

**ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE**

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Minority Leader  
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Douglas H. Baker, Secretary  
Erie County Medical Center Board of Directors  
462 Grider St.  
Buffalo, NY 14215

RE: Appointment of Non-Voting Member to the Erie County Medical  
Center Corporation Board of Directors

Dear Mr. Baker:

Pursuant to Public Authorities Law, Section 3628 (Erie County Medical Center Corporation), there shall be four non-voting representatives to the ECMCC board of directors, with one non-voting member appointed by the Minority Leader of the Erie County Legislature.

Accordingly, as Minority Leader of the Erie County Legislature, I hereby appoint William A. Pauly as a non-voting member to the Erie County Medical Center Corporation board of directors effective immediately.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas A. Loughran", written over a horizontal line.

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5th District Legislator

Cc: Sharon L. Hanson, Chair of the Board  
Karen M. McCarthy, Clerk of the Erie County Legislature  
Patty Chase, Administrative Assistant to the ECMCC Board

## RESUME

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**William A. Pauly**  
**9 Halwill Drive**  
**Amherst, NY 14226**  
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### EDUCATION

State University of New York at Buffalo

Doctorate Program, Policy Studies	
2 semesters	1976 – 1977
New York State Certificate, Counselor Education	1973
Ed.M. Counselor Education	1971
B.A., Geography	1967

### MILITARY SERVICE

United States Air Force, Honorable Discharge	1958 – 1963
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### OCCUPATIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### The Erie County Legislature 1976 – 2001

Served thirteen two year terms as Erie County Legislator, 14<sup>th</sup> District. This responsibility is similar to that of a member of the Board of Directors of a large public service delivery corporation with a billion dollars of expenditures and 6800 employees. A legislator allocates local government resources in order to implement state mandates and participates in setting the level and range of non mandated governmental services for all of Erie County. A legislator is involved in the oversight of every aspect of the operations of the County government. Assignments included membership and chairmanship of Public Health, Energy and Environment, Regionalism and the Personal Ad Hoc committees.

#### Medaille College 1987 – 2004

Responsibilities as an adjunct included teaching a variety of courses in both the evening and weekend college including Urban History, Public Administration, Political Science, Social Problems, American Government and the Mental Health System of Erie County.

#### Adjunct Professor Management Department Medaille College Spring 2001

Researched and developed a configuration of seven masters level courses to be utilized in several capacities including a New York State Certificate in Policy Studies, a concentration in Policy Studies, an M.S. in Applied Social Science, and an elective component in the MBA program. Taught 4 of these courses on a directed study basis.

#### Erie Community College Adjunct Professor 2005 – 2012

Teaching courses in American Government, Sociology, Geography, and the Teacher Preparation Curriculum.

### The Buffalo Public School System 1967 – 1976

Involved in urban education with 5 years as a school counselor and 4 years as a classroom teacher in inner city schools of Buffalo with a focus on strengthening basic academic skills and providing general education experiences that would assist disadvantaged students in attaining higher education and successfully competing in mainstream society.

### Contract Negotiator 1969 – 1970

Negotiated teacher contracts as a field representative for the New York State Teachers Association.

### **SOME PAST RESEARCH ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS**

#### Educational Arena 1976 – 2001

Member of the Community Enrichment Committee overseeing educational programs and activities at Erie Community College.

#### Environmental Arena 1993 – 2007

Coordinator of Clean Communities of Western New York, and United States Department of Energy Clean City initiative to reduce dependence on foreign imported oil. Clean Communities is a partner in securing approximately 1 million dollars to support the construction of two alternative fuel compressed natural gas vehicle refueling stations in Erie County. One is located on the maintenance facility footprint of the Erie County Medical Center and the other on the footprint of the maintenance facilities at the North Campus of the University of New York at Buffalo. Currently President of the Board of Directors of the 110 stakeholder member non profit which educates fleets and the public about alternatives to conventional transportation fuels and systems.

#### Health Arena 1976 – 2003

Member and past Chairman of the Public Health Committee overseeing the development and implementation of health, mental health and substance abuse policy for Erie County. Researched, drafted and sponsored passage of Local Law #4 of 1980 which prohibited the possession, manufacture, delivery or sale of drug paraphernalia and prohibited the sale of smoking accessories to minors. Worked with the Action for Mental Health community support non profit self help group to reorganize user driven organization for greater growth in services.

#### Financial Arena -1985 Creation of Chief Fiscal Officer Law

Researched, drafted, and sponsored and organized votes to assure passage of Local Law #2 – 1985, which fully empowered the Comptroller as the Chief Fiscal Officer of Erie County.

#### Economic Development 1997 – 2001

Co-chairman of the Erie – Niagara Regional Partnership spearheading the Regional Economic Database Project. Recommended a bi-county Produce Quick Cool Program to help farmers increase market share and become more competitive. Added Niagara County to the Regional Cultural Tourism Project and facilitated approval of funding through the Erie County Legislature to partner with Niagara and Orleans counties in 2001 Fish Odyssey tournament. Worked bi-county to allow electronic permitting, joint county brochures, joint marketing of workforce development, combating urban sprawl and bi-county planning. Also served as Co-chairman Erie County Regionalism Committee which reviewed a study of the "Who Does What Commission" focusing on consolidation and regionalization of local government services.

## **PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

<i>Clean Communities of WNY President, Board of Directors</i>	2000 – present
<i>Erie County Board of Health</i>	1994 – 2001
<i>Coordinated Care Management, Board Member</i>	1983 – 1996
<i>Alcoholism Services of Erie County of Erie, Board Member</i>	1984 – 1991
<i>Health Systems Agency of WNY, Board Member New York, Sub Area Council</i>	1981 – 1987
<i>In-Home Support Services, Board Member</i>	1978 – 1981
<i>Erie County Mental Health Corp II, Board Member</i>	1978 – 1980
<i>Buffalo Area Council on Alcoholism, Board Member</i>	1979

## **AWARDS AND RECOGNITION**

<i>AFL-CIO Council Government Service Award</i>	2001
<i>Action for Mental Health Community Leadership Award</i>	1995
<i>Buffalo Federation of Neighborhood Centers "Carrier of the Torch"</i>	1994
<i>Coordinated Care Community Leadership Award</i>	1992
<i>University Heights Community Civil Servant of the Year</i>	1992
<i>Buffalo Columbus Hospital Citation in Recognition of Support for Health and Hospital Care</i>	1987
<i>Home Health Care Award for Legislative Leadership</i>	1985
<i>Western New York Pharmacy Association Leadership Award</i>	1982
<i>Crisis Services Distinguished Service Award</i>	1979
<i>Buffalo Schoolmasters Service Award</i>	1976

## **PUBLIC POLICY CONFERENCES**

<b>The Center for Working Families Energy and Jobs Conference Syracuse, NY</b>	<b>April 2007</b>
<b>New York State Energy Research and Development Hydrogen Roadmap Seminar, Rochester, NY</b>	<b>May 2005</b>
<b>Clean Cities Washington Day Clean Fuels Seminars Washington, DC</b>	<b>March 2003</b>
<b>Statewide Rail/Economic Development Conference Syracuse, NY</b>	<b>March 2001</b>
<b>United States Department of Energy Clean City Conference Philadelphia, PA.</b>	<b>May 2001</b>
<b>National Association of Counties Washington, DC</b>	<b>March 2001 March 2000</b>
<b>New York State Association of Counties Lake Placid, NY</b>	<b>September 1999</b>
<b>Computer Telephony Conference New York City, NY</b>	<b>October 1999</b>
<b>Clean Fueled Public Transit Cleveland, OH</b>	<b>April 1999</b>
<b>National Clean Cities Conference Louisville, KY</b>	<b>May 1999</b>
<b>EBA-NYS Conference to Promote NYS Tax Incentives To grow the Alternative Fuels Industry, NYC, NY</b>	<b>October 1998</b>
<b>National Association of Counties Portland, Or</b>	<b>July 1998</b>
<b>New York State Association of Counties Albany, NY</b>	<b>February 1998</b>
<b>United States Department of Energy Clean Cities Conference Long Beach, CA</b>	<b>June 1997</b>
<b>Local Government &amp; Electric Industry Restructuring Conference Arlington, VA</b>	<b>June 1997</b>