



# THE ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Session No. 17  
September 23, 2021

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 – 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. 16](#)

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## PUBLIC HEARING

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## MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS:

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VINAL	<a href="#">Remembering Truman Beckley Brown</a>
BASKIN	<a href="#">Honoring and Recognizing Bishop John Harrison Young</a>
JOHNSON & BASKIN	<a href="#">Honoring the Hispanic Heritage Council in Celebration of National Hispanic Heritage Month</a>
BASKIN, MEYERS, LORIGO, JOHNSON, CHIMERA, HARDWICK, VINAL, GREENE, TODARO, GILMOUR & MILLS	<a href="#">Honoring Deaf Awareness Month and September 17-26, 2021 as Deaf Awareness Week in Erie County</a>
BASKIN, MEYERS, LORIGO, JOHNSON, CHIMERA, HARDWICK, VINAL, GREENE, TODARO, GILMOUR & MILLS	<a href="#">Honoring Deaf Access Services</a>
BASKIN	<a href="#">Celebrating and Honoring the 2021 Asian Food and Culture Festival</a>
LORIGO	<a href="#">Honoring Officers Abby Rave and John Pingitore</a>
LORIGO	<a href="#">Honoring Hailey Cenname for Her Athletic Accomplishments</a>
LORIGO	<a href="#">Honoring Geoff Kelly for His Career in Investigative Journalism</a>
TODARO	<a href="#">Honoring James B. Uebelhoer for His Ongoing Volunteerism and Service to the Alden Hook &amp; Ladder Fire Company</a>
TODARO	<a href="#">Honoring Robert L. Holtz for His Ongoing Volunteerism and Service to the Alden Hook &amp; Ladder Fire Company</a>
TODARO	<a href="#">Honoring Thomas S. Czechowski for His Ongoing Volunteerism and Service to the Alden Hook &amp; Ladder Fire Company</a>

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TODARO	<a href="#"><u>Honoring Roger Mueller for His Ongoing Volunteerism and Service to the Alden Hook &amp; Ladder Fire Company</u></a>
TODARO	<a href="#"><u>Honoring Leo E. Wagner for His Ongoing Volunteerism and Service to the Alden Hook &amp; Ladder Fire Company</u></a>
TODARO	<a href="#"><u>Honoring Ralph S. Airey for His Ongoing Volunteerism and Service to the Alden Hook &amp; Ladder Fire Company</u></a>
TODARO	<a href="#"><u>Honoring AfterCare Nursing Services on Their Newest Location in Lancaster</u></a>
TODARO	<a href="#"><u>Honoring Rotary Club of Lancaster-Depew Upon the Occasion of Its 100 Years of Service</u></a>
TODARO & MEYERS	<a href="#"><u>Honoring Cheektowaga Officers William Cookfair, Brendan Tomasulo, Joshua Donovan and Jeffre Scaglione</u></a>
TODARO	<a href="#"><u>Recognizing Denise Gonez-Santos Upon the Occasion of Their 30th Year of Employment at Erie 1 BOCES</u></a>
LORIGO	<a href="#"><u>Welcoming Bases Loaded Sports Collectibles to West Seneca</u></a>
GREENE	<a href="#"><u>Recognizing the Brave and Heroic Service of Officer Jonathan Howaniec</u></a>
GREENE	<a href="#"><u>Recognizing the Brave and Heroic Service of Officer Breanna Capitovic</u></a>
GREENE	<a href="#"><u>Recognizing the Brave and Heroic Service of Officer Heather Caputi</u></a>
GREENE	<a href="#"><u>Honoring Amherst Police Department Citizen Commendation Award Recipient Timothy McMurray</u></a>
MILLS	<a href="#"><u>Honoring and Recognizing Mary Beth Webster Upon the Occasion of Her Retirement from St. Aloysius Regional School</u></a>
MILLS	<a href="#"><u>Honoring and Recognizing Kimberly Moritz Upon the Occasion of Her Retirement</u></a>
MILLS	<a href="#"><u>Honoring and Recognizing Annalise Casciano on the Grand Opening of The Room Theatre Company</u></a>
MILLS	<a href="#"><u>Honoring and Recognizing Joe M. Hartman, Jr. as a Successful Young Entrepreneur at the 2021 Eden Farmer's Market</u></a>
MILLS	<a href="#"><u>Honoring and Recognizing Doggo Mafia on Its Grand Opening</u></a>
TODARO	<a href="#"><u>Honoring Judy Bowman for Her Commitment and Dedication to Helping Senior Citizens with Their Fitness Goals and Mental Well-Being</u></a>

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**LOCAL LAWS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<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
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 3-1 7/17/2020</a>	VINAL	A LL titled, "The Business Procurement Enhancement and Promotion Act of 2020"	Small Business
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 5-1 7/17/2020</a>	LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	A LL Requiring Timely Reports on County Mandated Business Closures Made Pursuant to Local or State Regulations	Government Affairs
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 8-1 12/1/20</a>	LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	A LL titled, "Third Party Food Delivery Services Law"	Government Affairs
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 2-1 7/20/21</a>	BASKIN, JOHNSON, VINAL & MEYERS	A LL titled, "The Erie County Minority and Women Business Enterprise Equality and Modernization Act of 2021"	Economic Development/ Minority & Women Business Enterprise
<a href="#">LL INTRO. 3-1 7/20/21</a>	BASKIN, MEYERS, VINAL & JOHNSON	A LL titled, "The Erie County Health Equity Act of 2021"	Health & Human Services

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

<a href="#">REPORT No. 13</a>	ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE
<a href="#">REPORT No. 10</a>	FINANCE & MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
<a href="#">REPORT No. 9</a>	HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE
<a href="#">REPORT No. 9</a>	PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
<a href="#">REPORT No. 14</a>	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
<a href="#">REPORT No. 6</a>	COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT COMMITTEE
<a href="#">REPORT No. 4</a>	GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

**LEGISLATOR RESOLUTIONS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">INTRO. 17-1</a>	LORIGO, GREENE, TODARO & MILLS	Calling on the County Executive to Publicly Release Any & All Information Presented to the County by Pegula Sports & Entertainment in Relation to Future Stadium & Arena Projects in WNY
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<a href="#">INTRO. 17-2</a>	BASKIN	Extending the Deadline for the EC Advisory Committee on Reapportionment to Issue Its Recommendations to the Legislature
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<a href="#">INTRO. 17-3</a>	LORIGO, TODARO, GREENE & MILLS	Urging the Buffalo Bills to Provide an Opt-In Exemption of a Recent Negative COVID-19 Test to Allow Attendance at Highmark Stadium & KeyBank Center
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**COMMUNICATIONS DISCHARGED FROM COMMITTEE:**

**REFERENCE:**

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**SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:**

**REFERENCE:**

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**COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">COMM. 17E-1</a>	BASKIN	Appointment to the ECCSAB	Public Safety
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<a href="#">COMM. 17E-2</a>	LORIGO	Replacement of Minority Leader Appointment to the EC Advisory Committee on Reapportionment	RFP
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<a href="#">COMM. 17E-3</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Escalator Renovation Bids - Buffalo & EC Main Library	Economic Development
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<a href="#">COMM. 17E-4</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Granting National Grid a Permanent Easement, Town of Tonawanda	Economic Development
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<a href="#">COMM. 17E-5</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Engineering Services for Design & Construction Phases - Chestnut Ridge Park, Orchard Park	Energy & Environment
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<a href="#">COMM. 17E-6</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	NYSDOT Multi-Modal Capital Project Agreements, Various Towns	Economic Development
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<a href="#">COMM. 17E-7</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	EC Youth Detention Facility HVAC Upgrades	Economic Development
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<a href="#">COMM. 17E-8</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	GIS Coordination Project Extension - WNY Stormwater Coalition	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 17E-9</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD Nos. 1, 3, 6 & 8 - Engineering Term Contract Agreement	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 17E-10</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Accept Benefit Enrollment Center 2021-2023 Grant Funding	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 17E-11</a>	COMPTROLLER	Sales Tax Receipt for 07/2021	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 17E-12</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE & SHERIFF	Body Camera Program Expansion & Contract Amendment	Public Safety
<a href="#">COMM. 17E-13</a>	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Acceptance of a Performance Incentive Initiative Award	Health & Human Services

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS:**

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">COMM. 17D-1</a>	DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, ENVIRONMENT & PLANNING	ECSD No. 3 - Southtowns Advanced Wastewater Treatment Facility Expansion	Energy & Environment
<a href="#">COMM. 17D-2</a>	DEPUTY COMPTROLLER	Law Department Spending - 07/2021	Finance & Management
<a href="#">COMM. 17D-3</a>	COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH	Updated Nursing Home Outbreak Information - 08/2021	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 17D-4</a>	COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH	EC COVID-19 Update	Health & Human Services
<a href="#">COMM. 17D-5</a>	DIRECTOR OF BUDGET & MANAGEMENT	CARES Act Coronavirus Relief Fund Consumption Report	Finance & Management

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

**REFERENCE:**

<a href="#">COMM. 17M-1</a>	WEST FALLS CONSERVATION SOCIETY	Letter Concerning LL Intro. 1-1 (2021)	R&F
<a href="#">COMM. 17M-2</a>	ASSOCIATION OF EC GOVERNMENTS	Letter Concerning INTRO. 15-6 (2021)	Public Safety
<a href="#">COMM. 17M-3</a>	MEMBERS OF EC EMERGENCY CHILD CARE TASK FORCE	Letter Concerning COMM. 16E-43 (2021)	R&F
<a href="#">COMM. 17M-4</a>	NYS SENATOR GALLIVAN	Letter to County Executive Concerning LL Intro. 1-1 (2021)	R&F

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<a href="#">COMM. 17M-5</a>	GUY R. MARLETTE	Resignation of 2021 EC Advisory Committee on Reapportionment	Government Affairs
<a href="#">COMM. 17M-6</a>	DANISE WILSON	Request for Time Extension for EC Advisory Committee on Reapportionment Report	Government Affairs

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS:**

**ADJOURNMENT:**