

County of Albany

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Albany County Office Building
112 State Street - Albany, NY 12207*



Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, February 26, 2025

6:00 PM

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

Law Committee

PREVIOUS BUSINESS:

Present: Dustin M. Reidy, Dennis A. Feeney, Susan C. Laurilliard,
Carolyn McLaughlin, Victoria Plotsky, Bill L. Ricard, Paul
J. Burgdorf and Jeff S. Perlee

Excused: Jeffrey D. Kuhn

1. APPROVING PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

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

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

This proposal was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

3. REQUIRING PROGRAMMATIC INFORMATION IN REQUESTS FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION AND CODIFYING EXISTING PRACTICES

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a negative recommendation. The motion passed with Burgdorf and Perlee opposed.

4. 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

This proposal was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

5. 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

This proposal was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

6. 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.

7. 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

This proposal was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

8. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED 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

This proposal was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

9. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. "A" FOR 2025: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK, AMENDING THE ALBANY COUNTY CHARTER AND LOCAL LAW NO. 8 FOR 1993 AS AMENDED, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CLARIFYING SALARIES FOR LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

This proposal was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

10. LOCAL LAW NO. "A" FOR 2025: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK, AMENDING THE ALBANY COUNTY CHARTER AND LOCAL LAW NO. 8 FOR 1993 AS AMENDED, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CLARIFYING SALARIES FOR LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

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

11. 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

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

12. 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

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

13. 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 TO PROVIDE FOR AN OFFICE OF MEDICAL EXAMINER

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

14. 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.

15. LOCAL LAW NO. "R" 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 TO INCORPORATE CERTAIN UNITS OF COUNTY GOVERNMENT

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

16. LOCAL LAW NO. "S" 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 TO ADJUST THE MONETARY THRESHOLD OF THE BOARD OF CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION

A motion was made to move this Local Law forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

17. 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

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

18. 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

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

CURRENT BUSINESS:

19. AMENDING CHAPTER 364 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE TO EXPAND THE ALBANY COUNTY FLAG POLICY

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

20. CREATING A GENERATIVE ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE POLICY WORKING GROUP TO EXAMINE CREATING AN ALBANY COUNTY GENERATIVE ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE POLICY

This proposal was withdrawn at the request of the Sponsor.

**21. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH AXON ENTERPRISE, INC.
REGARDING DIGITAL EVIDENCE STORAGE AND MANAGEMENT**

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

**22. AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 74 FOR 2022, AS AMENDED,
REGARDING THE THIRD COUNSEL AT FIRST APPEARANCE GRANT**

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

**23. REQUESTING THE NEW YORK STATE LIQUOR AUTHORITY TO
CHANGE THE HOURS FOR SALE OF WINE AND LIQUOR IN ALBANY
COUNTY**

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