## **Resolution #010-2019**

Deputy Mayor Collopy introduced the following resolution, which was seconded by Trustee Herzog, reading as follows:

WHEREAS the Hudson River is the lifeblood of the Hudson Valley; and

WHEREAS a pollution-free river is essential for the health and well-being of Hudson Valley residents; and

WHEREAS a polluted river impacts Hudson Valley's perception as a tourism location; and

WHEREAS a polluted river reduces the willingness of residents and tourists to enjoy the river by swimming, fishing, boating and water skiing; and

WHEREAS PCBs are known to negatively affect both fish & waterfowl in the river; and

WHEREAS PCB-contaminated water requires extra filtration to become potable for local communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Village of Millbrook Board of Trustees hereby stands in support of Dutchess County's effort to vacate the EPA's Certificate of Completion to GE for PCB cleanup of the Hudson River.

The foregoing resolution was duly put to a vote which resulted as follows:

Mayor Brown AYE

Deputy Mayor Collopy AYE

Trustee Herzog AYE

Trustee Rochfort ABSENT

Trustee McGrane AYE

Dated Millbrook, New York September 24, 2019

> SARAH J. WITT, Village Clerk Village of Millbrook