

**LEASE AGREEMENT FOR LEGISLATIVE OFFICE SPACE**

Landlord	<u>Towne Gardens, LLC</u>	Lease Term	<u>1/1/2012-12/31/2012</u>
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Mailing Address	<u>440 Clinton Street</u>	Term	<u>12 Months</u>
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	<u>Buffalo, New York 14202</u>	Starting Date	<u>1/1/2012</u>
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Tenant **COUNTY OF ERIE  
95 FRANKLIN STREET  
BUFFALO, NY 14202**

12 Months Rent	<u>9,120.00</u>	At a Monthly rate of	<u>\$760</u>
		(to be paid the first of every month)	

Square Feet of Premises	<u>990</u>	Suite No./Floor	<u></u>
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1. Leased Premises                      The Landlord has agreed to rent to the Tenant and the Tenant has agreed to rent from the Landlord the following premises:

Office and Facility on premises located at  
427 William Street, Buffalo, NY 14204

Utilities Included

2. Use    The Tenant agrees not to use the premises for any other purpose than office space for Erie County Legislator

3. Assign and Sublease                      The Tenant must not sublease or assign this lease to anyone else. If the Tenant lets anyone else use the premises the Landlord has the right to cancel the Lease as it states in the Tenants Violations and Landlord's Remedies Section 10.

4. Rent    The Tenant agrees to pay the rent on the first day of every month at the Landlord's Mailing Address.

5. Right of Landlord to Show Premises and to Place Signs Thereon                      Tenant agrees to allow the Landlord, in person or by agent, to enter the said premises at all reasonable times of the day and to allow the Landlord, or his agent, to place on or about said premises, notices indicating that the premises are for sale or rent; and to allow the Landlord, or his agent, to enter upon and pass through and over premises for purposes of showing the same to persons wishing to purchase or lease the same.

6. Utilities The Landlord shall provide at no cost to the Tenant all utilities: including light, heat, water and sewer.
7. Air Conditioning The Landlord agrees that the space shall be air conditioned.
8. Snow Removal The Landlord agrees to maintain the structure of the building and to keep all walks, driveways, and entrances free of snow and ice.
9. End of Term The Tenant must return the premises broom-clean at the expiration of the lease to the Landlord and in the same condition as when taken, reasonable wear and tear thereof accepted.
10. Number Clauses Every Numbered Clause herein contained is hereby made a condition.
11. Fire Conditions In case the premises herein leased shall be partially damaged by fire, the same shall be repaired as speedily as possible by the Landlord. In case the premises shall be totally destroyed by fire, or so much damaged as to render them untenable, either party hereto may serve personally, or by registered mail, upon the other party within ten days after such fire, a thirty-day written notice of the intention of such party to terminate this lease and the term therein provided for and at the end of such thirty days the tenant shall pay all rent to the date of said fire and surrender up to the owner and premise discharge of this lease.
12. Rules Tenant must comply with Landlord's Rules. Notice of Rules will be posted or given to Tenant. Landlord need not enforce Rules against other Tenants. Landlord is not liable to Tenant if another Tenant violates the Rules. Tenant receives no rights under the Rules.
13. Executory This agreement shall be deemed executory to the extent of monies available in the yearly budget of the County of Erie as approved. No liability shall be incurred by the County of Erie beyond such monies as made available for the purpose therefore.
14. Changes This lease may be changed only by an agreement in writing signed by and delivered to each party.
15. Effective Date and Signatures Landlord and Tenant agree that this agreement is effective as of the date that both parties have completed copies and are

signing as of the date at the top of the Lease.

16. Termination

This Lease is automatically terminated in the event that Legislator Tim Hogues ceases to be a member of the Erie County Legislature representing the 1st District.

17. Indemnity

The Landlord agrees to defend, hold harmless and indemnify the said County of Erie and Legislator Tim Hogues, staff, and invitees from all claims arising out of the acts or omissions of the Landlord, agents, employees, or subcontractors, and from all claims resulting from the Landlord's ownership of the building.

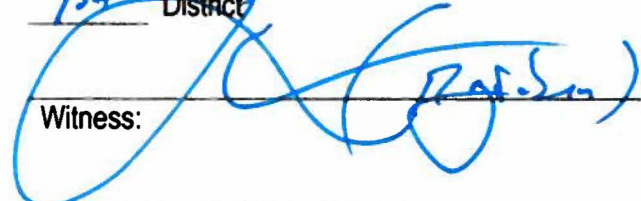
18. Insurance

Landlord agrees to provide written proof to the said County of Erie of the existence of structural insurance coverage and liability insurance, together with any endorsements referring to contents.

Tenant has read this lease. All promises made by the Landlord are in this lease. There are no others. This lease is authorized by resolution, adopted by the Erie County Legislature on \_\_\_\_\_, item \_\_\_\_\_, page \_\_\_\_\_, and by resolution adopted \_\_\_\_\_ item \_\_\_\_\_, page \_\_\_\_\_, of the Legislature's proceedings.

  
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Landlord or Agent of Landlord

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Erie County Legislator  
1st District

Witness:   
\_\_\_\_\_  
Erie County Executive

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assistant Erie County Attorney  
Approved as to Form

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Erie County Director of Real Estate  
Approved as to Form

Document No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_