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FOIL UNRE

July 2, 2013

Gregory Sutton New York State Department of Environmental Conservation 625 Broadway Albany, NY 12233

RE: In the Matter of the Foreclosure of Tax Liens

Property Address: 316 Willow Street, Lockport, Mew York 14094

Dear Sir:

Please take notice of entry of the enclosed order.

Very truly yours,

John J. Ottaviano Corporation Counsel

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Enclosure:

**ORDER** 

Index No. 150116

At a Special Term of the Supreme Court of The State of New York held in and for the County of Niagara at

On the 27th day of June 2013

PRESENT: Hon. Richard C. Kloch, Sr. Justice Presiding

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IN THE MATTER OF THE FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIENS PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 11, TITLE 3 OF THE REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW BY THE CITY OF LOCKPORT WAYNE F. JAGOW NIAGARA COUNTY CLERK

ORDER

Index No. 150116

The City of Lockport, New York having made a motion seeking temporary incidents of ownership of the above premises pursuant to the Environmental Conservation Law.

UPON reading and filing the Notice of motion dated May 2, 2013 together with the affirmation of John J. Ottaviano, Esq. Dated May 2, 2013 in support of said motion and upon due proof of service of the motion papers upon all interested parties and there being no papers filed in opposition thereto and upon hearing John J. Ottaviano attorney for the City of Lockport in support of said motion on the above date and there being no opposition thereto;

Now UPON MOTION OF John J. Ottaviano Attorney for the City of Lockport, New York it is:

ORDERED that the motion of the City of Lockport to obtain Temporary Incidents of Ownership pursuant to ECL 56-0508 of the parcel located at 316 Willow Street in the City of Lockport New York is hereby granted in order to perform an environmental restoration investigation project upon the Property; and it is further

ORDERED that the City of Lockport, New York State Department of Environmental Conservation agency and/or their consultants, agents, employees and contractors are granted authority to enter the Property for the purpose of performing an environmental investigation and remediation pursuant to ECL 56-0508; and it is further

ORDERED, that the fee owner of the property at 316 Willow Street in the City of Lockport and Patrick McFall, his agents, employees and representatives as well as any party holding any security interest in the property shall refrain from interfering or hindering in any way with the City of Lockport and the DEC's environmental investigation, testing, clean up and restoration on the property; and it is further

ORDERED that the foreclosure proceeding against the property shall be stayed until the environmental restoration investigation has been completed, the clean up completed and the final investigation report has been filed with the Court or such other time as the Court determines upon appropriate application; and it is further

ORDERED that this order does not affect any other parcels in the City of Lockport's foreclosure petitions and the foreclosure proceeding against the other parcels shall remain uninterrupted; and it is further

ORDERED, that within thirty days of completion of the environmental investigation, testing, clean up and restoration receipt by the City of Lockport of the final report of the investigation and clean up of the property, the City of Lockport shall file the final report with the Court on notice to all interested parties; and it is further

ORDERED that upon the City of Lockport filing the final investigation report with the Court the stay of the foreclosure proceeding on the property shall be lifted; and it is further

ORDERED that the City of Lockport's temporary incidents of ownership shall continue pending further order of this Court

S RICHARD C. KLOCH SR. AJSC

Justice of the Supreme Court

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State of New York Supreme Court County of Niagara

IN THE MATTER OF THE FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIENS PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 11, TITLE 3 OF THE REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW BY THE CITY OF LOCKPORT

Index No. 15

Year 2013

## CITY OF LOCKPORT CORPORATION COUNSEL

Attorney for

City of Lockport

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ORDER

Office, Post Office Address and Telephone ONE LOCKS PLAZA LOCKPORT, NEW YORK 14094 (716) 439-6665

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Attorney for

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Attorney(s) for

CITY OF LOCKPORT CORPORATION COUNSEL

STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF

SS.:

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY MAIL

being duly sworn, deposes and says; deponent is not a party to the action.

is over 18 years of age and resides at

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in this action, at

the address, designated by said attorney(s) for that purpose by depositing a

true copy of same enclosed in a post-paid properly addressed wrapper, in—a post office—official depository under the exclusive care and custody of the United States Postal Service within the State of New York.

Sworn to before me, this

day of

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	STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF			SS.:					
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Signature of Server