

PLAINFIELD TOWN COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-36

**RESOLUTION PRELIMINARILY DESIGNATING ECONOMIC
REVITALIZATION AREA AND QUALIFYING CERTAIN PERSONAL PROPERTY
FOR TAX ABATEMENT – MD LOGISTICS, INC.**

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Plainfield, Indiana (the “Town Council” and “Town,” respectively) adopted a Tax Abatement Procedures Ordinance on March 24, 1997 (the “Ordinance”); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Ordinance, MD Logistics, Inc. (the “Applicant”) has filed with the Town Council on August 31, 2015, a Petition for Personal Property Tax Abatement Consideration (the “Application”), pursuant to I.C. 6-1.1-12.1-1-1 et. seq.; and

WHEREAS, the Application has been reviewed by the staff, the Tax Abatement Committee and the Town Council, and the Town has received from the Applicant the requisite filing fee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PLAINFIELD, INDIANA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. Declaration of Economic Revitalization Area. The Town Council declares that the location described in Exhibit A, attached to and made part of this resolution (the “Location”), is, and shall hereinafter be, preliminarily deemed an “economic revitalization area” as that phrase is used and intended under the provisions of Indiana Code Sections 6-1.1-12.1-1 et. seq.

2. Personal Property. The Town Council declares that any and all personal property purchased and installed at the Location after the date of the adoption of this resolution by the Town Council, including the personal property described in Exhibit B, shall be eligible for personal property tax abatement pursuant to the provisions of I.C. 6-1.1-12.1-1 et. seq.

3. Compliance with Applicable Resolution and Statues. The Town Council declares that the Application complies in all respects with the Ordinance and all governing Indiana statutes, and that the Application, in all respects, is preliminarily granted and approved.

4. Findings of Fact. The Town Council states that the Location is now undesirable for, or impossible of, normal development and occupancy because of a lack of development, cessation of growth, deterioration of improvements or character of occupancy, age, obsolescence, substandard buildings or other factors that have impaired value or prevent normal development of property. The Town Council hereby finds the following:

- (a) The estimate of the value of the Applicant’s Project as stated in the Application is reasonable;

- (b) The employment numbers stated in the Application as a result of the Project, if any, are reasonably expected;
- (c) The salaries related to such employment, if any, are reasonable; and
- (d) The benefits to be received from the Applicant's Project are sufficient to justify the deduction.

6. Abatement Duration. Based upon the provisions of the Ordinance, the Town Council declares that a seven (7) year abatement duration meets the requirements of the Ordinance.

7. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage, subject to the notice and hearing provisions of I.C. 6-1.1-2.1-2.5. The hearing contemplated by said statute shall be held at the time and place of the meeting of the Town Council on September 28, 2015, to wit: Plainfield Town Hall, 206 W. Main Street, Plainfield, Indiana, at 7 p.m. local time. At such meeting the Town Council shall take final action determining whether the qualifications for an economic revitalization area and the personal property abatement have been met, and shall confirm, modify and confirm, or rescind this resolution. Such determination and final action by the Council shall be binding upon all affected parties; subject to the appeal procedures contemplated by I.C. 6-1.1-12.1-1 et. seq.

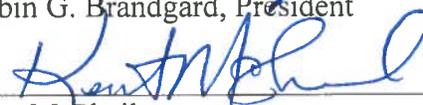
8. Filing With Hendricks County Authorities. Upon the adoption of this resolution, the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town shall cause a certified copy of this resolution, including the description of the previously described location and attached map, to be filed with the Hendricks County Assessor and/or such other Hendricks County Government officials as shall be necessary to make the Applicant eligible to file for personal property tax abatement as to the personal property contemplated by the Application.

Adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Plainfield, Indiana this 28th day of September, 2015.

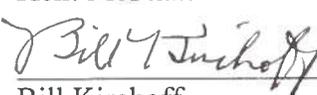
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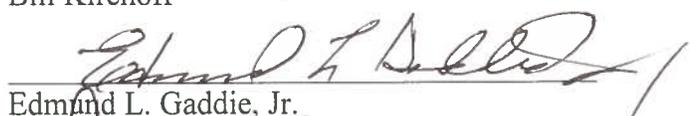
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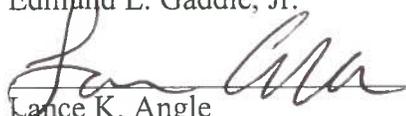
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Bill Kirchoff



Edmund L. Gaddie, Jr.



Lance K. Angle

Attested by:



Wesley R. Bennett, Clerk-Treasurer of
the Town of Plainfield, Indiana

EXHIBIT A [description of location deemed an economic revitalization area]

Exhibit A-1: 1301 Perry Road Site

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Lot 5 of the Incremental Plat for Airwest Business Park, Section One and Two, a subdivision of the Northwest Quarter of Section 6, Township 14 North, Range 2 East of the Second Principal Meridian in Guilford Township, Hendricks County, Indiana, the plat of which was recorded in Plat Cabinet 3, page 2, slide 38, and page 1, slide 39, the plat for Airwest Business Park, Section One having been recorded in Plat Cabinet 2, pages 1 and 2, slide 104, pages 1 and 2, slide 105 and pages 1 and 2, slide 106, the Final Plat - Amendment for Airwest Business Park, Section One having been recorded in Plat Cabinet 2, pages 1 and 2, slide 149, pages 1 and 2, slide 150, and page 1, slide 151, and the plat for Airwest Business Park, Section Two having been recorded in Plat Cabinet 3, page 2, slide 37 and page 1, slide 38, all in the office of the Recorder of Hendricks County, Indiana.

Exhibit B-1: 1301 Perry Road Site Map





**STATEMENT OF BENEFITS
PERSONAL PROPERTY**

State Form 51764 (R3 / 12-13)
Prescribed by the Department of Local Government Finance

FORM SB-1 / PP

PRIVACY NOTICE

Any information concerning the cost of the property and specific salaries paid to individual employees by the property owner is confidential per IC 6-1.1-12.1-5.1.

INSTRUCTIONS

- This statement must be submitted to the body designating the Economic Revitalization Area prior to the public hearing if the designating body requires information from the applicant in making its decision about whether to designate an Economic Revitalization Area. Otherwise this statement must be submitted to the designating body **BEFORE** a person installs the new manufacturing equipment and/or research and development equipment, and/or logistical distribution equipment and/or information technology equipment for which the person wishes to claim a deduction.
- The statement of benefits form must be submitted to the designating body and the area designated an economic revitalization area before the installation of qualifying abatable equipment for which the person desires to claim a deduction.
- To obtain a deduction, a person must file a certified deduction schedule with the person's personal property return on a certified deduction schedule (Form 103-ERA) with the township assessor of the township where the property is situated or with the county assessor if there is no township assessor for the township. The 103-ERA must be filed between March 1 and May 15 of the assessment year in which new manufacturing equipment and/or research and development equipment and/or logistical distribution equipment and/or information technology equipment is installed and fully functional, unless a filing extension has been obtained. A person who obtains a filing extension must file the form between March 1 and the extended due date of that year.
- Property owners whose Statement of Benefits was approved, must submit Form CF-1/PP annually to show compliance with the Statement of Benefits. (IC 6-1.1-12.1-5.6)
- For a Form SB-1/PP that is approved after June 30, 2013, the designating body is required to establish an abatement schedule for each deduction allowed. For a Form SB-1/PP that is approved prior to July 1, 2013, the abatement schedule approved by the designating body remains in effect. (IC 6-1.1-12.1-17)

SECTION 1 TAXPAYER INFORMATION								
Name of taxpayer MD Logistics, Inc.			Name of contact person Mark Sell					
Address of taxpayer (number and street, city, state, and ZIP code) 1301 Perry Road, Plainfield, IN 46168				Telephone number (317) 707-3222				
SECTION 2 LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED PROJECT								
Name of designating body Town Council of the Town of Plainfield				Resolution number (s)				
Location of property 2150 Stanley Road, Plainfield, IN		County Hendricks		DLGF taxing district number 32-012				
Description of manufacturing equipment and/or research and development equipment and/or logistical distribution equipment and/or information technology equipment. (Use additional sheets if necessary.) Company will install new racking, conveyor, and material handling equipment with 7 year tax lives to expand distribution operations.			ESTIMATED					
			START DATE		COMPLETION DATE			
			Manufacturing Equipment					
			R & D Equipment					
			Logist Dist Equipment		09/01/2015	10/01/2016		
IT Equipment								
SECTION 3 ESTIMATE OF EMPLOYEES AND SALARIES AS RESULT OF PROPOSED PROJECT								
Current number 163	Salaries \$6,550,253	Number retained 163	Salaries \$6,550,253	Number additional 25	Salaries \$780,000			
SECTION 4 ESTIMATED TOTAL COST AND VALUE OF PROPOSED PROJECT								
NOTE: Pursuant to IC 6-1.1-12.1-5.1 (d) (2) the COST of the property is confidential.	MANUFACTURING EQUIPMENT		R & D EQUIPMENT		LOGIST DIST EQUIPMENT		IT EQUIPMENT	
	COST	ASSESSED VALUE	COST	ASSESSED VALUE	COST	ASSESSED VALUE	COST	ASSESSED VALUE
	Current values							
	Plus estimated values of proposed project				1,000,000			
	Less values of any property being replaced							
Net estimated values upon completion of project				1,000,000				
SECTION 5 WASTE CONVERTED AND OTHER BENEFITS PROMISED BY THE TAXPAYER								
Estimated solid waste converted (pounds) _____			Estimated hazardous waste converted (pounds) _____					
Other benefits:								
SECTION 6 TAXPAYER CERTIFICATION								
I hereby certify that the representations in this statement are true.								
Signature of authorized representative <i>Mark Sell</i>				Date signed (month, day, year) 9-8-15				
Printed name of authorized representative Mark Sell			Title President & CEO					

FOR USE OF THE DESIGNATING BODY

We have reviewed our prior actions relating to the designation of this economic revitalization area and find that the applicant meets the general standards adopted in the resolution previously approved by this body. Said resolution, passed under IC 6-1.1-12.1-2.5, provides for the following limitations as authorized under IC 6-1.1-12.1-2.

A. The designated area has been limited to a period of time not to exceed _____ calendar years * (see below). The date this designation expires is _____.

B. The type of deduction that is allowed in the designated area is limited to:

- | | | |
|--|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Installation of new manufacturing equipment; | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Installation of new research and development equipment; | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Installation of new logistical distribution equipment. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 4. Installation of new information technology equipment; | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

C. The amount of deduction applicable to new manufacturing equipment is limited to \$ _____ cost with an assessed value of \$ _____.

D. The amount of deduction applicable to new research and development equipment is limited to \$ _____ cost with an assessed value of \$ _____.

E. The amount of deduction applicable to new logistical distribution equipment is limited to \$ _____ cost with an assessed value of \$ _____.

F. The amount of deduction applicable to new information technology equipment is limited to \$ _____ cost with an assessed value of \$ _____.

G. Other limitations or conditions (specify) _____

H. The deduction for new manufacturing equipment and/or new research and development equipment and/or new logistical distribution equipment and/or new information technology equipment installed and first claimed eligible for deduction is allowed for:

- | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Year 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> Year 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> Year 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> Year 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> Year 5 | (see below *) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Year 6 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Year 7 | <input type="checkbox"/> Year 8 | <input type="checkbox"/> Year 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> Year 10 | |

I. For a Statement of Benefits approved after June 30, 2013, did this designating body adopt an abatement schedule per IC 6-1.1-12.1-17? Yes No
 If yes, attach a copy of the abatement schedule to this form.
 If no, the designating body is required to establish an abatement schedule before the deduction can be determined.

Also we have reviewed the information contained in the statement of benefits and find that the estimates and expectations are reasonable and have determined that the totality of benefits is sufficient to justify the deduction described above.

Approved by: (signature and title of authorized member of designating body) <i>Robin G. Brandgard, PRESIDENT</i>	Telephone number (317) 839-2561	Date signed (month, day, year) 9/3/2015
Printed name of authorized member of designating body ROBIN G. BRANDGARD	Name of designating body TOWN COUNCIL, TOWN OF PLAINFIELD	
Attested by: (signature and title of attester) <i>Anthony A. Perrone, INTERIM TOWN MANAGER</i>	Printed name of attester ANTHONY A. PERRONE	
* If the designating body limits the time period during which an area is an economic revitalization area, that limitation does not limit the length of time a taxpayer is entitled to receive a deduction to a number of years that is less than the number of years designated under IC 6-1.1-12.1-17.		

IC 6-1.1-12.1-17

Abatement schedules

Sec. 17. (a) A designating body may provide to a business that is established in or relocated to a revitalization area and that receives a deduction under section 4 or 4.5 of this chapter an abatement schedule based on the following factors:

- (1) The total amount of the taxpayer's investment in real and personal property.
- (2) The number of new full-time equivalent jobs created.
- (3) The average wage of the new employees compared to the state minimum wage.
- (4) The infrastructure requirements for the taxpayer's investment.

(b) This subsection applies to a statement of benefits approved after June 30, 2013. A designating body shall establish an abatement schedule for each deduction allowed under this chapter. An abatement schedule must specify the percentage amount of the deduction for each year of the deduction. An abatement schedule may not exceed ten (10) years.

(c) An abatement schedule approved for a particular taxpayer before July 1, 2013, remains in effect until the abatement schedule expires under the terms of the resolution approving the taxpayer's statement of benefits.