

RESOLUTION 2018-46

COMMON COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF LEBANON, INDIANA

A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF LEBANON, INDIANA, REGARDING CERTAIN
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX ABATEMENT DEDUCTIONS
FOR STEEL GREEN MANUFACTURING, LLC

WHEREAS, pursuant to Indiana Code § 6-1.1-12.1-1, *et. seq.* (the “Act”), the City of Lebanon, Indiana (the “City”) by and through its Common Council acting in its capacity as the fiscal body of the City and acting as the designating body identified in the Act (the “Council”) has the right and opportunity to abate the payment of real property taxes for real estate located within an area declared by the Council to be an Economic Revitalization Area and to also abate the payment of personal property taxes within an Economic Revitalization Area (as defined in the Act); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Act, the Council may find that a particular area within the jurisdiction of the City is an Economic Revitalization Area and may by adoption of a resolution declare such area to be an Economic Revitalization Area which resolution must be confirmed, modified, or rescinded; and

WHEREAS, the Council adopted its Resolution 2018-31 (the “Declaratory Resolution”) on September 10, 2018 pursuant to the Act declaring the area whose boundaries are located within the corporate boundaries of the City more particularly described in **Exhibit A** (the “Area”) attached hereto and made a part hereof which is also shown on the map attached hereto as **Exhibit B** and made a part hereof as an Economic Revitalization Area in which property owners making application to the City pursuant to the Act subsequently approved by this Council pursuant to the Act may receive real property tax abatement and/or personal property tax abatement pursuant to the applicable procedures of the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Council, after following all applicable procedures of the Act, took final action adopting Resolution 2018-33 (the “Confirmatory Resolution”) on September 24, 2018 confirming the Declaratory Resolution, thereby establishing an Economic Revitalization Area; and

WHEREAS, Steel Green Manufacturing, LLC (the “Applicant”) has filed with this Council a Statement of Benefits, Personal Property (Form SB-1/PP) (“Form SB-1”) attached hereto as **Exhibit C**, which describes the proposed project (the “Project”) to be installed by the Applicant, in order to receive a personal property tax abatement deduction for the Project; and

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WHEREAS, the Project includes the purchase and installation of new manufacturing equipment; and

WHEREAS, this Council has reviewed the Form SB-1; and

WHEREAS, the improvement of the Area will be of public utility and will be to the benefit and welfare of the citizens and taxpayers of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Lebanon, Indiana as follows:

Section 1. The proposed Project will be located in the Area which has been confirmed as an economic revitalization area pursuant to the Act.

Section 2. The Form SB-1 submitted by the Applicant is approved.

Section 3. Based upon the information in the Form SB-1, this Council makes the following findings:

- (1) The estimate of Five Hundred Sixty Three Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Dollars and 00/100 (\$563,650.00) as the cost of the new manufacturing equipment to be installed is reasonable for projects of that nature.
- (2) The estimate of hiring Fifty Eight (58) new individuals who will be employed can be reasonable expected to result from the proposed Project.
- (3) The estimate of Two Million Three Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars and 00/100 (\$2,320,000.00) for the aggregate annual salaries of those individuals who will be employed can be reasonably expected to result from the proposed Project.
- (4) The other benefits about which information has been presented to this Council are benefits that can be reasonably expected to result from the proposed Project.
- (5) The totality of benefits is sufficient to justify the granting of personal property tax abatement to the Applicant through the deduction provided by the Act.

Section 4. Personal property tax deductions for the Project are hereby approved. The period for personal property tax deductions under the Act for the Project shall be four (4) years from the date each item of personal property is first assessed, utilizing the following schedule:

Year 1: 50%

Year 2: 50%

Year 3: 25%

Year 4: 25%

Section 5. Pursuant to the Act, the Council shall cause to be filed a certified copy of this Resolution with the Boone County Auditor.

Section 6. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

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ALL OF WHICH IS ADOPTED this 13th day of November, 2018 by the Lebanon Common Council of the City of Lebanon, Indiana.

Voting For

Voting Against

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Keith Campbell

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John Copeland

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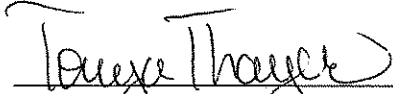
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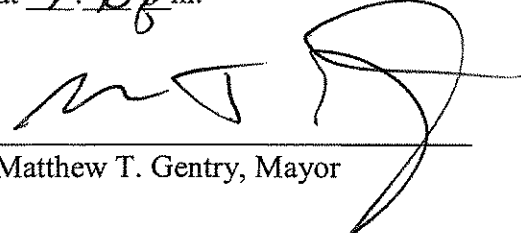
Cindy Thayer for Tonya Thayer
Tonya Thayer, Clerk-Treasurer

I hereby certify that Resolution 2018-46 was delivered to the Mayor of Lebanon on the 13 day of NOVEMBER, 2018, at 7:43 p.m.



Tonya Thayer, Clerk-Treasurer

I hereby APPROVE RESOLUTION 2018-____
this 26 day of November, 2018,
at 3:30 p.m.

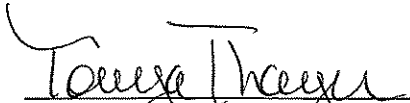


Matthew T. Gentry, Mayor

I hereby VETO RESOLUTION 2018-____
this ____ day of _____, 2018,
at ____:____ m.

Matthew T. Gentry, Mayor

ATTEST:



Tonya Thayer, Clerk-Treasurer

This document prepared by:
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EXHIBIT A

Legal Description of Area

LOT THREE (3) IN QUANTUM PARK, A COMMERCIAL SUBDIVISION LOCATED ALONG STATE ROAD 39 SOUTH IN THE CITY OF LEBANON, INDIANA, AS PER THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF BOONE COUNTY, INDIANA, IN PLAT BOOK 11 AT PAGE 25 ON JANUARY 28, 2000 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 0000964, PARCEL NUMBER 015-04040-03.

EXHIBIT B

Area is generally located along SR 39

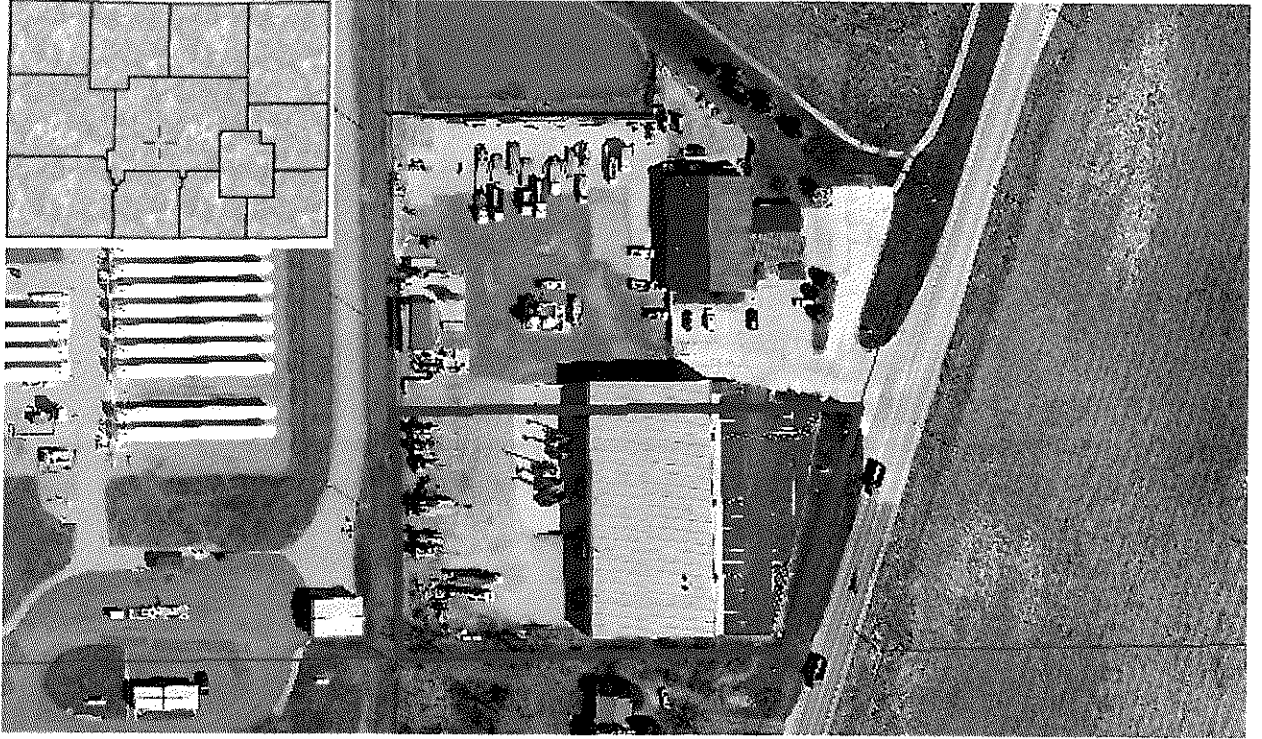


EXHIBIT C

Form SB-1/PP



**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

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. 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 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.
4. 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)
5. 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 Steel Green Manufacturing, LLC		Name of contact person George Cannon									
Address of taxpayer (number and street, city, state, and ZIP code) 920 South State Rd. 39 Lebanon, IN 46052		Telephone number (317) 796-1064									
SECTION 2		LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED PROJECT									
Name of designating body Lebanon City Council		Resolution number (s)									
Location of property 920 South State Rd. 39 Lebanon, IN 46052		County Boone	DLGF taxing district number 02 - Lebanon								
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.) See attached:		ESTIMATED									
			START DATE	COMPLETION DATE							
		Manufacturing Equipment	11/14/2018	11/01/2020							
		R & D Equipment									
		Logist Dist Equipment									
		IT Equipment									
SECTION 3		ESTIMATE OF EMPLOYEES AND SALARIES AS RESULT OF PROPOSED PROJECT									
Current number 0	Salaries 0	Number retained 0	Salaries 0	Number additional 58	Salaries 2,320,000						
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		563,650							
		Less values of any property being replaced									
Net estimated values upon completion of project											
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>George X. Cannon</i>						Date signed (month, day, year) 11/13/18					
Printed name of authorized representative GEORGE X. CANNON						Title MGR OF LLC					

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; Yes No
 - 2. Installation of new research and development equipment; Yes No
 - 3. Installation of new logistical distribution equipment; Yes No
 - 4. Installation of new information technology equipment; Yes 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:

- Year 1
- Year 2
- Year 3
- Year 4
- Year 5 (see below *)
- Year 6
- Year 7
- Year 8
- Year 9
- 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) Printed name of authorized member of designating body Matthew J. Gentry	Telephone number (765) 482-1201	Date signed (month, day, year) 11/27/2018
Attested by: (signature and title of attester) Printed name of attester Tonya Thayer	Name of designating body Common Council	

* 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.

Steel Green Manufacturing SB-1/PP

ITEM	PRICE	YEAR
Molds	\$49,500.00	2018
Hand Welder	\$6,000.00	2018
Belt Sander	\$1,450.00	2018
Air Compressor	\$300.00	2018
Forklift	\$25,500.00	2018
Parts Cabinets	\$7,000.00	2018
Bolt Bin	\$500.00	2018
Hand Tools	\$1,000.00	2018
Pallet Jack	\$400.00	2018
Ford Truck	\$60,000.00	2018
16' Trailer	\$6,500.00	2018
Computers/IT	\$12,500.00	2018
Chop Saw	\$100.00	2018
Office Furniture	\$2,000.00	2018
Total	\$172,750.00	2018

ITEM	PRICE	YEAR
Fume Collector	\$10,000.00	2019
Drill Press	\$500.00	2019
Pressure Washer	\$5,500.00	2019
Overhead Fan	\$5,400.00	2019
Overhead Cranes	\$10,000.00	2019
Hand Welder	\$6,000.00	2019
Racking	\$7,000.00	2019
Robot Welder	\$163,000.00	2019
Total	\$207,400.00	2019

Press Brake	\$250,000.00	2020
Total	\$250,000.00	2020

2018-2020 Total	\$630,150.00
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