larry Barber, Councilor Judy Greenway, Councilor Russell Partrick, Councilor Cindy Robert, Councilor

Graham Seiter, Town Attorney Nicole Wild, Town Clerk

Absent:

And 15 in the audience.

Supervisor Behling opened public hearing at 7:07 p.m. and read the public notice for Proposed Local Law 2 of 2022.

Concerns from the public were: regulations make it difficult to stay in business, industrial regulations for at-home businesses; road frontage requirement; footage off the road; decibel rating for sound; enforcement of the law; discrimination. Behling explained the impetus for the law as regulating all commercial sawmills. Behling explained the difference between agricultural and industrial distinctions. Weber explained that the tax rate for these businesses will not change.

Supervisor Behling closed the public hearing at 7:19 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicole Wild Town Clerk