

County of Albany

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



Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

6:00 PM

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

Law Committee

PREVIOUS BUSINESS:

1. APPROVING PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

Sponsors: Law Committee

Attachments: [07-30-25 Law Minutes](#)

2. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. "E" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK AMENDING CHAPTER 146 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE TO INCLUDE A PROHIBITION ON THE USAGE OF HAZARDOUS WASTE ASH IN PRODUCTS

Sponsors: Reinhardt, Simpson and Miller

Attachments: [24-LL-E IND - Waste Ash LL 2024 - updated 7.24.24](#)
[24-215 IND - TMP-5359 - PH LL E - Waste Ash PH](#)

3. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. "L" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK ESTABLISHING CHAPTER 112 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE TO CREATE A PUBLIC ART FUND

Sponsors: Reidy

Attachments: [24-LL-L IND - Public Art Law](#)
[24-420 IND - PH LL L Public Art Law](#)

4. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. "N" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK, AMENDING THE ALBANY COUNTY CHARTER AND LOCAL LAW NO. 8 FOR 1993 AS AMENDED

Sponsors: Cunningham

Attachments: [24-576 IND - Charter Amendment PH](#)
[Charter Amendment Final ME](#)
[Charter Amendment Final ME clean copy](#)

5. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. "T" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK AMENDING CHAPTER 288 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE, ESTABLISHING A MINIMUM PASSING DISTANCE FOR MOTOR VEHICLES

Sponsors: Fein, Laurilliard, A. Joyce, Miller, Efekoro and Reinhardt

Attachments: [24-LL-T IND - Safe Passing Law Version 3.1](#)
[24-823 IND - PH T Safe Passing Law](#)

6. AMENDING THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE TO REQUIRE A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY TO ADOPT A TAX INCREASE

Sponsors: Drake

7. AMENDING VARIOUS RESOLUTIONS FOR THE PURPOSE OF REVISING THE COMPOSITION OF CERTAIN BOARDS

Sponsors: Mauriello

Attachments: [25-093 IND - Board Comp Reso](#)

8. LOCAL LAW NO. "E" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK AMENDING CHAPTER 146 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE TO INCLUDE A PROHIBITION ON THE USAGE OF HAZARDOUS WASTE ASH IN PRODUCTS

Sponsors: Reinhardt, Simpson and Fein

Attachments: [24-LL-E IND - Waste Ash LL 2024 - updated](#)

9. LOCAL LAW NO. "L" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK ESTABLISHING CHAPTER 112 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE TO CREATE A PUBLIC ART FUND

Sponsors: Reidy and Kuhn

10. LOCAL LAW NO. "N" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK, AMENDING THE ALBANY COUNTY CHARTER AND LOCAL LAW NO. 8 FOR 1993 AS AMENDED

Sponsors: Cunningham and Willingham

Attachments: [Charter Amendment Final ME](#)
[Charter Amendment Final ME clean copy](#)

11. 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

Sponsors: Cunningham, Willingham, McLean Lane, McLaughlin and Miller

Attachments: [24-LL-P IND - Tobacco Retail License Final](#)

12. LOCAL LAW NO. "T" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK AMENDING CHAPTER 288 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE, ESTABLISHING A MINIMUM PASSING DISTANCE FOR MOTOR VEHICLES

Sponsors: Fein, Laurilliard, A. Joyce and Miller

Attachments: [24-LL-T IND - Safe Passing Law Version 3.1](#)

13. LOCAL LAW NO. "U" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK, PROVIDING FOR A CHANGE IN THE SALARY OF A COUNTY OFFICER DURING THEIR TERM OF OFFICE

Sponsors: Cunningham

Attachments: [24-LL-U IND - Deputy Chair Compensation](#)

14. LOCAL LAW NO. "G" FOR 2025: A LOCAL LAW DESIGNATING THE DEVELOPMENT OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING AS A GOVERNMENTAL AND PUBLIC PURPOSE OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK

Sponsors: Cunningham, Willingham, Feeney, Alix, Beston, Cleary, Efekoro, Ethier, Gillespie, Lane, Laurilliard, Lekakis, Miller, Pedo, Plotsky, Ricard, Rosano, Whalen, Commisso, Fein, R. Joyce, Kuhn, Mayo, Reidy, Reinhardt and Simpson

Attachments: [25-LL-G IND - Albany County Local Law--Affordable Housing As A Public Purpose \(Ind. Exchange\)](#)
[25-LL-G IND - Albany County Local Law--Affordable Housing As A Public Purpose \(8.25.25 Edits\)](#)

CURRENT BUSINESS:

15. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF VICTIM SERVICES REGARDING THE VICTIM ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM

Sponsors: Law Committee

Attachments: [TMP-6747 CVSVC-OVS RLA cover letter](#)
[RLA Form 6747](#)
[C00047GM County of Albany- CVSVC](#)
[Res 291 of 2022 \(3\)](#)

16. AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 217 FOR 2023 REGARDING THE FOURTH COUNSEL AT FIRST APPEARANCE GRANT

Sponsors: Law Committee

Attachments: [RLA 6701 Cover Letter - Signed.pdf](#)
[RLA Form 6701](#)
[Extension FORM to 12-31-2026-Albany-CAFA401.pdf](#)
[00-Approved Contract-Albany-4th CAFA-CAFA401.pdf](#)
[Resolution 23-217 - Authorizing 4th CAFA Grant.pdf](#)

17. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES REGARDING THE AID TO DEFENSE PROGRAM

Sponsors: Law Committee

Attachments: [RLA 6702 Cover Letter - Signed.pdf](#)
[RLA Form 6702](#)
[Aid to Defense Grant Award 4.1.24 - 3.31.25.pdf](#)
[Aid to Defense Grant Award 4.1.25 - 3.31.26.pdf](#)
[Reso 24-180 Authorizing Aid to Defense Grant 4.1.23 - 3.31.24.pdf](#)

18. AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 184 FOR 2024 REGARDING THE DISTRIBUTION #11 GRANT

Sponsors: Law Committee

Attachments: [RLA 6703 Cover Letter - Signed.pdf](#)
[RLA Form 6703](#)
[Extension FORM to 12-31-26-Albany-11-C110001.pdf](#)
[00-Approved Contract-Albany-11-C110001.pdf](#)
[Reso 24-122 Extending Distribution 11 and Amending 2024 Budget.pdf](#)
[Reso 24-184 Authorizing Distribution #11 1.1.21 - 12.31.23.pdf](#)

19. AUTHORIZING AGREEMENTS WITH THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES REGARDING THE ALTERNATIVES TO INCARCERATION PROGRAM

Sponsors: Law Committee

Attachments: [RLA 6708 Cover Letter - Signed.pdf](#)
[RLA Form 6708](#)
[Award Notice - Albany County - 13A Block Grant 7.1.25 - 6.30.26 - CY 2025.pdf](#)
[Reso 24-410 Authorizing Alternatives to Incarceration Grant Award 7.1.24 - 6.30.25.pdf](#)