



THE ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Session No. 24
December 17, 2020

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. Rath

TABLED ITEMS

ITEMS FOR RECONSIDERATION FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING – [Meeting No. 22](#) & [Meeting No. 23](#)

PUBLIC HEARING

MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS:

JOHNSON	In Remembrance of Robert J. Kresse
CHIMERA	In Remembrance of Philip L. Haberstro IV
JOHNSON	Acknowledging and Honoring National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day
JOHNSON	In Remembrance of Pamela Darlene Wiggins
BASKIN	Congratulating and Recognizing the Opening of Mogadishu Food
GILMOUR	In Remembrance of Michael J. Burns
TODARO	Congratulating Hoffman's Driving Academy for Its Opening
TODARO	Congratulating The Black Sheep and Company on Their Grand Opening
MILLS	Honoring Shirley Church for Twenty Years of Dedicated Service to Erie County
MILLS	Honoring the Memory of Nan Ackerman
MILLS	Celebrating Bill Miller Upon the Occasion of His 100th Birthday
MILLS	Honoring James Lint for His Service to Our Nation
RATH	Honoring and Celebrating the Life of Robert J. Kresse
TODARO	Recognizing and Honoring Ali Jafari as an Outstanding Citizen and Exceptional Chiropractor
TODARO	Recognizing and Honoring Len Jankiewicz as an Impactful Teacher and Football Coach

TODARO	Congratulating Elderwood Lancaster for Its National Recognition
LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	Honoring and Thanking the Healthcare Workers in Our Community
RATH	Recognizing and Acknowledging Akron Acres in Celebrating Their 30th Anniversary
BASKIN, LORIGO, MEYERS, MILLS, VINAL, TODARO, JOHNSON, GILMOUR, HARDWICK & CHIMERA	Honoring Edward A. Rath, III for His Service as Erie County Legislator
LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	Honoring Linda Pellegrino Upon the Occasion of Her Retirement from Broadcasting
LORIGO	Recognizing the West Seneca Public Library and Its Staff Upon the Occasion of Its 85th Anniversary
LORIGO	Recognizing the Iroquois Central School District for Being Designated as a Best Community for Music Education

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. 2-1 3/3/2020	RATH	A LL banning individuals from holding elected offices or being appointed to certain boards or commissions who are convicted of certain felony charges otherwise known as the "Public Trust and Accountability Act"	Government Affairs
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. 6-1 10/7/20	MEYERS, BASKIN, JOHNSON, CHIMERA & VINAL	A LL titled, "The Energize NY Open C-PACE Financing Program of Erie County"	Energy & Environment

LL INTRO. 7-1 10/22/20	MEYERS, BASKIN & JOHNSON	A LL updating and reforming Erie County's Requirements for Lowest Responsible Bidding on County Construction Projects and Repealing and Replacing Local Law 1-2009 in its Entirety	Economic Development
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LL INTRO. 8-1 12/1/20	LORIGO, RATH, TODARO & MILLS	A LL titled, "Third Party Food Delivery Services Law"	Government Affairs
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COMMITTEE REPORTS:

REPORT No. 15	ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE
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REPORT No. 17	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
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REPORT No. 11	FINANCE & MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
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REPORT No. 11	PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
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LEGISLATOR RESOLUTIONS:

REFERENCE:

INTRO. 24-1	HARDWICK	Supporting the Creation of a Small Business Utility Support Program by the NYS Public Service Commission
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COMMUNICATIONS DISCHARGED FROM COMMITTEE:

REFERENCE:

From the Community Enrichment Committee:

COMM. 23E-3 (2020)	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Contract to Assist SUNY Erie in Presidential Search
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SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:

REFERENCE:

COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:

REFERENCE:

COMM. 24E-1	BASKIN	Letter to Legislature Clerk Concerning Time Change of Meeting on 12/3/2020	RFP
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COMM. 24E-2	BASKIN	Letter to Legislature Clerk Regarding Transition of Meetings on 12/17/2020	RFP
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COMM. 24E-3	BASKIN	2021 Schedule of Legislative Sessions	RFP
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COMM. 24E-4	BASKIN	Letter to Sheriff & Undersheriff Concerning COVID-19 Outbreak in Division of Jail Management	Public Safety
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COMM. 24E-5	SHERIFF	Letter to Chair Baskin Regarding Request to Attend Public Safety Committee Meeting	Public Safety
COMM. 24E-6	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Reappointment of Member of EC Board of Ethics	
COMM. 24E-7	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	2021 EC Budget as Amended - No Objections to Additions	RFP
COMM. 24E-8	LORIGO	Request for Health & Human Services Committee Meeting	Health & Human Services
COMM. 24E-9	SHERIFF	Authorization to Award Professional Services Contract for Correctional Health Comprehensive Occupational Health Software	Public Safety
COMM. 24E-10	COMPTROLLER	Letter to President of 43North Regarding Award of \$10,000	Finance & Management
COMM. 24E-11	BASKIN	Re-Appointment to the EC Agricultural & Farmland Protection Board	RFP
COMM. 24E-12	COUNTY CLERK	Personnel Adjustments - Registrar Division, 2021 Budget	
COMM. 24E-13	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Transfer of Surplus County Owned Parcel	
COMM. 24E-14	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Right-of-Way Acquisition - East West Rd. Rehabilitation	
COMM. 24E-15	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 6 - Closure of Capital Project	
COMM. 24E-16	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Levy & Apportionment of EC Real Property Tax for 2021	
COMM. 24E-17	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	2021 Levy of Town and Special District Budgets	
COMM. 24E-18	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Section 520 Exemption Charges for 2021	
COMM. 24E-19	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	SUNY Erie City Campus - 2018 Various ADA Upgrades	Economic Development
COMM. 24E-20	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Renaming 110 Franklin St. to Lincoln Building	
COMM. 24E-21	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	SUNY Erie South Campus - 2020 Cell Tower Amendment to Lease Agreement	Economic Development

COMM. 24E-22	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Adoption of Mall District Service Charge Roll for 2021	
COMM. 24E-23	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Feasibility Study for EC Seneca Bluffs Natural Habitat Infrastructure Project Amendment	
COMM. 24E-24	VINAL	Letter to Governor Regarding the Re-Opening of Salons	Government Affairs

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS:

REFERENCE:

COMM. 24D-1	DEPARTMENT OF LAW	Local Emergency Order Extensions	Health & Human Services
COMM. 24D-2	CLERK OF LEGISLATURE	Letter to Legislature Concerning Transition of Future Meetings to Virtual Meetings	RFP
COMM. 24D-3	DEPARTMENT OF LAW	Transmittal of New Claims Against EC	Government Affairs
COMM. 24D-4	COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH	Updated Nursing Home Outbreak Information - 11/28/2020	Health & Human Services
COMM. 24D-5	DIRECTOR OF BUDGET & MANAGEMENT	Budget Monitoring Report for Period Ending 10/2020	Finance & Management
COMM. 24D-6	COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE	Audit of Personnel Department Civil Service Exam Fee Revenues - 7/1/19 - 12/31/19	Finance & Management
COMM. 24D-7	COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH	Updated Nursing Home Outbreak Information - 12/5/2020	Health & Human Services
COMM. 24D-8	COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH	Letter to Chair of HHS Committee Regarding Delays in COVID-19 Contact Tracing	Health & Human Services
COMM. 24D-9	COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH	Updated Nursing Home Outbreak Information - 12/12/2020	Health & Human Services

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PEOPLE AND OTHER AGENCIES:

REFERENCE:

COMM. 24M-1	CSEA	Letter to Health Commissioner & County Executive Regarding EC Corrections COVID-19 Testing	Health & Human Services
COMM. 24M-2	NFTA	17A Report & Capital Expenditure Reports for First Quarter of FY Ending 3/31/21	Economic Development

[COMM. 24M-3](#)

NYSDEC

Fact Sheet - Completion of Brownfield Cleanup Program at 3100 Clinton St., West Seneca

Energy & Environment

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS:

ADJOURNMENT: