

## **Exhibit VIII.B.6. (New York State Subcontractors and Suppliers):**

*Submit as Exhibit VIII.B.6. a description of the Applicant's plans and minimum commitments (expressed in terms of annual biddable spend) for use of New York-based suppliers and materials both in the construction and furniture, fixtures, and equipment furnishing phase of the Applicant's project and in the operational phase of Applicant's project. Provide copies of any contracts, agreements or understandings evidencing such plans or commitments.*

Rush Street Gaming has an excellent reputation at buying in state. With respect to construction, at Rivers Casino, Des Plaines, Illinois, which was developed by an affiliate of the Applicant, over 94% of construction dollars were from Illinois businesses.

Gilbane has recently completed large scale NYS projects of similar magnitude. Gilbane has relationships with the NYS subcontracting and manufacturing community and understands their capabilities to complete this project in this location. Gilbane recently completed the Albany Medical Center New Patient Tower with a construction cost of \$151M of which \$141M was awarded to NYS subcontractors and vendors. The awards consisted of 39 subcontractors and vendors, representing 93% of the project to NYS businesses.

Further, the Gilbane Project Director recently completed Orange Regional Medical Center just 15 miles west of this project site with \$200M construction cost, and almost 90% of the contracts written for that project went to NYS businesses.

Rush Street Gaming properties also have a laudable track record of buying local during operations. See [Exhibit IX.B.3](#) for a discussion of purchasing from local suppliers during the operational phase.