

**Herkimer County Legislature
Administration/Veterans' Affairs and Ways & Means
Committee Meeting
Thursday, September 1, 2022
Legislature Chambers
Following County Planning & Development and Ways & Means**

Persons Attending:

Bob Hollum (Chairman, Administration/Veterans' Affairs)
William Weakley (Administration/Veterans' Affairs committee member)
Raymond Johnson (committee member, both)
Patrick E. Russell (Chairman, Ways & Means, Admin. committee member)
Gregory Malta, Sr. (Administration/Veterans' Affairs committee member)
John L. Brezinski (Administration/Veterans' Affairs committee member)
Kurt Ackerman (Ways & Means committee member)
Peter J. Campione (Ways & Means committee member)
Ray Donley (Ways & Means committee member)
Vincent J. Bono, Chairman of the Legislature
James Wallace, Jr., County Administrator
Brandy Serow, Secretary to County Administrator
Lorraine Lewandrowski, County Attorney
Sheri Ferdula, Budget Officer/Purchasing Agent
Steve Billings, Personnel Officer
Kim Tranter, Commissioner of Elections

(Non Committee Members signed in)

Legislator Mark Gaworecki
Legislator Robert J. Schrader
Legislator William Keeler, Sr.
Legislator Rodney Swartz
Legislator Frederick J. Shaw, Jr.

Absent:

John P. Stephens (Ways & Means committee member)

Mr. Hollum called the meeting to order at 10:44 a.m.

Items Discussed:

ADMINISTRATION/VETERANS AFFAIRS:

1. Approve reappointment of Republican Election Commissioner
2. Resolution opposing new gun laws
3. Proposing the repeal or amendment of election laws in so far as they adversely affect smaller counties
4. Other

ADMINISTRATION/VETERANS' AFFAIRS/WAYS & MEANS:

5. Accept Absentee Ballot Pre-Paid Postage Grant, amend budget, and create accounts in Board of Elections
6. Other

Committee Vote Record

ADMINISTRATION/VETERANS' AFFAIRS:

Item #1 - On motion of Mr. Malta, seconded by Mr. Johnson for Administration/Veterans' Affairs, Item #1 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous.

Item #2 - On motion of Mr. Weakley, seconded by Mr. Bono for Administration/Veterans' Affairs, Item #2 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous.

Item #3 - On motion of Mr. Russell, seconded by Mr. Malta for Administration/Veterans' Affairs, Item #3 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous.

Item #4 – N/A.

ADMINISTRATION/VETERANS' AFFAIRS AND WAYS & MEANS:

Item #5 – On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Bono for Administration/Veterans' Affairs, and on motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Bono for Ways & Means, Item #5 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous. Absent: 1.

Item #6 – N/A.

On motion of Mr. Weakley, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Administration/Veterans' Affairs Committee adjourned at 10:47 a.m.

The Ways & Means Committee continued.