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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO RULE 144 UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

144: Issuer Information

Name of Issuer FLUSHING FINANCIAL CORP

SEC File Number 001-33013

Address of Issuer 220 RXR PLAZA

UNIONDALE NEW YORK 11556

Phone 718-961-5400

Name of Person for Whose Account the

Securities are To Be Sold

Grasso Maria A

See the definition of "person" in paragraph (a) of Rule 144. Information is to be given not only as to the person for whose account the securities are to be sold but also as to all other persons included in that definition. In addition, information shall be given as to sales by all persons whose sales are required by paragraph (e) of Rule 144 to be aggregated with sales for the account of the person filing this notice.

Relationship to Issuer

1. Officer

144: Securities Information

Record	Title of the Class of Securities To Be Sold	Name and Address of the Broker	Number of Shares or Other Units To Be Sold	Aggregate Market Value	Number of Shares or Other Units Outstanding	Approximate Date of Sale	Name the Securities Exchange
#1	Common	Morgan Stanley Smith Barney LLC Executive Financial Services 1 New York PLaza 8th Floor New York NEW YORK 10004	4,500	\$61,020.00	29,068,880	08/20/2024	NASDAQ

144: Securities To Be Sold

Furnish the following information with respect to the acquisition of the securities to be sold and with respect to the payment of all or any part of the purchase price or other consideration therefor:

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Record	Title of the Class	Date you Acquired	Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Name of Person from Whom Acquired	this a Gift	Date Donor Acquired	Amount of Securities Acquired	Date of Payment	Nature of Payment *

#1	Common	01/29/2013	Issued for Past Servcies	Issuer	_	1,537	01/29/2013	N/A
#2	Common	12/21/2012	Compensation for Past Services	Issuer	_	487	12/21/2012	N/A
#3	Common	01/28/2013	Compensation for Past Servcies	Issuer	_	1,663	01/28/2013	N/A
#4	Common	01/28/2013	Compensation for Past Services	Issuer	_	813	01/28/2013	N/A

^{*} If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

ATTENTION:

The person for whose account the securities to which this notice relates are to be sold hereby represents by signing this notice that he does not know any material adverse information in regard to the current and prospective operations of the Issuer of the securities to be sold which has not been publicly disclosed. If such person has adopted a written trading plan or given trading instructions to satisfy Rule 10b5-1 under the Exchange Act, by signing the form and indicating the date that the plan was adopted or the instruction given, that person makes such representation as of the plan adoption or instruction date.

Signature Signed by Russell A. Fleishman under POA by Maria A. Grasso

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