

Ulster County Legislature



Health, Human Services & Housing Committee

Meeting Agenda

October 11, 2023 at 4:00 PM

KL Binder Library, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston

Committee Members:

Abe Uchitelle, Chair	Kathy Nolan
Craig Lopez, Deputy Chair	Laura Petit
Thomas Corcoran	Eric Stewart
Phil Erner	

Call Meeting to Order

Approval of the September 6th Meeting Minutes

HealthAlliance of the Hudson Valley – Josh Ratner, CEO

Resolutions for October 17, 2023 Legislative Session:

- 1) **Resolution No. 555** – Adopting The “ThinkDIFFERENTLY” Initiative For Ulster County, And Calling On All Ulster County Towns, Villages And The City Of Kingston To Adopt The “ThinkDIFFERENTLY” Initiative To Assist And Support Individuals With Special Needs And Their Families
- 2) **Resolution No. 569** – Amending The 2023 Ulster County Budget To Accept Additional Funding From The New York State Office Of Mental Health For A 4.0% Cost Of Living Adjustment For Eligible Programs - Department Of Mental Health
- 3) **Resolution No. 570** – Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute A Lease Agreement With Access: Supports For Living Inc. To Provide Mental Health Services To The Community At Golden Hill Office Building – Department Of Public Works
- 4) **Resolution No. 568** – Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute A Contract With The New York State Department Of Health To Continue The Tobacco Enforcement Program – Department Of Health
- 5) **Resolution No. 563** – Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For \$126,000.00 Entered Into By The County – Purfoods, LLC D/B/A Mom’s Meals – Office For The Aging
- 6) **Resolution No. 558** – Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$275,000.00 Entered Into By The County – Community Foundations Of The Hudson Valley – Department Of Finance

- 7) **Resolution No. 562** – Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$74,000.00 Entered Into By The County – HR&A Advisors, Inc. – Department Of Planning
- 8) **Resolution No. 564** – Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For \$171,391.92 Entered Into By The County – VMC Consultants Inc. – Department Of Social Services
- 9) **Resolution No. 565** – Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For \$100,000.00 Entered Into By The County – Industrial Medicine Associates, P.C. – Department Of Social Services
- 10) **Resolution No. 566** – Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$70,000.00 Entered Into By The County – Nicholas Kamen – Department Of Social Services
- 11) **Resolution No. 567** – Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For \$86,047.00 Entered Into By The County – Liberty Resources, Inc. – Department Of Social Services
- 12) **Resolution No. 596** – Setting A Public Hearing On Proposed Local Law No. 13 Of 2023, A Local Law Amending The Administrative Code For The County Of Ulster, (Local Law No. 10 Of 2008), To Establish The Office Of Housing Counsel, To Be Held On Tuesday, November 14, 2023 At 7:20 PM
- 13) **Resolution No. 423** – Establishing A Policy To Reform Social Services – Temporary Assistance – Housing
- 14) **Resolution No. 425** – Establishing A Policy To Liberalize Access To Public Spaces For Survival
- 15) **Resolution No. 468** – Amending The 2023 - 2028 Capital Improvement Program - Amending Capital Project No. 645 – Renovation Of 21 Elizabeth Street – Elizabeth Manor Emergency Housing

Old Business

- **Resolution No. 127** – Establishing A Policy To Prioritize Meals For Ulster County Residents Living In Emergency Housing

New Business

Forthcoming Resolutions

Adjournment