

SUSPENSION



ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

HON. EDWARD A. RATH, III
LEGISLATOR

County Executive Mark Poloncarz
95 Franklin Street, 16th Floor
Buffalo, NY 14202

May 8, 2014

Executive Poloncarz,

I would like to invite you to the Legislature next Thursday, May 15th at 11am to speak during the Public Safety Committee Meeting on an item that was approved in 2008 regarding the Sole Source Cellular Surveillance and Tracking Equipment.

At the time of the purchase, you served as Erie County Comptroller, our county watchdog, and received a certified copy of this resolution. It is also possible your Office sent the check for payment on the items purchased in your role as Comptroller.

Additionally, according to media reports, an original FOIL request sent to one of your departments regarding the purchase of these items was denied.

I think any information you have could be an important part of this discussion.

Thank you for consideration of this request.

Sincerely,
A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ed Rath III". The signature is stylized and includes the Roman numeral "III".

Legislator Ed Rath
Chairman, Public Safety Committee