



# THE ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Session No. 24  
December 19, 2013

Betty Jean Grant  
*Chair*

Thomas J. Mazur  
*Majority Leader*

John J. Mills  
*Minority Leader*

Robert M. Graber  
*Clerk of the Legislature*

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## ROLL CALL

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INVOCATION – Mr. Hogues

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mr. Rath

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## TABLED ITEMS

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## ITEMS FOR RECONSIDERATION FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

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## MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

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## PUBLIC HEARING

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## MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS:

LOUGHRAN	Congratulating Judge Mark G. Farrell, Senior Justice of Amherst Town Court, on His Retirement
GRANT & HOGUES	Honoring Rev. Jeff E. Carter, Jr. on 50 Years in the Ministry
GRANT, MAZUR, MILLS, HOGUES, MARINELLI, HARDWICK, LOUGHRAN, RATH, McCRACKEN, DIXON & LORIGO	Recognizing the First Ever "Justice for Vets" Vet Court Conference & Congratulating Judge Robert Russell, Jr., Jack O'Connor & the Late Hank Pirowski on Creating the Nation's Very First Veterans Treatment Court in Erie County
GRANT	Proclaiming Saturday, December 14, 2013 as Herbert Burnett Day in EC
MILLS	<a href="#">Congratulating Janis Colarusso, Supervisor of the Town of Orchard Park for Outstanding Service to Her Community</a>
MILLS	<a href="#">Congratulating David R. Kaczor, Councilman of the Town of Orchard Park on His Retirement &amp; Service to His Community</a>

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## LOCAL LAWS:

## REFERENCE:

<a href="#">LL INT. 1-1</a> 3/27/2012	McCRACKEN, GRANT, MAZUR, HOGUES, MARINELLI & LOUGHRAN	A LL to Establish "An Animal Abuse Registry in EC"	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">LL INT. 3-1</a> 10/9/2012	HARDWICK, MARINELLI & HOGUES	A LL to Provide Predictable Funding for the Buffalo & EC Library	Community Enrichment
<a href="#">LL INT. 1-1</a> 2/8/2013	McCRACKEN, GRANT, MAZUR, MARINELLI, LOUGHRAN & HOGUES	A LL to Establish "An Animal Abuse Registry in EC"	Energy & Environment

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**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

[REPORT NO. 18](#) ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

[REPORT NO. 18](#) HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

**LEGISLATOR RESOLUTIONS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">INTRO 24-1</a>	MILLS, HOGUES, MARINELLI, DIXON, LORIGO, HARDWICK & RATH	Amendment of EC Sales & Use Tax Resolution Which Imposes Taxes on Sales & Use of Tangible Personal Property on Certain Services, and on Occupancy of Hotel Rooms, Admissions Charges & Club Dues
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<a href="#">INTRO 24-2</a>	GRANT, MAZUR, MILLS, HOGUES, MARINELLI, HARDWICK, LOUGHRAN, RATH, McCRACKEN, DIXON & LORIGO	Requesting that the NYS Legislature & Governor Enact Legislation to Update the NYS Retirement & Social Security Law Regarding the Buyback of Military Service
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**COMMUNICATIONS DISCHARGED FROM COMMITTEE:**

**SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:**

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">COMM. 24E-1</a>	COMPTROLLER	Audit of the Hotel Occupancy Tax for the Period 3/1/2012 - 5/31/2013	Finance & Management
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<a href="#">COMM. 24E-2</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	2014-2017 Revised EC Four Year Financial Plan	Finance & Management
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<a href="#">COMM. 24E-3</a>	McCRACKEN	Letter to Clerk of Legislature Concerning Energy & Environment Committee Meeting 12/16/2013 - COMM. 23E-23 (2013) "Appointment & Reappointments to the ECSD No. 4 Board of Managers"	RFP
<a href="#">COMM. 24E-4</a>	MILLS	Letter to Clerk of Legislature Concerning Energy & Environment Committee Meeting 12/16/2013 - COMM. 23E-23 (2013) "Appointments & Reappointments to ECSD No. 3 Board of Managers"	RFP
<a href="#">COMM. 24E-5</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Rath Building - Social Services - Second Floor Renovations	
<a href="#">COMM. 24E-6</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	EC Toxicology Laboratory/Morgue - Asbestos Abatement & Mechanical Renovations	
<a href="#">COMM. 24E-7</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Steel Plant Museum - Bethlehem Steel Sign	Economic Development
<a href="#">COMM. 24E-8</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 2 - Contract Close Out - O'Connell Electric Co., Inc.	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 24E-9</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	State Assistance Application & Contract Execution - Household Hazardous Waste Collection Program	Energy & Environment

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**COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS:**

**REFERENCE:**

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<a href="#">COMM. 24D-1</a>	COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE	Audit of the Gasboy Fuel Management System	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 24D-2</a>	AUDIT COMMITTEE FOR EC	2012 Annual Report	Finance & Management

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**COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PEOPLE AND OTHER AGENCIES:**

**REFERENCE:**

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<a href="#">COMM. 24M-1</a>	BUFFALO & EC PUBLIC LIBRARY	Proposed Agenda for Meeting to be Held 12/19/2013	Community Enrichment
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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS:**

**ADJOURNMENT:**