

Ulster County Legislature



Laws, Rules and Government Services Committee

Meeting Agenda

August 14, 2025 at 4:00 PM

Legislative Chambers, 6th Floor, County Office Building, 244 Fair Street, Kingston, NY

And Livestream at <https://www.youtube.com/@UlsterCountyLegislature/streams>

Committee Members:

Jason Kovacs, Chair
Aaron Levine, Deputy Chair
John Gavaris
Gina Hansut

Limina Grace Harmon
Eric Kitchen
Abe Uchitelle

Call Meeting to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of the July 10, 2025 Meeting Minutes

Resolutions for August 19th Legislative Session:

- 1) **Resolution No. 373** – Adopting Proposed Local Law No. 7 Of 2025, A Local Law Amending Section C-42(A) Of The Ulster County Charter And Section A5-3(A) Of The Administrative Code For The County Of Ulster To Reflect Recent Changes In State Public Health Law Regarding The Composition Requirements For Local Boards Of Health
- 2) **Resolution No. 374** – Amending The 2025 Ulster County Budget In Relation To Grant Funding From The New York State Education Department, State Archives Division, Local Government Records Management Improvement Fund (LGRMIF), And Creating Two Full-Time Archival Processing Technicians – County Clerk
- 3) **Resolution No. 375** – Amending The 2025 Ulster County Budget To Appropriate Funds To Hire A Civil Rights Attorney – County Clerk
- 4) **Resolution No. 376** – Adopting Proposed Local Law No. 6 Of 2025, A Local Law Amending The Ulster County Charter, (Local Law No. 2 Of 2006), Amending The Administrative Code For The County Of Ulster, (Local Law No. 10 Of 2008), And Amending The Code Of The County Of Ulster, To Modify Various Sections In Relation To Provisions Governing Budget And Finance

Law, Rules, and Government Services Committee Mission / Purpose:

To set policy and review contracts pertaining to the following County Departments and Divisions: Board of Elections, County Clerk, County Attorney, Risk Management and Board of Ethics. To oversee legislative policy and legislative proposed revisions to the Ulster County Charter and the Administrative Code. To review and maintain the Rules of the Legislature and to review and approve all local laws for legal sufficiency only, unless Laws and Rules, Government Services is the committee of original jurisdiction. To approve all late resolutions, considering lateness and content prior to submittal to the full Legislature. To approve resolutions required to be referred to it under the Rules of the Legislature.

- 5) **Resolution No. 377** – Adopting Proposed Local Law No. 8 Of 2025, A Local Law Amending The Ulster County Charter, (Local Law No. 2 Of 2006), And Amending The Administrative Code For The County Of Ulster, (Local Law No. 10 Of 2008), To Amend Charter Article XXXIV Periodic Compensation Review Committee §C-110 And Administrative Code Article XXXIV Periodic Compensation Review Committee §A34-3
- 6) **Resolution No. 382** – Setting A Public Hearing On Proposed Local Law No. 9 Of 2025, A Local Law Amending The Ulster County Charter And The Ulster County Administrative Code By Deleting Article XLI From Each (Youth Bureau), And Amending The Ulster County Charter And The Ulster County Administrative Code With Respect To Article XI (Department of Social Services), To Be Held On Tuesday, September 16, 2025 At 7:10 PM
- 7) **Resolution No. 396** – Setting A Public Hearing On Proposed Local Law No. 10 Of 2025, A Local Law Amending Chapter 185 Of The Code Of The County Of Ulster, Establishing the Ulster County Electrical Licensing Board And Providing For the Qualifications, Examination, Licensing And Regulation Of Electricians In Ulster County, New York, To Be Held On Tuesday, September 16, 2025 At 7:15 PM
- 8) **LATE Resolution No. 405** – Amending Resolution No. 286 Of 1968, Adopted February 13, 1969, Imposing Taxes On Sales And Uses Of Tangible Personal Property And Of Certain Services And On Occupancy Of Hotel Rooms And On Amusement Charges, Pursuant To Article 29 Of The Tax Law Of The State Of New York, As Amended On Various Occasions To Increase The Rate Of Sales And Compensating Use Taxes

Forthcoming Resolutions

- **Resolution No. 178** – Setting A Public Hearing On Proposed Local Law No. 4 Of 2025, A Local Law Providing For The Protection And Restoration Of The Esopus Creek, Rondout Creek And Wallkill River In Ulster County, And Providing For The Rights Of The Residents Of Ulster County To Clean Water And A Healthy And Productive Ecosystem, To Be Held On Tuesday, September 16, 2025 At 7:05 PM (*Postponed in Energy, Environment & Sustainability Committee on August 5th*)
- **Resolution No. 371** – Adopting Proposed Local Law No. 3 Of 2025, A Local Law To Ensure The Safety Of Vulnerable Road Users In Ulster County (*Postponed in Housing & Transportation Committee on August 7th*)

New Business

Old Business

- **Resolution No. 470 of 2024** – Setting A Public Hearing On Proposed Local Law No. 10 Of 2024, A Local Law Amending The Code Of The County Of Ulster, Chapter 205 Food Service, Article II Use Of Disposable Polystyrene Foam, To Include Thermoform Plastic, To Be Held On Tuesday, September 16, 2025 At 7:00 PM (*WITHDRAWN BY SPONSOR*)

Adjournment