

# ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

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Re: Appointment to the New York State Fish and Wildlife Management Board for Region 9

Dear County Executive Poloncarz:

Erie County Legislator John Mills has written to me requesting to be appointed to the New York State Fish and Wildlife Management Board for Region 9 (see [http://www2.erie.gov/legislature/sites/www2.erie.gov/legislature/files/uploads/Session\\_Folders/2019/14/19Comm.14E-1.pdf](http://www2.erie.gov/legislature/sites/www2.erie.gov/legislature/files/uploads/Session_Folders/2019/14/19Comm.14E-1.pdf) for his letter).

I have become aware that the NYS Environmental Conservation Law states as follows concerning appointments to the regional management boards:

4. Regional fish and wildlife management boards.

a. A regional fish and wildlife management board shall be appointed in each of the regions established under subdivision 3 of this section. Such regional board shall consist of three members from each county within the region which has appointed its members. In each county, one member shall be a member of or represent the board of supervisors or county legislative body, one member shall represent the landowners of the county and one member shall represent the sportsmen of the county. Such members from each county shall be appointed by the chairman of the board of supervisors of such county with the approval of the board of supervisors, except that in a county having a county president, a county executive or other chief executive officer, the chief executive officer shall appoint the members representing such county with the approval of the board of supervisors of such county.

I am writing to you to inform you that in the event you are willing and interested in appointing Legislator Mills to the Region 9 New York State Fish and Wildlife Management Board, I will support such an appointment. As such, I respectfully request your consideration of Legislator Mills for appointment.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "April N.M. Baskin".

April N.M. Baskin  
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