NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
OFFICE OF RIGHT OF WAY
PERMIT FOR USE OF STATE-OWNED PROPERTY

P.I.N.: 1054.00.211

Property Location: LOT #5 - THE NORTH SIDE OF HOOSICK STREET BETWEEN N 1ST STREET AND 5TH AVENUE

Project: INTERSTATE ROUTE 540-2-1 HUDSON RIVER TO HOOSICK STREET ARTERIAL

Map No.(s): 116, 227 Parcel No.(s): 119, 231

County: Rensselaer Town/City/Village: City of Troy

THIS PERMIT, made this ______ day of __________, 20____ between

hereinafter referred to as "Permittee", and the COMMISSIONER OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, hereinafter referred to as "the State",

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS the State is the owner of the above identified property, hereinafter referred to as "property" or "premises"; and

WHEREAS the Permittee wishes to use and occupy said property;

NOW, THEREFORE, the State hereby grants this permit to the Permittee, subject to the following covenants and conditions:

1. Property description and use: **THE SPECIFIC USE OF RIGHT-OF-WAY MUST BE APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT**
   As depicted on the sketch attached hereto and made a part hereof. The property covered by this permit shall be used only for above described use and for no other purpose whatsoever.

2. The fee to be charged shall be: ______ per ______ YEAR ______ beginning ________.

3. Payment of fee is due on the first of the month unless otherwise stated. Fee must be paid by check, bank cashier's check or money order payable to "Department of Transportation" and mailed or delivered to:
   
   New York State Department of Transportation
   Revenue Unit, POD 5-2
   50 Wolf Road
   Albany, New York 12232

4. The Permittee understands and agrees that if the full amount of the fee as stated herein is not paid within thirty days from the date billed as indicated on the billing invoice, interest penalties and collection fees will be imposed under the provisions of Section 18 of State Finance Law.

5. The Permittee understands and agrees that the fee charged by the State may periodically be updated to reflect fair market value and the Permittee will enter into a new permit for the new fee if the Permittee wishes to remain in occupancy. Failure to execute a new permit will require Permittee to immediately vacate the premises.
6. The Permittee acknowledges the State's right to collect a security deposit. This sum will be retained as security to ensure faithful performance of the permit and compliance with all terms by the Permittee. The State hereby acknowledges receipt of check number _______ in the amount of $6,600.00 received on __________ by ___________________________________________ (Dept. Rep.'s Signature)

7. This permit supersedes the permit number N/A issued to N/A in the amount of N/A per N/A approved by the Director, Office of Right of Way on N/A.

8. Permittee, at the Permittee's expense and for the term of the permit, shall furnish and show evidence of General Liability Insurance coverage issued by an insurance carrier licensed to do business in the State of New York for the protection of the State of New York and Permittee against any claims, suits, demands or judgments by reason of bodily injury, including death, and for any claims resulting in property damage occurring on or in proximity to the permit area.

Such General Liability Insurance shall be in the amount no less than $200,000 (combined property damage and/or bodily injury, including death) single limit per occurrence, and shall name the People of the State of New York as an additional insured.

The Permittee will furnish the State with a certificate of insurance, with a (30) thirty day(s) prior written notice of any cancellation or major change in the policy conditions. The permit shall be voided if insurance is cancelled, modified or lapses.

Approval of this permit shall be contingent upon receipt, by the State, of a copy of a properly executed insurance certificate.

9. Permittee is responsible for any repairs, improvements or maintenance work of any kind on the property at Permittee's expense. The State may, at any time, periodically inspect the premises to determine whether same is in good repair and maintenance, structurally sound, and that no unsafe, hazardous, unsanitary, or defective conditions exist.

10. Permittee hereby agrees to admit State representatives and prospective purchasers or permittees to examine these premises during reasonable business hours.

11. Permittee shall not place or store, or allow others to place or store, any flammable, explosive, hazardous, toxic or corrosive materials, debris of any description, garbage or any materials commonly referred to as "junk" within the permit area, except fuel kept in the fuel tanks of legally parked vehicles allowed under the terms of this permit. Failure to comply with this provision may result in a ten (10) days written notice of cancellation of the permit in accordance with Provision 16 of the permit. The permittee is responsible for the removal of these materials and/or all expenses incurred in their removal.

12. All arrangements of services for utilities, removal of garbage, rubbish, litter, snow and ice will be made by the Permittee at the Permittee's expense, unless hereafter specified. The State shall have no responsibility to provide any services not specifically set forth in writing herein. Permittee shall comply with all local and State building standards/codes in the installation or repair of any utilities including but not limited to electricity and plumbing. Permittee is responsible for keeping and maintaining the premises in a safe and clean condition, for the regular and prompt removal of garbage, rubbish, litter, snow and ice. Permittee shall be responsible for preventing damages to the plumbing system and premises caused by lack of heat or water damage from leaks.

13. Permittee is responsible to maintain the occupancy in compliance with any and all applicable local, State, and Federal laws, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations affecting the use of the property. Permittee shall not conduct or allow any use or activity on the premises inconsistent with law and shall not conduct or allow any use or activity on the premises which may require a permit or other approval by a government agency without having lawfully obtained such permit or approval.

14. The parties acknowledge that this instrument is not a lease but is merely a permit to occupy and use, and therefore a landlord-tenant relationship is not hereby created; and further, that since this is not a lease, Section 5-321 of the General Obligations Law does not apply to this permit to the extent permitted by law.

15. The State shall have no responsibility whatever for the loss or destruction of any improvements made by the Permittee or for personal property stored or being used on the premises.

16. This permit shall be renewed automatically for successive terms of one month each unless canceled by either party. Cancellation by the State requires thirty (30) days written notice, except for cause, in which event cancellation can be effected on ten (10) days written notice. Permittee may cancel this permit by giving thirty (30) days written notice.
17. Permittee shall not sublet the premises nor assign or transfer the permit to any other parties in part or in whole without the prior written consent of the State. Failure to comply with this provision may result in ten (10) days written notice of cancellation of the permit by the State, and the State may immediately take possession and terminate all rights of the Permittee as of such moment.

18. It is understood and agreed by and between the parties that the Permittee will ( ) will not ( X ) be entitled to any relocation benefits provided under State and Federal law.

19. Permittee agrees and understands that the State is under no obligation to sell the property to the Permittee and that no commitment, express or implied, is made by the State to give the Permittee any preemptive right of purchase.

20. Upon cancellation of the permit by either party, the permit area must be restored to its original condition and should the permittee fail to restore the site, the Permittee shall reimburse the State for any and all costs incurred by the State for the restoration of the permit area. This provision may be waived or modified with prior written consent from the State.

21. The Permittee shall not place advertising or sponsorship signs in the permit area without the express written consent of the New York State Department of Transportation.

22. In accordance with Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Permittee will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of age, race, creed, color, national origin, sexual orientation, military status, sex, disability, predisposing genetic characteristics, or marital status. Neither shall the Permittee discriminate in the use of the premises or any access thereto if such premises are used as a public accommodation or in connection with a public service.

23. The Permittee for his/her self, and/or the Permittee’s personal representatives, successors in interest, and assigns, as a part of the consideration hereof, does hereby covenant and agree as a covenant running with the land, that in the event improvements are made over or under such land and the furnishing of services thereon and/or facilities are constructed, maintained, or otherwise operated on the said property described in Item 1 of this permit for a purpose for which a New York State Transportation program or activity is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits, the Permittee shall construct such improvements and maintain and operate such facilities and services such that (1) no person on the ground of race, color, or national origin, sex, age, and disability/handicap, shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the use of said facilities, (2) that in the construction of any improvements on, over or under such land and the furnishing of services thereon, no person on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, sex, age, and disability/handicap, shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits or, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination, (3) that the Permittee shall use the premises in compliance with all other requirements imposed by or pursuant to title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation – Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; and to Title 23 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 200, Title VI Program and Related Statutes – Implementation and Review Procedures; and further as said Regulations may be amended.

That in the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, the State shall have the right to terminate the permit and to re-enter and repossess said land and the facilities thereon, and hold the same as if said permit had never been made or issued.

24. Permittee agrees that, in addition to any protection afforded to State under any available insurance, State shall not be liable for any damage or injury to the Permittee, its agents, employees, or to any other person, or to any property, occurring on the site or in any way associated with Permittee’s activities or operations; whether undertaken by Permittee’s own forces or by contractor or other agents working on Permittee’s behalf. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Permittee agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the State of New York, State and their agents from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses, including but not limited to attorneys’ fees, arising out of any claim, including but not limited to claims for personal injuries, property damage or wrongful death and/or environmental claims, in any way associated with the Permittee’s activities or operations, no matter how caused.

25. If any of the provisions of this permit are held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect or impair other provisions herein which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, and to this end the provisions of this permit are severable.

26. This permit shall not be effective unless accepted and approved in writing by the State.

27. The Permittee understands and agrees that a Highway Work Permit must be obtained from the Department of Transportation prior to any construction, reconstruction, repair, or maintenance on the permit area.
Additional provisions to permit:

28. The State shall not be liable for any costs or expenses of any nature which the Permittee may incur as the result of any repairs, reconstruction, construction or relocation of any improvements made to the permit area, or any part thereof, which may become necessary because of any construction, maintenance, or use of the permit area or any part thereof, for highway purposes. Permittee agrees not to seek compensation, reimbursement or payment for any such costs or expenses from the State.

29. The Permit Area is exclusive of those areas occupied by columns, walls, and piers of the Hoosick Street Bridge, or any other part of the highway structure located at ground level. In vertical dimensions, the permitted area extends from the existing ground surface upwards to a horizontal plane eight feet below the under side of the elevated structure.

30. No lights, wires, signs or other fixture will be attached to the highway structure, including the supporting columns of the Hoosick Street Bridge.

31. The Permittee will not place, park or store nor allow the placing, parking or storing of vehicles, equipment or other material within five feet of any column of the Hoosick Street Bridge, or any other structure supporting the highway and will provide and maintain means of protecting such columns and supporting structures in a manner approved by the Commissioner.

32. Fencing, if any, will be of a fireproof material and will facilitate natural ventilation.

33. The Permittee shall maintain an aesthetic appearance to keep permit areas, shall provide trash receptacles, shall keep the areas free from litter and shall exercise due diligence in keeping the areas clean.

34. Proposed signs and locations thereof, shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Transportation.

35. The Permittee shall maintain the perimeter sidewalks, curbs, staircases, landscaping, and fencing both as to safety and appearance and to be consistent with the rules and regulations of the applicable board or agency of the City of Troy.

36. The Permittee shall provide its own security and/or surveillance to provide for the safety and security of the person and his personality, and to protect the improvements on the permit areas.

37. Storage of equipment and material other than the approved use, including snow, on the permit area is prohibited.

38. The Permittee shall post the permit areas against encroachment of any nature which tends to contravene the intent and purpose of this permit, and shall remove or cause to be removed any such encroachment.

39. The Permittee agrees to obtain approval, in writing, from the Department prior to any changes in proposed use of the Permit Area.

40. The State reserves the right to publicly offer the use of the property on a periodic basis, approximately every five (5) years.

In consideration of the granting of the permit, the undersigned accepts all of the above terms, conditions and provisions.

FOR:

Fed. I.D. No.  

BY:  

Signature  

Print Name  

TITLE:  

Social Security Number  

INDIVIDUALLY:
Signature

__________________________________________
Print Name

STATE OF

__________________________________________

COUNTY OF

__________________________________________

SS:

On the * day of * in the year 20* before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared*, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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Notary Public

RECOMMENDED:

James Boni, Regional Real Estate Officer

Date:

ACCEPTED and APPROVED: Commissioner of Transportation for the People of the State of New York

By:

Susan E. Beaudoin, Director, Office of Right-of-Way

Date: