



MONROE COUNTY

Recreation and Education Committee

October 25, 2021 6:00 PM

AGENDA

- A. ROLL CALL
- B. PUBLIC FORUM
- C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

September 27, 2021

- D. NEW BUSINESS

21-0364

Amend the Monroe County Budget and Resolution 211 of 2020 to Increase Monroe County's Contribution to Monroe Community College for the Payment of Tech Fees for the 2021-2022 School Year - Legislators George J. Hebert and Ernest Flagler-Mitchell

- E. OTHER MATTERS
- F. ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the Recreation and Education Committee will be held on November 22, 2021 at 6:00 P.M.



ATTACHMENTS:

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Summary of Minutes
RECREATION AND EDUCATION COMMITTEE
September 27, 2021
6:00 p.m.

Chairman Allkofer called the meeting to order at 6:03 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Frank X. Allkofer (Chair), Karla F. Boyce (vice chair), Blake Keller, Ernest S. Flagler-Mitchell (RMM), John Baynes, Dr. Joe Carbone (Ex-Officio)

OTHER LEGISLATORS PRESENT: Steve Brew, George Hebert, Howard S. Maffucci

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Jeff McCann (Deputy County Executive), Robert Franklin (CFO), John Bringewatt (County Attorney), Laura Smith (Chief Deputy County Attorney), Robert Franklin (CFO), Don Crumb (County Law), Patrick Meredith (Director Parks Department)

PUBLIC FORUM: There were no speakers.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of August 23, 2021 were approved as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS:

21-0344- Acceptance of a Grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Services to Update the Guest Experience at the Seneca Park Zoo Animal Hospital - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Keller, SECONDED by Legislator Boyce.

ADOPTED: 5-0

21-0345- Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation for the Snowmobile Trail Development and Maintenance Program and Authorize Contracts with the Hilton Sno-Flyers, Inc., Webster Ridge Runners Snowmobile Club, Inc., Salmon Creek Snowmobile Club, Inc., and Hill and Gully Riders, Inc. for the Development and Maintenance of Trails - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Keller, SECONDED by Legislator Boyce.

ADOPTED: 5-0

21-0358- Authorize an Increase to the Contract with Greater Rochester Visitors Association, Inc. to Provide Management, Planning, and Production of the Monroe County Bicentennial Celebration and Authorize an Interdepartmental Appropriation Transfer - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Boyce, SECONDED by Legislator Keller.

FAILED: 1-4 (*Legislators Allkofer, Boyce, Keller, and Flagler-Mitchell voted in the negative.*)

21-0362- Authorize License and Operating Agreements with the Seneca Park Zoo Society, Inc. and SSA Group, LLC for the Seneca Park Zoo - As a Matter of Importance- County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Keller, SECONDED by Legislator Boyce.

ADOPTED: 5-0

OTHER MATTERS

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no other matters, Chairman Allkofer adjourned the meeting at 6:21 p.m.

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Respectfully Submitted,
Ian Watkins
2nd Assistant Deputy Clerk of the Legislature



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Substitution



Monroe County Legislature

GEORGE J. HEBERT
LEGISLATOR - DISTRICT 15

October 25, 2021

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Honorable Legislators:

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It is the aim of the Monroe County Legislature to ensure that our residents are receiving the most affordable education possible. In light of that goal, it is our intention to fully fund the 2021-2022 Technology Fee increase levied on students during this academic year. These fees have increased dramatically in the past year due to necessary technology improvements throughout the facility. By covering the increase in fees, we will be making not only our students' education more affordable during the financially challenging times of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The specific legislative actions required are:

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Funds will be restricted for the express purpose of reimbursing Monroe Community College students the amount charged as a result of the increase in technology fees for the College's 2021-2022 fiscal year.

The legislative action requested in this referral is not an "Action," as that term is defined in 6 NYCRR § 617.2(b), and is not subject to review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

This action will have no impact on the revenues or expenditures of the current Monroe County budget.

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