



# ULSTER COUNTY LEGISLATIVE NEWS

## ULSTER COUNTY NEWS INFORMATION

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE  
244 FAIR STREET, 6TH FLOOR  
KINGSTON, NY 12401

## MEDIA CONTACT INFORMATION

- PHONE 845-340-3900
- \* EMAIL [LegislativeNews@co.ulster.ny.us](mailto:LegislativeNews@co.ulster.ny.us)
- FAX 845-340-3651

[Legislature.UlsterCountyNY.gov](http://Legislature.UlsterCountyNY.gov)

### For Immediate Release

December 17, 2025

### Ulster County Legislature Confirms Appointments to the Ulster County Resource Recovery Agency Board of Directors

(Kingston, NY) – In its December Session, the Ulster County Legislature reappointed Donna Egan of Gardiner, and appointed Christopher Hurlbert of Saugerties to serve on the Ulster County Resource Recovery Agency (UCRRA) Board of Directors for a term commencing January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2028. As a public benefit corporation, the UCRRA board governs the agency and approves its budget and direction.

“I’m pleased to make these appointments to the Ulster County Resource Recovery Agency,” **said Peter Criswell, Chair of the Ulster County Legislature.** “Donna brings a wealth of experience in solid waste management, and her reappointment to the board ensures continuity and institutional knowledge. Chris brings fresh energy and perspective to the board, and his marketing and communications expertise will be a welcome asset as the agency communicates its innovative work in reuse, recycling, and waste reduction to the residents of Ulster County.”

“We received a record number of qualified applicants, representing diverse experiences seeking to serve our community on the Board. After interviewing each candidate the Energy, Environment & Sustainability Committee found Donna and Chris to be exceptional candidates to serve on the Board. We look forward to their work on the UCRRA board in seeking sustainable solutions to our solid waste challenges,” **said Legislator Chris Hewitt, Chair of the Energy, Environment & Sustainability Committee.**

“Per the enabling legislation, the Minority Caucus is entitled to make a recommendation to the Chair on who should serve on this Board, and we encouraged the Chair to appoint Donna Egan, by far the best candidate. I am glad our perspective was taken into consideration, and Ms. Egan can continue to provide a critical voice and role on the board,” **said Minority Leader Kevin Roberts.**

The next vacancy of the Ulster County Resource Recovery Board of Directors is scheduled for December 31, 2026.

###