



# THE ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Session No. 4  
February 20, 2020

April N.M. Baskin  
*Chair*

Timothy J. Meyers  
*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 – Ms. Vinal

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mr. Todaro

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TABLED ITEMS – Rules of the Legislature for 2020

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ITEMS FOR RECONSIDERATION FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

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MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING – [Meeting No. 3](#)

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PUBLIC HEARING

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## MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS:

GILMOUR

[Remembering Dr. Evan Calkins, Retired  
Hamburg Gerontologist](#)

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BASKIN

[Honoring John Baker as Citizen of the Month  
for February 2020](#)

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TODARO

[Celebrating The Bakos Agency on Its 90th Anniversary](#)

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MILLS

[Honoring and Remembering Adella Cook for Her  
Numerous Contributions to the Town of Evans and  
Surrounding Communities](#)

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RATH

[Recognizing and Acknowledging Firefighter Edward Lewis  
for His 45 Years of Dedicated Service as a Member of the  
Clarence Fire Company](#)

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RATH

[Recognizing and Acknowledging Firefighter John Moulin for  
His 60 Years of Dedicated Services as a Member of the East  
Amherst Fire Department](#)

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TODARO

[Congratulating the O.K. Bike Shop on Their Business  
Operating for 50 Years in Lancaster](#)

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LORIGO

[Acknowledging and Thanking Dennis Powers for His  
Dedication to Public Service and His Community](#)

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BASKIN, MEYERS, LORIGO,  
JOHNSON, CHIMERA, HARDWICK,  
VINAL, RATH, TODARO, GILMOUR  
& MILLS

[Proclaiming the Week of March 6th as World Lymphedema Day](#)

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**LOCAL LAWS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<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	Government Affairs
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 1-1 1/31/2020</a>	MEYERS, VINAL, BASKIN, JOHNSON, CHIMERA & HARDWICK	A LL titled, "The Jail Management Transparency and Accountability Act"	Public Safety

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

REPORT No. 3	<a href="#">ENERGY &amp; ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE</a>
REPORT No. 3	<a href="#">FINANCE &amp; MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE</a>
REPORT No. 3	<a href="#">PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE</a>
REPORT No. 2	<a href="#">GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE</a>
REPORT No. 3	<a href="#">HEALTH &amp; HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE</a>
REPORT No. 3	<a href="#">ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE</a>

**LEGISLATOR RESOLUTIONS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">INTRO. 4-1</a>	LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	Support for Proposed Protections for First Responders from Criminal Justice Reform
<a href="#">INTRO. 4-2</a>	LORIGO, MILLS, TODARO & RATH	Support for Full & Proper Enforcement of Ruthie's Law
<a href="#">INTRO. 4-3</a>	VINAL	Re-Appropriation of 2020 Public Benefit Funding

**COMMUNICATIONS DISCHARGED FROM COMMITTEE:**

**REFERENCE:**

*From the Government Affairs Committee:*

[COMM. 3E-18 \(2020\)](#) COUNTY EXECUTIVE Authorization for DISS to Contract for Application Support Services

*From the Finance & Management Committee:*

[COMM. 3E-34 \(2020\)](#) COUNTY EXECUTIVE Personnel Modifications for 2020 – DPW, DoH & CPS

- [AMENDMENT](#)

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**SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:**

**REFERENCE:**

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**COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">COMM. 4E-1</a>	CHIMERA	Letter Requesting Updates on Enforcement of EC Fair Housing Law	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-2</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Appointment to the EC Board of Health	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-3</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Letter to Comptroller Regarding Cash Flow Concerns & February IGT Payment	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-4</a>	COMPTROLLER	Law Department Spending - 12/2019	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-5</a>	LORIGO	Letter Requesting Additional Information Concerning Convention Center Study	Economic Development
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-6</a>	COMPTROLLER	2015 & 2018 Peer Review Final Reports	Government Affairs
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-7</a>	CHIMERA	Letter Requesting Additional Information Relating to Ruthie's Law Enforcement	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-8</a>	COMPTROLLER	EC Dept. of Parks, Rec. & Forestry Audit of Revenues - 01/2019 - 06/2019	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-9</a>	BASKIN	Letter to Chair of HHS Committee Requesting Discussion on EC Mobile Services Van	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-10</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Accept Aging Mastery Program Grant	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-11</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Contract - Consumer Directed Home Care Services	Health & Human Services

<a href="#">COMM. 4E-12</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Contract - Restoration of Copper Shop Building	Economic Development
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-13</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Contract - Behavioral Health & Substance Abuse Consultants	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-14</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Agreement with NYSDOT & Award of Construction - Bridge Washing	Economic Development
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-15</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Accept NYSDEC Municipal Waste Reduction & Recycling Program Grant	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-16</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Grant 2020	Public Safety
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-17</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Submit Applications for Census 2020 Complete Count Outreach Grants	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-18</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Contract - Offsite Software Support for Child Protective & Adult Protective Services	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-19</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Foreclosure Pursuant to the In Rem Provisions of the EC Tax Act - In Rem Action No. 168	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 4E-20</a>	COMPTROLLER	Comptroller's Office Reorganization	Government Affairs

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">COMM. 4D-1</a>	DEPT. OF LAW	Opinion on Required Legislative Action to Correct the 2020 EC Property Tax Bill Calculation Error	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 4D-2</a>	DEPT. OF ENVIRONMENT & PLANNING	Convention Center Architectural & Engineering Assessment Report	Economic Development

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

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">COMM. 4M-1</a>	VISIT BUFFALO NIAGARA	Submission Pursuant to Budget Resolution No. 76, Disclosure of All Employees, Job Titles, Descriptions & Salaries	Economic Development
<a href="#">COMM. 4M-2</a>	BUFFALO NIAGARA CONVENTION CENTER	Submission Pursuant to Budget Resolution No. 76, Disclosure of All Employees, Job Titles, Descriptions & Salaries	Economic Development
<a href="#">COMM. 4M-3</a>	CORNELL COOPERATIVE EXTENSION	Budget Plan - 2020 County Appropriation	Economic Development

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<a href="#">COMM. 4M-4</a>	VISIT BUFFALO NIAGARA	Fourth Quarter Reports for 2019	Economic Development
<a href="#">COMM. 4M-5</a>	FAIR HOUSING BOARD	2019 EC Fair Housing Board Annual Report	Health & Human Services

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS:**

**ADJOURNMENT:**