

# Ulster County Legislature



## Energy, Environment and Sustainability Committee

### Meeting Agenda

July 6, 2023 at 3:00 PM

KL Binder Library, 6th floor, Ulster County Office Building, 244 Fair Street Kingston, New York

#### Committee Members:

Manna Jo Greene, Chair

Joe Maloney

Gina Hansut, Deputy Chair

Eric Stewart

Aaron Levine

#### Call Meeting to Order

#### Pledge of Allegiance

#### Approval of the June 1, 2023 Regular Meeting Minutes

#### Resolutions for the July 18, 2023 Session of the Legislature:

1. **Resolution No. 348** – Confirming Appointment To The Ulster County Resource Recovery Agency
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3. **Resolution No. 374** – Adopting Proposed Local Law No. 6 Of 2023, A Local Law Amending The Code Of The County Of Ulster, Chapter 131, Vehicles, County, Article I, Sustainable Green Fleet Policy, In Relation To Strategies And Goals
4. **Resolution No. 381** – Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Agreement With The New York State Department Of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) To Accept Grant Funds For The Golden Hill Renewable Energy Project - Amending The 2023 Ulster County Budget – Department Of Planning
5. **Resolution No. 382** – Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute Various Agreements To Fulfill Requirements For Grant Funding Through The New York State Climate Smart Communities Program For Renewable Energy Equipment At The Golden Hill Housing Site – Department Of Planning
6. **Resolution No. 383** – Authorizing The Department Of The Environment To Submit An Application To The New York State Climate Smart Communities Grant Program Via The New York State Consolidated Funding Application (CFA) – Department Of The Environment
7. **Resolution No. 384** – Authorizing The Department Of Environment To Submit An Application To The New York Energy Research And Development Authority (NYSERDA) Via The New York State Consolidated Funding Application (CFA) – Department Of The Environment

8. **Resolution No. 385** – Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$110,050.00, Entered Into By The County – Barton And Loguidice, D.P.C. – Department Of Environment
9. **Resolution No. 386** – Requesting Enactment Of A Senate Bill And Assembly Bill In The New York State Legislature To Amend Membership Of The Ulster County Resource Recovery Agency

### **Forthcoming Resolutions**

- **Resolution No. 433** - Urging The Governments Of The State Of New York And The United States Of America To Establish Fossil-Fuel-Free State And Federal Public Transportation Services  
*FOR AUGUST INTRODUCTION*

### **Department of Environment Updates**

- Ashokan Reservoir Water Releases/Lower Esopus Turbidity
- Reuse Innovation Center Planning Study RFP – Update
- Hudson 7 – Update
- Bard Student Climate Project – Final Report
- Meeting re: providing support for local Watershed groups and creating a position for Climate Smart Schools Coordinator

### **UCRRA Updates**

- Local Solid Waste Management Plan Update
  - Landfill Siting update
  - Waste Diversion – C&D Recycling at Municipal Transfer Stations
  - Response to request for Statements of Interest

### **Environmental Management Council (EMC) Updates**

#### **New Business**

- UCRRA Appointments

#### **Old Business**

- Zero Waste Implementation (ZWIP) Update
- Climate Smart Committee Updates: seeking volunteers for Ulster County Fair Climate Row
- Re-Declaring a Climate Emergency

### **Adjournment**