

THIRD DAY

TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 2025

Legislature met pursuant to adjournment.

President Yversha Román in the Chair.

ROLL CALL

Present – Legislators Barnhart, Bartholomew McCoy, Baynes, Blankley, Bonnick, Brew, Burgess, Ciardi, Colby, Delvecchio Hoffman, DiFlorio*, Dondorfer, Frazier, Hasman, Hughes-Smith, Johns, Keller, Long, Maffucci, McCabe, McIntyre, Milne, Morris, Román, Sinclair, Smith, Vazquez Simmons, Yudelson – 28

Absent – Cruz - 1

**Legislator participated in the meeting via Videoconference.*

MOMENT OF PRAYER

The meeting formally opened. Reverend Cheryl Frank of Greece Baptist Church led a moment of prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Legislator Howard Maffucci.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Without objection, the Journal of Day 2, February 11, 2025 was approved as submitted.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

President Román wished Legislature Clerk, David Grant, a happy belated birthday.

President Román recognized Women’s History Month as a time to reflect on the remarkable contributions and achievements of Women throughout history.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

None

PROCLAMATIONS

By the President of the Legislature – Yversha Román

Recognized jointly with President Yversha Román, County Executive Adam J. Bello, Vice President Mercedes Vazquez Simmons, Majority Leader Michael Yudelson, and the Democratic Majority Caucus honored the Urban League of Rochester 60th Anniversary and decades of service to secure economic self-reliance, parity, power, and civil rights in Rochester and the greater Rochester Area.

Read and Filed.

Recognized with President Yversha Román, County Executive Adam J. Bello, Majority Leader Michael Yudelson, and Minority Leader Steve Brew, on behalf of the entire Monroe County Legislature proclaimed March to be National Agriculture Month in Monroe County.

Read and Filed.

FORMAL COMMITTEE REPORTS

None

PUBLIC FORUM

An Open Forum was conducted to allow speakers to address the Legislature. There were fourteen speakers and the Open Forum concluded at 7:00 P.M.

RECESS

A recess was declared by President Román to allow for a meeting of the Rochester Pure Waters Administrative Board before the Legislature.

RECONVENING THE LEGISLATURE

President Román adjourned the Pure Waters Administrative Board, reconvened the recessed meeting of March 11, 2025, and proceeded under the Usual Order of Business.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

- | | |
|---|---|
| Yudelson &
Brew
Intro. 110
M. 43
28-0 | Motion to move remaining agenda items as a whole except for item nos. 2, 6, 7, 11, 12, 16, 18, 23, 24 and 25. |
| 1. Hughes-Smith & 25-0030
Burgess
Intro. 111
Res. 67
28-0 | Authorizing Alteration of Gates-Chili-Ogden Sewer District Sewer Assets by New York State Department of Transportation During the NY Route 33A and NY Route 259 Intersection Safety Improvements Project in the Town of Chili
Transportation Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 7-0
Environment and Public Works Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 7-0 |

3. Frazier & Maffucci
Intro. 112
Res. 68
28-0 25-0033 Approving Public Employees Blanket Bond for Genesee/Finger Lakes Regional Planning Council
Planning & Economic Development Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 5-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
4. Frazier & Maffucci
Intro. 113
Res. 69
28-0 25-0034 Authorizing Annual Contribution to Genesee/Finger Lakes Regional Planning Council
Planning & Economic Development Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 5-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
5. Frazier & Maffucci
Intro. 114
Res. 70
28-0 25-0035 Accepting Grant from Genesee Transportation Council for Land Use Monitoring Report Project
Planning & Economic Development Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 5-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
8. Hasman & Maffucci
Intro. 115
Res. 71
28-0 25-0038 Accepting Grant from New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Program (Office of Medical Examiner's Forensic Toxicology Laboratory)
Human Services Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 8-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
9. Hasman & Maffucci
Intro. 116
Res. 72
28-0 25-0039 Accepting Grant from New York State Department of Health for Support of the Monroe County Nurse-Family Partnership Program
Human Services Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 8-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
10. Hasman & Maffucci
Intro. 117
Res. 73
28-0 25-0040 Authorizing a Contract with Environmental Education Associates to Provide Lead EPA Certified Training Courses for Monroe County Department of Public Health
Human Services Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 8-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
13. Burgess & Maffucci
Intro. 118
Res. 74
28-0 25-0043 Authorizing Contract with Keeler Construction Co., Inc. for Construction Services for Attridge Road Culvert Project in Town of Riga
Transportation Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 7-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
14. Long & Maffucci
Intro. 119
Res. 75
28-0 25-0044 Amending Resolution 378 of 2023 to Extend Contract with University of Rochester for Continuing Development and Sustainment of the County's Medical Countermeasure Program
Public Safety Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 11-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
(Legislators Long and Hasman declared their interest prior to the vote.)
15. Long & Maffucci
Intro. 120
Res. 76
28-0 25-0045 Authorizing Amendments to the Monroe County/Monroe County Bar Association Plan Regarding Conflict Defender's Office and Assigned Counsel Program
Public Safety Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 11-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
(Legislator Ciardi declared his interest prior to the vote.)

17. Blankley & Long Maffucci
Intro. 121
Res. 77
28-0
- 25-0047
- Authorizing Intermunicipal Agreements with Participating Townships and Villages and Contract with the University of Rochester Department of Public Safety for Reimbursement to the Monroe County Sheriff's Office for the Use of MCSO Health & Wellness Clinicians and Programs
Intergovernmental Relations Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 5-0
Public Safety Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 11-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
(Legislators Hasman and Long declared their interest prior to the vote.)
19. Maffucci & Yudelson
Intro. 122
Res. 78
28-0
- 25-0049
- Accepting Grant from New York State Board of Elections for General Election Grant Program
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
20. Maffucci & Yudelson
Intro. 123
Res. 79
28-0
- 25-0050
- Accepting Grant from New York State Board of Elections for Electronic Poll Book Grant Program
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
21. Maffucci & Yudelson
Intro. 124
Res. 80
28-0
- 25-0051
- Accepting Grant from New York State Board of Elections for Ballot by Mail Pre-Paid Postage Program
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
22. Blankley & Long Maffucci
Intro. 125
Res. 81
28-0
- 25-0052
- Authorizing Intermunicipal Agreement with City of Rochester for Traffic Control Services at Innovative Field
Intergovernmental Relations Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 5-0
Public Safety Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 11-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
2. Blankley & Hughes-Smith Maffucci
Intro. 126
Res. 82
20-8
- 25-0032
- Authorizing Intermunicipal Agreements with Monroe County Public School Districts and Board of Cooperative Education Services for Food Waste Diversion Grant Pilot Program
Intergovernmental Relations Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 5-0
Environment and Public Works Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 7-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
(Legislators Brew, Colby, DiFlorio, Keller, McCabe, Morris, Sinclair and Smith voted in the negative.)
6. Baynes & Yudelson Brew Barnhart Bartholomew McCoy Blankley Bonnick Burgess Ciardi Colby
- 25-0036
- Authorization to Rename Lakefront Lodge Located in Webster Park to "Jamieson Ritter Memorial Lodge"
Recreation and Education Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 7-0

Delvecchio
Hoffman
DiFlorio
Dondorfer
Frazier
Hasman
Hughes-Smith
Johns
Keller
Long
Maffucci
McCabe
McIntyre
Milne
Morris
Sinclair
Smith
Vazquez
Simmons
Roman
Intro. 127
Res. 83
28-0

7. Hasman & Maffucci Smith
Intro. 128
Res. 84
28-0
- 25-0037
- Accepting Funding from New York State Office for the Aging and Authorizing Contract with Lifespan of Greater Rochester, Inc. for the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act
Human Services Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 8-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
11. Hasman & Maffucci Vazquez Simmons
Intro. 129
Res. 85
28-0
- 25-0041
- Authorizing Contract with Rural Housing Opportunities Corporation to Provide Construction Management Services for Leading in Lead Prevention Pilot Program
Human Services Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 8-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
12. Blankley & Burgess Maffucci Smith
Intro. 130
Res. 86
28-0
- 25-0042
- Authorizing Intermunicipal Agreement with Town of Clarkson for East Avenue Sidewalk Extension Project Partially Funded through Monroe County; Appropriating Committed Fund Balance; and Authorizing Interfund Transfer
Intergovernmental Relations Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 5-0
Transportation Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 7-0
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 11-0
16. Blankley & Long Maffucci
Intro. 131
Res. 87
21-7
- 25-0046
- Accepting Grant from New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services for Operation Stonegarden Program and Authorizing Intermunicipal Agreements with Towns of Greece, Irondequoit, and Webster
Intergovernmental Relations Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 4-1
Public Safety Committee: February 24, 2025 - CV: 8-3
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 9-2
(Legislators Barnhart, Blankley, Bonnick, Delvecchio Hoffman, Hasman, Hughes-Smith and Vazquez Simmons voted in the negative.)

- | | | |
|--|---------|---|
| 18. Maffucci & Yudelson
Intro.132
Res. 88
26-2 | 25-0048 | Authorizing In Rem Tax Foreclosure Action No. 149
Ways and Means Committee: February 25, 2025 - CV: 10-1

<i>(Legislators Hughes-Smith and Vazquez Simmons voted in the negative.)</i> |
| 23. Maffucci & Yudelson
Intro. 133
Res. 89
28-0 | 25-0090 | Confirming Amount of Annual Expense for Mortgage Recording Tax Expenses and Certifying Same to the New York State Tax Commission
<i>Matter of Urgency</i> |
| 24. Barnhart & Baynes
Intro. 134
Res. 90
28-0 | 25-0091 | Confirming Appointment to the Monroe County Library System Board of Trustees
<i>Matter of Urgency</i> |
| 25. Barnhart & Baynes
Intro. 135
Res. 91
28-0 | 25-0092 | Confirming Appointments to the Monroe County Traffic Safety Board
<i>Matter of Urgency</i> |

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

Upon Motion by Legislator Yudelson, the Legislature Adjourned at 8:05 P.M. until **April 8, 2025, at 6:00 P.M.**

Respectfully Submitted,

David Grant
Clerk of the Legislature