ULSTER COUNTY LEGISLATURE

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MINUTES

NOVEMBER 12, 2014

PUBLIC HEARING

6:00 PM

PUBLIC HEARING CALLED TO ORDER BY CHAIRMAN: 6:03 PM

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG: Led by Chairman John R. Parete

MOMENT OF SILENT MEDITATION:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FIRE EVACUATION PLAN

PLEASE NOTE THAT IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY THE FIRE DEPARTMENT HAS REQUESTED THAT LEGISLATORS AND ALL OTHERS MOVE AT LEAST ONE BLOCK AWAY FROM THE COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING IN ORDER NOT TO IMPEDE THE FIREFIGHTERS IN THEIR DUTIES

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MICROPHONES

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ROLL CALL: Present: 21 Absent: 2 (R. Parete, Roberts)

CALL OF THE PUBLIC HEARING BY CLERK: Amended Proposed Local Law No. 10 of 2014, (A Local Law Respecting the Outdoor Restraint of Companion Animals)

PUBLIC COMMENT: There were (2) speakers signed up for public comment.

- 1. <u>Brian Shapiro</u>: Former Ulster County Legislator Brian Shapiro and current NYS Director of the Human Society of the United States spoke in favor of Proposed Local Law No. 10 of 2014.
- 2. <u>Becky Thompson</u>: Ms. Thompson also spoke in favor of Proposed Local Law No. 10 of 2014.

<u>Please Note</u>: Complete content of the public comment period can be heard on the Ulster County Legislative website.

Legislator Litts motioned, seconded by Majority Whip Briggs to adjourn.

PUBLIC HEARING ADJOURNED: 6:09 PM

NEXT MEETING:

The Budget Vote and next Regular Meeting of the Ulster County Legislature will be held next **Tuesday, November 18, 2014 at 7:00 PM** in the Legislative Chambers, Sixth Floor, Ulster County Office Building, 244 Fair Street, Kingston, New York.