



# THE ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Session No. 7  
APRIL 10, 2025

Timothy J. Meyers  
*Chair*

John J. Gilmour  
*Majority Leader*

John J. Mills  
*Minority Leader*

Olivia M. Owens  
*Clerk of the Legislature*

## ROLL CALL

INVOCATION: Mr. Bargnesi

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Ms. St. Jean Tard

## TABLED ITEMS

## ITEMS FOR RECONSIDERATION FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING: [Meeting No. 6](#)

## PUBLIC HEARING

## MISCELLANEOUS RESOLUTIONS:

MAJORITY CAUCUS	Recognizing World Autism Awareness Day
MAJORITY CAUCUS	Recognizing National Fair Housing Month
MAJORITY CAUCUS	International Day of Reflection on the Rwanda Genocide
DUPRE	Honoring Colored Musicians Club Buffalo during National Jazz Appreciation Month
DUPRE	Recognizing the Grand Reopening and Mural Unveiling of the Isaías Gonzalez-Soto Branch Library
DUPRE	Honoring Jerry C. Bowman during National Vietnam Veterans Day
DUPRE	Honoring Elise Smith (OSB Cider Works) for Empowered Women Entrepreneurs Day
ST. JEAN TARD	Honoring Kat Tyler (EM Tea Coffee Cup Cafe) for Empowered Women Entrepreneurs Day
KOOSHOIAN & VINAL	In Remembrance of John Feroletto
KOOSHOIAN & BARGNESI	Recognizing Gigi's Playhouse during World Down Syndrome Day

KOOSHOIAN	Celebrating and Honoring Crenshaw Chicken and Waffles during International Waffle Day
KOOSHOIAN	Honoring Rachel Pepe (Clean Collective Refillery) for Empowered Women Entrepreneurs Day
BARGNESI	Honoring Honor Smoke - Citizen of the Month April 2025
BARGNESI	Honoring Janell Eason (Nikki's Chocolate) for Empowered Women Entrepreneurs Day
VINAL	Honoring Willie C. Roberson during National Vietnam Veterans Day
VINAL	Honoring Simone Fancher (Cheesy Chick) for Empowered Women Entrepreneurs Day
MEYERS	Honoring Shetice Jackson (Cake Crazy) for Empowered Women Entrepreneurs Day
TODARO	Recognizing Western New York Compassion Connection on Its Grand Opening
TODARO	Welcoming Lion Bette Stonebreaker Back to Lancaster
TODARO	Recognizing Meagan Carr for National Librarian Day
TODARO	Recognizing Kathleen Goodrich for National Librarian Day
TODARO	Recognizing Anthony Killinger for His Heroic Live Saving Action
GILMOUR	In Remembrance of John Bernard Owens
GILMOUR	Congratulating Lackawanna Boys Basketball - Section IV Class A2 Championship
GILMOUR	Honoring Anne McIntosh and Nicole Casell (Alchemy Wine and Beer) during Empowered Women Entrepreneurs Day
LORIGO	Recognizing the Parkinson's Southtowns Support Group of West Seneca during "Parkinson's Awareness Month"
LORIGO	Honoring Messinger Woods Wildlife Care &

Education Center on "National Volunteer Month"			
LORIGO	Celebrating East Aurora High School's Annual Arbor Day Tree Planting Ceremony		
LORIGO	Honoring The Greenskeepers of the Art's Cafe Green Roof on "National Garden Month"		
MILLS	Celebrating North Collins Library During National Library Week		
MILLS	Celebrating Orchard Park Library During National Library Week		
MILLS	Celebrating Hamburg Library During National Library Week		
MILLS	Celebrating Eden Library During National Library Week		
LOCAL LAWS:			
LL INTRO. 2-1 (2024)	LORIGO	The Tax Dollar Disclosure Act	Finance & Management
LL INTRO. 5-2 (2024)	BARGNESI	Amending the Erie County Charter in Relation to Term Lengths and Term Limits	Government Affairs
LL INTRO. 7-1 (2024)	KOOSHOIAN	The STUNT Law	Public Safety
COMMITTEE REPORTS:			
Report No. 5	ENERGY & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE		
Report No. 4	HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE		
Report No. 5	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE		
LEGISLATOR RESOLUTIONS:			
INTRO. 7-1	MEYERS	Resolution to Approve Eight-Year Review Modifications of Southeast Agricultural District 15	

COMMUNICATIONS DISCHARGED FROM COMMITTEE:

SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:

COMM. 7E-19	LORIGO	Letter of Absence for Session No. 7
INTRO. 7-2	ST. JEAN TARD	Re-Appropriation of Community/Neighborhood Development Funds

COMMUNICATIONS FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:

COMM. 7E-1	COMPTROLLER	EC Cultural Funding Grant Monitoring Program - Springville Center for the Arts	Finance & Management
COMM. 7E-2	COMPTROLLER	EC Cultural Funding Grant Monitoring Program - Buffalo Arts Studio Inc.	Finance & Management
COMM. 7E-3	COMPTROLLER	EC Cultural Funding Grant Monitoring Program - Irish Classical Theatre Company Inc.	Finance & Management
COMM. 7E-4	COMPTROLLER	EC Cultural Funding Grant Monitoring Program - Jewish Community Center	Finance & Management
COMM. 7E-5	COMPTROLLER	EC Cultural Funding Grant Monitoring Program - Hamburg Natural History Society, Inc.	Finance & Management
COMM. 7E-6	COMPTROLLER	Sales & Compensating Use Tax Report - Dec. 2024, Jan. & Feb. 2025	Finance & Management
COMM. 7E-7	COMPTROLLER	State Authorization for the Private Sale of Bonds or Notes by Negotiated Agreement	Immediate Consideration Requested
COMM. 7E-8	VINAL	FOIL on Granville	Public Safety
COMM. 7E-9	COMPTROLLER	Department of Law Risk Retention Fund Spending - February 2025	Government Affairs
COMM. 7E-10	MILLS	Letter Regarding the Potential Closure of Collins Correctional Facility	Public Safety
COMM. 7E-11	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Enter into Contract with Northern Red, Inc.	Immediate Consideration Requested

COMM. 7E-12	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Contract with the ECIDA for the Construction of Roads on the Former Bethlehem Steel Site	Immediate Consideration Requested
COMM. 7E-13	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Authorization to Contract with EC Fire Companies	Immediate Consideration Requested
COMM. 7E-14	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Office of Health Equity Budget Transfer	Immediate Consideration Requested
COMM. 7E-15	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	Department of Health Personnel Adjustments	Immediate Consideration Requested
COMM. 7E-16	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 3 - Engineer Term Contract Agreement (Work Order: RAM-4)	Energy & Environment
COMM. 7E-17	COUNTY EXECUTIVE	ECSD No. 3 - Southtowns Advanced Wastewater Treatment Facility	Energy & Environment
COMM. 7E-18	MEYERS	Appointment of Commissioner of the ECWA	Immediate Consideration Requested

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS:

COMM. 7D-1	DIRECTOR OF REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES	Cost to Prepare Village Tax Rolls & Bills	RFP
COMM. 7D-2	DIRECTOR OF REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES	Cost to Prepare City of Tonawanda Tax Rolls & Bills	RFP
COMM. 7D-3	DIRECTOR OF REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES	Cost to Prepare School District Tax Rolls & Bills	RFP
COMM. 7D-4	DIRECTOR OF REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES	Cost to Prepare City of Lackawanna Tax Rolls & Bills	RFP
COMM. 7D-5	COUNTY ATTORNEY	Transmittal of New Claims Against Erie County	Government Affairs
COMM. 7D-6	DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF DEPT. OF ENV. & PLANNING	Annual Climate Action Update	Energy & Environment
COMM. 7D-7	PRINCIPAL PLANNER OF DEP	Minutes from Public Hearing on Proposed Modifications to	Energy & Environment

Agricultural District			
COMM. 7D-8	COMMISSIONER OF ECDSS	COMM. 12E-34 Compliance Report	Health & Human Services

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

COMM. 7M-1	ASSEMBLYMEMBER MOLITOR	Acknowledgment of Receiving INTRO. 5-4 (2025)	Government Affairs
COMM. 7M-2	ASSIGNED COUNSEL PROGRAM	Annual Funding Contract - Paragraph 8(b) Reporting	Government Affairs
COMM. 7M-3	PRESIDENT OF THE BAR ASSOCIATION OF EC	Re-Appointment to the ECCSAB	Public Safety
COMM. 7M-4	C&S ENGINEERS, INC.	Buffalo & EC Industrial Land Development Corporation - WYE Yard Relocation Project	Energy & Environment
COMM. 7M-5	CITIZENS FOR TRANSPARENCY IN GOVERNMENT	Thank You Letter & Comments on ECSO	Public Safety
COMM. 7M-6	NFTA	Revised Annual Budget for FYE 2026	Economic Development
COMM. 7M-7	ECMCC	2024 Annual Report of ECMCC	Health & Human Services
COMM. 7M-8	ASSEMBLYMEMBER SEMPOLINSKI	Acknowledgment of Receiving INTRO 4-3 (2025)	Government Affairs
COMM. 7M-9	TOWN OF LANCASTER SUPERVISOR	Letter of Thanks Regarding the Zombie Property Task Force	Economic Development

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS:**

**ADJOURNMENT:**