## WESTCHESTER COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS COMMITTEE ON BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS MEETING JOINT WITH PUBLIC WORKS, PARKS, LABOR, TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY MINUTES MAY 17, 2010

**MEMBERS B&A:** Acting Chair: Martin Rogowsky,

Legislators: Burton, Harckham, Myers,

Ryan, Spreckman

MEMBERS OF PUBLIC WORKS, PARKS, LABOR, TRANSPORTATION:

Chair: Bill Ryan, Legislators: Burrows,

Myers, Rogowsky, A. Williams

MEMBERS OF PUBLIC SAFETY & SECURITY: Chair: Martin

Rogowsky, Legislators: Burton, Burrows,

Harckham, Myers, Nonna, Ryan

**IN ATTENDANCE: DES:** A.W. Sutton, **Intern:** Hope Corbin;

Budget: Arthur Vietro; Law: Stacey Dolgin

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Acting Chair Rogowsky of Budget & Appropriations and Chair Rogowsky of Public Safety called the two committees to order at 10:10 a.m.

A60. Act WCHCC Radiation Detection Equip: This act is to enter into a five year agreement with the Medical Center to provide radiation detection equipment which will keep the institution clean from radiological contamination. The equipment was obtained through a grant from the NYS Office of Homeland Security. This agreement may be terminated upon thirty days written notice. The County will be entering into contracts with other hospitals in the County. On the motion of Legislator Burton, seconded by Legislator Myers for Budget & Appropriations, the motion was carried by a vote of 6-0 (Spreckman, Rogowsky, Ryan, Burton, Myers, Harckham) and on the motion of Legislator Harckham, seconded by Legislator Myers for Public Safety, the motion was passed by a vote of 7-0 (Nonna, Rogowsky, Ryan, Burton, Myers, Harckham, Burrows).

Chair Rogowsky asked the Commissioner how many people worked for DES. There are 77 employees plus hourly's and volunteers. Six of the employees are paid through grants. Chair Rogowsky said the Public Safety Committee will invite the Commissioner back to devote more time to discuss the DES department.

On the motion of Legislator Burton, seconded by Legislator Nonna, the Public Safety Committee was adjourned at 10:37 a.m.

Chair Ryan called the Committee on Public Works, Parks, Labor Transportation to order at 10:38 a.m.

Safety Improvements A0063 Env. Res. and A64. Drainage Safety Improvements A0063-Act: Due to a prior commitment, Commissioner Salley was unable to attend but he was contacted by telephone. This project would allow the County to accept a grant totaling \$360,000 from the FAA, \$20,000 from the NYSDOT and the Airport Special Revenue Funds would contribute approximately \$20,000. The improvements would affect Taxiway A. In this area, the Blind Brook is exposed and at a point runs through a culvert. A berm is being put up to prevent aircraft on the taxiway from sliding off and the culvert will also be reinforced. On the motion of Legislator Burton, seconded by Legislator Spreckman for Budget & Appropriations, the motion was carried by a vote of 6-0 (Rogowsky, Ryan, Spreckman, Burton, Myers, Harckham). Public Works was recessed at 10:45 a.m. to resume at the call of the Chair.

On the motion of Legislator Burton, seconded by Legislator Harckham, the minutes of Budget & Appropriations of May 10 were approved with corrections.

On the motion of Legislator Burton, seconded by Legislator Harckham, Budget & Appropriations was adjourned at 10:47 a.m.

At 10:50 a.m. Public Works was called back into session by Chair Ryan to vote on A63 and A64. On the motion of Legislator Rogowsky, seconded by Legislator Myers, the motion was carried by a vote of 4-0 (Ryan, Myers, Rogowsky, A. Williams).

On the motion of Legislator Rogowsky, seconded by Legislator Myers, Public Works was adjourned at 10:52 a.m.