



# THE ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Session No. 19  
September 26, 2019

April N.M. Baskin  
*Chair*

John Brusco  
*Majority Leader*

Joseph C. Lorigo  
*Minority Leader*

Robert M. Graber  
*Clerk of the Legislature*

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## ROLL CALL

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INVOCATION – Mr. Meyers

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mr. Lorigo

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## TABLED ITEMS

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## ITEMS FOR RECONSIDERATION FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

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MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING – [Meeting No. 18](#)

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## PUBLIC HEARING

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## MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS:

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BRUSO [Recognizing and Applauding Michelle Bliss for Her Extensive Leadership and Dedicated Service Protecting the People and Property of WNY](#)

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BRUSO [Recognizing and Applauding Arthur "Art" Domino for His Extensive Leadership and Dedicated Service Protecting the People and Property of WNY](#)

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BRUSO [Recognizing and Applauding James Nusall for His Extensive Leadership and Dedicated Service in Depew Hook and Ladder Company No. 1](#)

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CHIMERA [Recognizing and Applauding Robert Carncross for His Extensive Leadership and Dedicated Service Protecting the People and Property of WNY](#)

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MEYERS [Recognizing and Applauding Eugene Beszczynski for His Extensive Leadership and Dedicated Service Protecting the People and Property of Sloan](#)

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MEYERS [Recognizing and Applauding Edward Tokasz for His Extensive Leadership and Dedicated Service Protecting the People and Property of WNY](#)

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JOHNSON [Honoring and Remembering the Praiseworthy Life of Jodie E. Williams](#)

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BRUSO [Recognizing Jeanne Hebborn Cairns for Her Dedication and Service Throughout Her Community and for Her Acting, Directing, Filmmaking and Producing Prowess](#)

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BASKIN [Recognizing and Congratulating Sister Timothy Howard for Her Storied Achievements, Her Unconditional Love and Her Profound Legacy in the City of Buffalo](#)

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BASKIN	<a href="#">Recognizing and Congratulating Sister Noreen Smith for Her Achievements, Her Unconditional Love and Her Legacy in Changing Our Community for the Better</a>
BRUSO	<a href="#">Honoring Lori Gramza as the Erie County Legislature's Citizen of the Month for September 2019</a>
DIXON	<a href="#">Honoring Michael S. Brophy, PhD., M.F.A. on His Installation as Hilbert College's Fourth President</a>
LORIGO, MILLS, DIXON & RATH	<a href="#">Recognizing and Honoring FeedMore WNY, Its Volunteers and Staff, and Recognizing September as Hunger Action Month</a>
MILLS	<a href="#">Honoring the Orchard Park Lions Club as it Celebrates 75 Years of Community Service to Orchard Park</a>
BASKIN	<a href="#">Celebrating and Honoring National Hispanic Heritage Month</a>
BASKIN	<a href="#">Honoring and Remembering Jose Pizarro Figueroa, 2019 Veteran of Honor</a>

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**LOCAL LAWS:**

**REFERENCE:**

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<a href="#">LL INTRO. 20-1 11/1/2017</a>	MORTON	A LL Requiring that All County Contracts Include Provisions that Ensure Goods and Materials Purchased or Used Shall be Manufactured in New York	Economic Development
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 3-1 3/13/2018</a>	RATH	A LL banning individuals from holding elected offices or being appointed to certain boards or commissions who are convicted of certain felony charges	Government Affairs
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 3-1 4/2/2019</a>	LORIGO	A LL amending Local Law No. 1-1959, constituting the Erie County Charter, as amended, in relation to the regular enplanement of the Citizens Salary Review	Government Affairs
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 4-1 4/11/2019</a>	LORIGO, DIXON, RATH & MILLS	A LL Titled, "Amendment to the Erie County Code of Ethics"	Government Affairs
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 5-1 4/16/2019</a>	LORIGO	A LL Titled, "Internet Devices Privacy Act"	Government Affairs
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 9-1 9/23/2019</a>	LORIGO	A LL creating the Road and Infrastructure Specialist Advisory Board	

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**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

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REPORT No. 14	<a href="#"><u>PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE</u></a>
REPORT No. 7	<a href="#"><u>GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE</u></a>
REPORT No. 13	<a href="#"><u>HEALTH &amp; HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE</u></a>
REPORT No. 11	<a href="#"><u>FINANCE &amp; MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE</u></a>
REPORT No. 14	<a href="#"><u>ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE</u></a>
REPORT No. 10	<a href="#"><u>ENERGY &amp; ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE</u></a>
REPORT No. 5	<a href="#"><u>COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE</u></a>

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**LEGISLATOR RESOLUTIONS:**

**REFERENCE:**

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<a href="#"><u>INTRO. 19-1</u></a>	MEYERS, CHIMERA, BRUSO, HARDWICK, BASKIN & JOHNSON	Supporting the Hard-Working Members of the United Auto Workers
<a href="#"><u>INTRO. 19-2</u></a>	DIXON	Transfer of Surplus Property to Baker Victory Services
<a href="#"><u>INTRO. 19-3</u></a>	LORIGO, DIXON & RATH	Expressing Disappointment with the State's Failure to Provide Any Funding for the Recent Criminal Justice Reform Efforts

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**COMMUNICATIONS DISCHARGED FROM COMMITTEE:**

**REFERENCE:**

**SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:**

**REFERENCE:**

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">COMM. 19E-1</a>	LORIGO	Letter to Chair of Health & Human Services Committee Requesting an Invitation for Speakers from the International Institute of Buffalo	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-2</a>	LORIGO	Abstention on Intro. 8-1 (2019)	RFP
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-3</a>	MILLS	Documentation Relating to Energy & Environment Committee Discussion Regarding Lake Erie Wind Turbine Farms	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-4</a>	LORIGO	Letter to Chair of Government Affairs Committee Requesting Invitation to the Better Business Bureau Relating to the Consumer Protection Department	Government Affairs
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-5</a>	BASKIN	Letter to Sheriff Regarding Death of Prisoner in Erie County Correctional Facility	Public Safety
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-6</a>	SHERIFF	Reallocation from Division of Correctional Health 2019 Budget to Purchase Medical & Office Equipment	Public Safety
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-7</a>	COMPTROLLER	2019 Revenue Anticipation Note Resolution	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-8</a>	COMPTROLLER	Financial Adviser RFP Resolution	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-9</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Establish an EC Re-Entry Resource Center	Public Safety
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-10</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD Nos. 1-6 & 8 - RFP - Professional Engineering Services Term Agreements	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-11</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECHC - Kitchen Floor Replacement & Kitchen/Laundry Domestic Hot Water Upgrades Re-Bid	Economic Development
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-12</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Social Services Third Floor Renovations - Rath Building	Economic Development
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-13</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Como Lake Park Dredging Project 2019	
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-14</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD Nos. 1, 4 & 5 - Construction Inspection Term Contract Agreement	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-15</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization of Tax Repayment Agreement	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-16</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	F-Bites Vocational Training in Excellence - Culinary Program	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-17</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECHC - 2019 Library & Medical Unit Renovations	Economic Development

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<a href="#">COMM. 19E-18</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	EC Buffalo River RAP Project	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-19</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization of Dept. of Senior Services Contract with Consultants to Provide SF-TIC Training	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 19E-20</a>	DIXON	Letter to County Clerk Regarding Creation of Driver Safety Program in EC	Government Affairs

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**COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS:**

**REFERENCE:**

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<a href="#">COMM. 19D-1</a>	DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES	CPS Statistical Report - August 2019	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 19D-2</a>	DIRECTOR OF BUDGET & MANAGEMENT	Budget Monitoring Report for Period Ending 07/2019	Finance & Management

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

**REFERENCE:**

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<a href="#">COMM. 19M-1</a>	FULTON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS	Certified Copy of Resolution Opposing Governor Cuomo's Proposed Regulations Requiring New License Plates & Fees	Government Affairs
<a href="#">COMM. 19M-2</a>	ILYAS KHAN	Signed Petitions Advocating the Declaration of a Climate Emergency	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 19M-3</a>	NYSDEC	Invitation for Public Comment – Draft Investigation/Interim Cleanup Plan for a Site at 130 Main St., Buffalo	Energy & Environment

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS:**

**ADJOURNMENT:**