

**COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATION
AGENDA
MONDAY, MARCH 17, 2008, 1:30 P.M.**

MINUTES:

February 11, 2008

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION:

21. New York State Home Rule resolution authorizing John O'Leary to apply for retroactive membership in the NYS Retirement System.

6. Local Law to establish an at-store recycling program for plastic bags.

A. REFERRALS:

4. COUNTY EXECUTIVE: **Hand-Held Wireless Devices:** Local Law to prohibit use of hand-held wireless devices while operating a motor vehicle. **PSS, 1/22/08**

5. COUNTY EXECUTIVE: **Fair Housing Law:** Local Law in relation to the adoption of the Westchester County Fair Housing Law. **GO, 1/22/08**

6. COUNTY EXECUTIVE: **Plastic Bags Recycling Program:** Local Law to establish an At-Store Recycling Program for Plastic Bags. **E&E, 1/22/08**

7. COUNTY EXECUTIVE: **Green Building Requirements:** Local Law requiring certain public works projects conforms to green building requirements. **E&E, 1/22/08**

8. COUNTY EXECUTIVE: **Septage Removal Reimbursement:** Local Law establishing a program to reimburse for costs associated with routine septage removal and inspection services relative to separate sewage disposal systems. **E&E, 1/22/08**

10. COUNTY EXECUTIVE: **Source Separation Requirements:** Local Law with respect to Source Separation Requirements for Residential and Non-Residential Waste Generators and Penalties. **E&E, 1/22/08**

11. HON. THOMAS ABINANTI: **Drainage and Flood Management Agency:** Local Law providing for the designation of a Drainage and Flood Management Agency. **E&E, 1/22/08**

12. HON. THOMAS ABINANTI: **Job Sharing Program:** Act establishing a Job Sharing Program that allows two County employees to voluntarily share duties of one full-time position. **GO, 1/22/08**

13. HON. JUDY MYERS: **Display Calorie Content Values:** Local Law requiring chain food service establishments to display calorie content values for menu items. **CS, 1/22/08**

14. **HON. JUDY MYERS:** *Cough Suppressants:* Suffolk County Local Law prohibiting the sale of cold medicine or cough suppressants containing DXM to youngsters under the age of 19. **CS, 1/22/08**
15. **HON. JUDY MYERS:** *Smoking Ban:* Forwarding a packet of information with regard to banning smoking in cars when children are present. **CS, 1/22/08**
16. **HON. GEORGE OROS, HON. JAMES MAISANO, & HON. GORDON BURROWS:** *Board of Acquisition & Contract:* Local Law relating to the composition, powers, procedures, and the award of contracts by the Board of Acquisition and Contracts. **B&A, 1/22/08**
18. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Lawn Fertilizer Application:* Local Law establishing regulations for lawn fertilizer application and sale within the County of Westchester. **E&E, 2/11/08**
19. **HON. THOMAS ABINANTI:** *Suggested 2008 Joint State Package:* Communication requests for inclusion in the 2008 State Legislative Package. **2/11/08**
20. **HON. LOIS BRONZ:** *Speed Cameras:* Correspondence from the Greenburgh Supervisor requesting state legislation authorizing the use of speed cameras. **2/11/08**
21. **HON. GEORGE OROS:** *NYS Home Rule Request:* A7593/S5985 authorizing John P. O'Leary to apply for retroactive membership in the New York State and Local Employee Retirement System. **2/11/08**
22. **HON. JUDY MYERS:** *Displaying Calorie Information:* Article on NYC Board of Health's vote to require chain restaurants to display calorie information. **CS, 2/11/08**
23. **HON. THOMAS ABINANTI:** *Regulating Fuel Content:* Local law regulating the high sulfur content for heating and hot water. **E&E, 2/11/08**
24. **HON. THOMAS ABINANTI:** *Efficient Capital Projects:* Local Law establishing requirements of green building standards for certain county-owned or county-funded projects. **E&E, 2/11/08**
25. **HON. JAMES MAISANO & HON. VITO PINTO:** *Prohibiting Alcoholic Beverages to Minors:* Local Law prohibiting, and establishing fines for, hosting, allowing, entertaining, organizing, permitting, or suffering a party, gathering or event where minors are present and alcoholic beverages are being consumed by a minor. **3/11/08**
26. **HON. PETER HARCKHAM:** *Opposition to Governor's Budget Bill:* Correspondence from the Westchester County Association of Tax Receivers and Collectors in opposition to the 2008 Governor's Budget Bill, Part T. **3/11/08**

27. **HON. PETER HARCKHAM:** *DWI Vehicle Forfeiture Law*: Correspondence requesting vehicle forfeiture legislation be drafted. **PSS, 3/11/08**

28. **HON. GEORGE OROS:** *Issuing Bad Checks*: Correspondence requesting the Board use the New York State Penal Law with regard to the issuance of bad checks as a guide to establish a Westchester County law. **3/11/08**

29. **HON. JOHN NONNA:** *Volunteer Firefighters Tax Credit*: Forwarding correspondence from North White Plains Fire Company #1 with regard to a tax credit for volunteer firefighters. **B&A, 3/11/08**

30. **HON. THOMAS ABINANTI:** *Drinking Age*: Correspondence of an article entitled "Vermont Eyes Lowering the Drinking Age". **3/11/08**

31. **HON. THOMAS ABINANTI:** *Shark Fin Products*: Local Law to prohibit the sale and provision of shark fin soup and other shark derived products. **3/11/08**

B. BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPOINTMENTS

A1. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Board of Plumbing Examiners*: Appointing Serino Carpentieri as a member of the Board of Plumbing Examiners. **1/22/08**

A2. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board*: Reappointing Garrett T. Doering as a member of the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board. **1/22/08**

B6. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Airport Advisory Board-DeMilio*: Reappointing Peter DeMilio as a member of the Airport Advisory Board. **2/11/08**

B7. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Council for Seniors-Kennedy*: Appointing Sister Geraldine A. Kennedy, as a member of the Council for Seniors, representing the 14th LD. **2/11/08**

B15. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Airport Advisory Board-Berman*: Reappointing Edward M. Berman as the Town of North Castle representative member of the Airport Advisory Board. **2/11/08**

B16. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Airport Advisory Board-Skinner*: Reappointing George Skinner as an at-large member of the Airport Advisory Board. **2/11/08**

B17. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Airport Advisory Board-Gilbert*: Reappointing Robert F. Gilbert as the Town of New Castle representative member of the Airport Advisory Board. **2/11/08**

B18. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Taxi & Limousine Commission-Howard*: Appointing Maxine D. Howard as a member of the Taxi and Limousine Commission. **2/11/08**

- B19. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Airport Advisory Board-Tynan:* Reappointing Timothy Tynan as an at-large member of the Airport Advisory Board. **2/11/08**
- B25. **HON. WILLIAM RYAN:** *Board of Health-Spicer:* Correspondence recommending the appointment of John Spicer to the Board of Health as the City of New Rochelle representative member. **2/11/08**
- B26. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Traffic Safety Board-Coleman:* Reappointment of Jeffrey Coleman as a member of the Westchester County Traffic Safety Board. **3/11/08**
- B27. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Traffic Safety Board - Menzel:* Reappointment of Chief Christian Menzel as a member of the Westchester County Traffic Safety Board. **3/11/08**
- B28. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Fire Advisory Board-Mignone:* Reappointment of Albert Mignone as a member of the Westchester County Fire Advisory Board. **3/11/08**
- B29. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Transportation Board - Clark:* Reappointment of Thomas L. Clark, Jr., as a member of the Westchester County Transportation Board. **3/11/08**
- B30. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Board of Plumbing Examiners - Royce:* Reappointment of John D. Royce as a plumbing code enforcement representative member of the Westchester County Board of Plumbing Examiners. **3/11/08**
- B31. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Professional Prequalification Board - Mottarella:* Appointment of George J. Mottarella, P.E., P.L.S., as a land surveyor representative member of the Westchester County Professional Prequalification Board. **3/11/08**
- B32. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Transportation Board - Streicher:* Reappointment of Richard P. Streicher as an at-large member of the Westchester County Transportation Board. **3/11/08**
- B33. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Airport Advisory Board - Dashow:* Reappointment of Robert A. Dashow as the Town of Rye representative member of the Westchester County Airport Advisory Board. **3/11/08**
- B34. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Traffic Safety Board - Meier:* Reappointment of Thomas G. Meier as a member of the Westchester County Traffic Safety Board. **3/11/08**
- B35. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Public Utility Service Agency - Cavaluzzi:* Reappointment of Gerard P. Cavaluzzi as a member of the Westchester County Public Utility Service Agency. **3/8/08**
- B36. **COUNTY EXECUTIVE:** *Hispanic Advisory Board - DeRosa:* Reappointment of Sylvia Escala DeRosa as a member of the Westchester County Hispanic Advisory Board. **3/8/08**