



THE ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Session No. 14

July 8, 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. Hardwick

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mr. Meyers

TABLED ITEMS

ITEMS FOR RECONSIDERATION FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING – [Meeting No. 13](#)

PUBLIC HEARING

MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS:

HARDWICK	Remembering Sam Scinta, City of Tonawanda Civic Leader
LORIGO	Honoring East Aurora High School's Valedictorian and Salutatorian
LORIGO	Celebrating Rosie's Handcrafted Ice Cream on National Ice Cream Day
LORIGO	Celebrating The Caboose Ice Cream Station on National Ice Cream Day
LORIGO	Celebrating West Seneca's Kone King on National Ice Cream Day
LORIGO	Celebrating Kone King East on National Ice Cream Day
LORIGO	Celebrating Route 16 on National Ice Cream Day
LORIGO	Celebrating Nick Charlap's on National Ice Cream Day
MILLS	Honoring the Town of Orchard Park Upon the Historic Occasion of Its Centennial
MILLS	Honoring the Town of Evans Upon the Historic Occasion of Its Bicentennial
MILLS	Honoring Town of Evans Police Chief Douglas Czora Upon the Occasion of His Retirement
MILLS	Honoring Town of Evans Lieutenant Michael Masullo Upon the Occasion of His Retirement
MILLS	Honoring Spectrum Health and Human Services for Its Ribbon Cutting of Its Newly Renovated Springville Counseling Center
TODARO	Honoring Broadway Driving Range and Miniature Golf

TODARO	Honoring the Life of Michael Altenburg
TODARO	Honoring the Lancaster Town Band Upon the Occasion of Its 75th Anniversary
TODARO	Recognizing Dairy Queen in Cheektowaga on National Ice Cream Day
GREENE	Celebrating Paulter's Drive-In on National Ice Cream Day
GREENE	Celebrating Bubbaloos on National Ice Cream Day
GREENE	Celebrating Big Sings Ice Cream on National Ice Cream Day
GREENE	Recognizing July 28, 2021 as Watson's Milk Chocolate Day in Erie County
MEYERS	Remembering the Life of Michael "AB" Altenburg
VINAL	Remembering the Life of Jane Weber
MEYERS	Remembering the Life of Scott D. Hanel
VINAL	Congratulating and Recognizing Michael V. Ginestre as the New Superintendent of the Sweet Home Central School District
CHIMERA	Celebrating and Honoring Community Health Improvement Week 2021
JOHNSON	Celebrating African-American Music Appreciation Month, June 2021
MEYERS	Congratulating and Recognizing Scott Zipp as New Assistant Superintendent of the Cheektowaga Central School District
CHIMERA	Remembering the Life of Anthony N. Diina
JOHNSON	Honoring the City Honors Girls' Volleyball on Winning the 2021 Section VI Class B-1 Final
VINAL	Remembering the Life of Dr. Robert A. Milch
VINAL	Recognizing the Official Kickoff of the 2021 Williamsville Farmers Market

LOCAL LAWS:

REFERENCE:

LL INTRO. 1-1 1/31/2020	MEYERS, VINAL, BASKIN, JOHNSON, CHIMERA & HARDWICK	A LL titled, "The Jail Management Transparency and Accountability Act"	Public Safety
LL INTRO. 3-1 7/17/2020	VINAL	A LL titled, "The Business Procurement Enhancement and Promotion Act of 2020"	Small Business

LL INTRO. 5-1 7/17/2020	LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	A LL Requiring Timely Reports on County Mandated Business Closures Made Pursuant to Local or State Regulations	Government Affairs
LL INTRO. 8-1 12/1/20	LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	A LL titled, "Third Party Food Delivery Services Law"	Government Affairs
LL INTRO. 1-1 4/27/21	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. 12](#) ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

[REPORT No. 8](#) FINANCE & MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

LEGISLATOR RESOLUTIONS:

REFERENCE:

[INTRO. 14-1](#) BASKIN Appropriation of 2021 Public Benefit
Funding for FOCUS

COMMUNICATIONS DISCHARGED FROM COMMITTEE:

REFERENCE:

From the COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE:

[COMM. 12E-6
\(2021\)](#) COUNTY EXECUTIVE SUNY Erie 2021-2022 Budget

From the ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE:

[COMM. 13E-7
\(2021\)](#) COUNTY EXECUTIVE Buffalo & EC Botanical Gardens 2020
Replacement of Vents & Vent Control Systems

From the FINANCE & MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE:

[COMM. 13E-15
\(2021\)](#) COUNTY EXECUTIVE American Rescue Plan Omnibus Spending
Package - "RENEW Plan"

[COMM. 13E-16
\(2021\)](#) COUNTY EXECUTIVE Grant Budget Modification & New Position -
HIV Prevention within Communities of Color

SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:

REFERENCE:

[COMM. 14D-5](#) DIRECTOR OF BUDGET
& MANAGEMENT Midyear Budget Hearing Documents

- [Part A](#)
- [Part B](#)

COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:

REFERENCE:

[COMM. 14E-1](#) CHIMERA Resignation from EC Legislature RFP

[COMM. 14E-2](#) COMPTROLLER Requesting Authority to Contract -
External Quality Review of
EC Audit Division Finance &
Management

COMM. 14E-3	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Appointments to the EC Fisheries Advisory Board	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14E-4	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Reappointments to the EC Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board	Health & Human Services
COMM. 14E-5	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Appointments to the EC Mental Hygiene Community Services Board	Health & Human Services
COMM. 14E-6	BASKIN	Appointment of Lisa M. Chimera to Fill Vacancy in 3rd Legislative District	
COMM. 14E-7	DISTRICT ATTORNEY	Personnel Adjustment - District Attorney's Office	Public Safety
COMM. 14E-8	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Accept Funding from & Contract w/NYSDoH & Create New Positions	Health & Human Services
COMM. 14E-9	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Establish Construction Contingency - Shoreline Trail Enhancement Project	
COMM. 14E-10	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Accept Funding & Enter Contracts Providing Outreach & Application Assistance for COVID Emergency Rental Assistance Program	Health & Human Services
COMM. 14E-11	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Accept STSFP Funding & Enter Contract for Restorative Justice Training	Public Safety
COMM. 14E-12	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Accept Grant Award - Supplemental Opioid Mortality Review Board Funding	Health & Human Services
COMM. 14E-13	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Reimbursement to Training Center for COVID Related Sanitation Expenses	Health & Human Services
COMM. 14E-14	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	NYS DOT Agreement & Contract for Engineering Design Services, Town of Tonawanda & Village of Kenmore	Economic Development
COMM. 14E-15	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Contract Amendments for Reconstruction of Alden Crittenden Rd., Village of Alden & Town of Marilla	Economic Development
COMM. 14E-16	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Renewal of EC Soil & Water Conservation District Agreement - Stream Bank Maintenance, Road, Bridge & Culvert Scour Maintenance Program	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14E-17	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 3 - Engineer Term Contract Agreement	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14E-18	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	No Cost Contract Time Extension - Evans Shoreline Trail Phase 2	Economic Development

COMM. 14E-19	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD Nos. 1-6 & No. 8 - Board of Managers Resolutions	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14E-20	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD Nos. 1-6 & No. 8 - Professional Engineering Services Term Agreements	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14E-21	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Award of Construction Contract & Contract for Construction Phase - Two Mile Creek Greenway Trail, City of Tonawanda	Economic Development
COMM. 14E-22	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 1 - Slate Bottom Creek Sanitary Sewer Replacement Project	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14E-23	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Apply - NYSDEC Climate-Smart Communities Funding	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14E-24	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Apply - NYSDEC Organics Management & Food Waste Drop-off Program Funding	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14E-25	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Apply - NYSDEC Funding to Develop an EC Heat Emergency Plan	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14E-26	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Acceptance of Grant Funding - Supporting the Experience of Upstate Region Elders (SECURE)	Health & Human Services
COMM. 14E-27	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Reappointments to the Youth Services Board	Health & Human Services

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS:

REFERENCE:

COMM. 14D-1	COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE	Report on Capital Funds Available for SUNY Erie Roofing	Economic Development
COMM. 14D-2	DIRECTOR OF BUDGET & MANAGEMENT	Budget Monitoring Report for Period Ending 05/2021	Finance & Management
COMM. 14D-3	DEPARTMENT OF LAW	Transmittal of New Claim Against Erie County	Government Affairs
COMM. 14D-4	DEPARTMENT OF LAW	Local Emergency Order Extensions	Health & Human Services

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PEOPLE AND OTHER AGENCIES:

REFERENCE:

COMM. 14M-1	EC DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE	Letter to Clerk of Legislature Concerning Endorsement to Fill Vacancy in 3rd Legislative District	RFP
COMM. 14M-2	EC AGRICULTURAL & FARMLAND PROTECTION BOARD	2021 AFPB Report Regarding Modification & Consolidation of Marilla, Wales & Elma Agricultural Districts	Energy & Environment

COMM. 14M-3	NYSDEC	Public Notice - Program Application for Baseline Rd. & Grand Island Blvd., Grand Island	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14M-4	NYSDEC	Invitation for Public Comment - Program Application for 703 E. Delavan Ave., Buffalo	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14M-5	NYSDEC	Invitation for Public Comment - Program Application for Baseline Rd. & Grand Island Blvd., Grand Island	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14M-6	NYSDEC	Public Notice - Program Application for 703 E. Delavan Ave., Buffalo	Energy & Environment
COMM. 14M-7	GUN SENSE NEW YORK	Letter Concerning LL Intro. 1-1 (2021)	Energy & Environment

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS:

ADJOURNMENT: