

County of Albany

*Harold L. Joyce
Albany County Office Building
112 State Street - Albany, NY 12207*



Meeting Minutes

Thursday, May 1, 2025

5:00 PM

**Harold L. Joyce Albany County Office Building
Cahill Room - First Floor**

Health Committee

PREVIOUS BUSINESS:

Present: Raymond F. Joyce, Robert J. Beston, Zach Collins,
Patrice Lockart and Susan Pedo

Excused: Carolyn McLaughlin, Matthew J. Miller and Mark A.
Robinson

1. APPROVING PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

A motion was made that the previous meeting minutes be approved. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

APPROVING PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES**2. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. "P" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK AMENDING CHAPTER 242 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE TO PROVIDE A LOCAL LICENSING SYSTEM FOR TOBACCO AND RELATED PRODUCTS**

This proposal was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

3. LOCAL LAW NO. "P" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK AMENDING CHAPTER 242 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE TO PROVIDE A LOCAL LICENSING SYSTEM FOR TOBACCO AND RELATED PRODUCTS

This Local Law was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

4. LOCAL LAW NO. "B" FOR 2025: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK AMENDING CHAPTER ____ OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE, SETTING FORTH REQUIREMENTS THAT THE ALBANY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH NOTIFY LOCAL OFFICIALS REGARDING ELEVATED CONTAMINANT LEVELS FOUND IN DRINKING WATER IN ALBANY COUNTY

This Local Law was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

5. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH ELLIS HOSPITAL REGARDING MORGUE AND LABORATORY SERVICES

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

CURRENT BUSINESS:

6. AMENDING THE 2025 DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET: MOTOR PROGRAM

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

7. AMENDING THE 2025 DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET: SECOND CHANCE OPPORTUNITIES, INC.

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

8. AMENDING THE 2025 ALBANY COUNTY BUDGET: JAIL-BASED ADDICTION SERVICES

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

9. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REGARDING THE DRINKING WATER ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM AND AMENDING THE 2025 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH BUDGET

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

10. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AIDS INSTITUTE/HEALTH RESEARCH, INC. REGARDING THE EXPANDED PARTNER SERVICES PROGRAM

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

11. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. "B" FOR 2025: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK AMENDING CHAPTER ___ OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE, SETTING FORTH REQUIREMENTS THAT THE ALBANY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH NOTIFY LOCAL OFFICIALS REGARDING ELEVATED CONTAMINANT LEVELS FOUND IN DRINKING WATER IN ALBANY COUNTY

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation as amended. The motion amended by a unanimous vote.