



THE ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Session No. 13

June 24, 2021

April N.M. Baskin
Chair

Timothy J. Meyers
Majority Leader

Joseph C. Lorigo
Minority Leader

Robert M. Graber
Clerk of the Legislature

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION – Mr. Johnson

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mr. Greene

TABLED ITEMS

ITEMS FOR RECONSIDERATION FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING – [Meeting No. 12](#)

PUBLIC HEARING

MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS:

VINAL [Remembering Felix "Phil" DiRe](#)

VINAL [Recognizing Juneteenth in the Town of Amherst](#)

MEYERS [Congratulating and Recognizing Reimann and Georger Corporation, Celebrating 75 Years of Business Excellence](#)

CHIMERA [Recognizing Dr. Jill O'Malley for Receiving the ASBO Advocate of the Year Award](#)

JOHNSON [Celebrating and Recognizing the Opening of Mister Sizzles](#)

TODARO [Honoring Depew High School's Valedictorian and Salutatorian](#)

TODARO [Honoring Depew High School's Top Students](#)

TODARO [Honoring Emmerson Bartels for Her Excellence in Academics and Volunteer Work](#)

TODARO [Honoring Donna Alessi Upon the Occasion of Her Retirement](#)

TODARO [Honoring Alyssa Okon for Her Excellence in Academics and Volunteer Work](#)

TODARO [Honoring Gene Baran for His Continuous Selfless Acts, Dedication and Volunteer Work](#)

MILLS [Honoring the Life and Legacy of Lois Jackson and Suburban Adult Services, Inc.](#)

MILLS [Honoring Eric Stuhr for Achieving the Rank of Eagle Scout](#)

MILLS	<u>Honoring the Ulman Foundation for the Work They Do to Support and Educate Our Community</u>
MILLS	<u>Honoring St. Mark's Episcopal Church for Its Role in Improving the Community</u>
GREENE	<u>Honoring and Congratulating Deric Brege on Being Named Western New York History Day Teacher of the Year</u>
GREENE	<u>Honoring Annie Leeds as the Erie County Legislature's Citizen of the Month for June 2021</u>
GREENE	<u>Honoring and Congratulating Captain Tracy Martin on Her Promotion</u>
GREENE	<u>Celebrating Jennie Concetta Mazza Martino Upon the Occasion of Her 100th Birthday</u>
LORIGO	<u>Honoring Lieutenant David Suttell Upon His Retirement</u>
LORIGO	<u>Honoring Summit Gymnastics Center Upon the Occasion of Their 40th Anniversary</u>
LORIGO, GREENE, TODARO & MILLS	<u>Recognizing and Acknowledging Alzheimer's and Brain Awareness Month in Erie County</u>

LOCAL LAWS:

REFERENCE:

<u>LL INTRO. 1-1 1/31/2020</u>	MEYERS, VINAL, BASKIN, JOHNSON, CHIMERA & HARDWICK	A LL titled, "The Jail Management Transparency and Accountability Act"	Public Safety
<u>LL INTRO. 3-1 7/17/2020</u>	VINAL	A LL titled, "The Business Procurement Enhancement and Promotion Act of 2020"	Small Business
<u>LL INTRO. 5-1 7/17/2020</u>	LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	A LL Requiring Timely Reports on County Mandated Business Closures Made Pursuant to Local or State Regulations	Government Affairs
<u>LL INTRO. 8-1 12/1/20</u>	LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	A LL titled, "Third Party Food Delivery Services Law"	Government Affairs
<u>LL INTRO. 1-1 4/27/21</u>	TODARO, GREENE, LORIGO & MILLS	A LL Authorizing Twelve and Thirteen-Year-Old Licensed Hunters to Hunt Deer with a Firearm or Crossbow During Hunting Season with the Supervision of a Licensed Adult	Energy & Environment

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

[REPORT No. 5](#) COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE

[REPORT No. 11](#) ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

[REPORT No. 11](#) ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

[REPORT No. 7](#) PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

LEGISLATOR RESOLUTIONS:

REFERENCE:

[INTRO. 13-1](#) BASKIN Designation of Tourism Promotion Agency for 2021-2022

[INTRO. 13-2](#) CHIMERA Support for Increasing the New York State Childcare Market Rate

[INTRO. 13-3](#) LORIGO, GREENE, TODARO & MILLS Waiver of Health Department Fee on Permit to Operate a Temporary Food Service Establishment

[INTRO. 13-4](#) TODARO, LORIGO, GREENE & MILLS Support for the Help Wanted Act

[INTRO. 13-5](#) BASKIN & JOHNSON Supporting the Establishment of Juneteenth as an Observed Erie County Holiday

COMMUNICATIONS DISCHARGED FROM COMMITTEE:

REFERENCE:

From the HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE:

[COMM. 12E-18 \(2021\)](#) COUNTY EXECUTIVE Authorization to Contract with Hear 2 Learn, PLLC

SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:

REFERENCE:

COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:

REFERENCE:

<u>COMM. 13E-1</u>	COUNTY CLERK	Mortgage Tax Semi-Annual Report of Receipts & Disbursements	Finance & Management
<u>COMM. 13E-2</u>	COMPTROLLER	Letter to Chair of Legislature Concerning Warrant for Payment of Additional Mortgage Recording Tax	Finance & Management
<u>COMM. 13E-3</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	COVID-19 State of Emergency Status	Health & Human Services
<u>COMM. 13E-4</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 3 - Engineering Term Contract Agreement	Energy & Environment
<u>COMM. 13E-5</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Enter into Agreement for EC Park Signage & Wayfinding Manual	Economic Development
<u>COMM. 13E-6</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECHC - 2021 Hot Water Tank Replacements	Economic Development
<u>COMM. 13E-7</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Buffalo & EC Botanical Gardens 2020 Replacement of Vents & Vent Control Systems	Economic Development
<u>COMM. 13E-8</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Rath Building - Parking Garage Sprinkler System Replacement	Economic Development
<u>COMM. 13E-9</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Buffalo & EC Public Library - One Year Extension of Various Capital Projects Term Agreement	Economic Development
<u>COMM. 13E-10</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Contract for Commercial Real Estate Brokerage Services in EC Home	Finance & Management
<u>COMM. 13E-11</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	IMA for Parker Blvd. Complete Streets Initiative Project, Town of Tonawanda	Economic Development
<u>COMM. 13E-12</u>	BASKIN	Letter to Legislature Clerk Concerning Transition of Meetings on 6/24/2021	RFP
<u>COMM. 13E-13</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Reappointments to the ECMCC	Health & Human Services
<u>COMM. 13E-14</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Appointments to the EC Advisory Board Division for Persons with Disabilities	Health & Human Services
<u>COMM. 13E-15</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	American Rescue Plan Omnibus Spending Package - "RENEW Plan"	Finance & Management
<u>COMM. 13E-16</u>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Grant Budget Modification & New Position - HIV Prevention within Communities of Color	Finance & Management

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS:

REFERENCE:

COMM. 13D-1	DIRECTOR OF BUDGET & MANAGEMENT	Notification of New COVID-19 Contracts	Health & Human Services
COMM. 13D-2	DEPUTY COMPTROLLER	Letter to Legislature Regarding April Sales Tax Receipts	Finance & Management
COMM. 13D-3	CLERK OF LEGISLATURE	Acknowledgment of Filing of Documents Concerning Creation of the Cayuga Creek Water District in the Town of Alden	Energy & Environment
COMM. 13D-4	CLERK OF LEGISLATURE	Letter to Legislature Concerning Transition of Meetings on 6/24/21	RFP
COMM. 13D-5	DEPARTMENT OF LAW	Local Emergency Order Extensions	Health & Human Services

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PEOPLE AND OTHER AGENCIES:

REFERENCE:

COMM. 13M-1 <ul style="list-style-type: none">Part 1Part 2	NYS COMPTROLLER - OFFICE OF LEGAL SERVICES	Documents Concerning Creation of the Cayuga Creek Water District in the Town of Alden	Energy & Environment
COMM. 13M-2	CITIZENS CAMPAIGN FOR THE ENVIRONMENT	Letter to Legislature Regarding Moratorium on Wind Turbines in the Great Lakes	Energy & Environment
COMM. 13M-3	NYS DEPT. OF TAXATION & FINANCE	Additional Information Regarding State Equalization Rates for the 2021 Assessment Rolls	Finance & Management
COMM. 13M-4	NYSDEC	Invitation for Public Comment - Application & Draft Remedial Investigation at 156 Chandler St., Buffalo	Energy & Environment

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS:

ADJOURNMENT: