

**Herkimer County Legislature
County Planning & Development and Ways & Means
Friday, February 6, 2026
Legislature Chambers
Follows Education and Ways & Means**

Persons Attending:

Gregory Malta, Sr. (Chairman of Co. Planning; Ways & Means committee member)
Ray Donley (Co. Planning and Ways & Means committee member)
Robert J. Schrader (Co. Planning committee member)
Mark Gaworecki (Co. Planning and Ways & Means committee member)
William E. Keeler, Sr. (Co. Planning committee member)
Kurt J. Ackerman (Chairman, Ways & Means)
William Weakley (Ways & Means committee member)
Peter J. Campione, Chairman of the Legislature
Steve Billings, Personnel Officer
Brandy Serow, Secretary to County Administrator
Lorraine Lewandrowski, County Attorney
Sheri Ferdula, Budget Officer/Purchasing Agent
John Piseck, Chief Executive Officer, IDA
Rachael Case, Executive Director, Youth Bureau
Nicole Myers, Director of Employment & Training
Kimberlee Enea, County Treasurer
(Non-Committee Members Signed In)
Legislator Gene A. Wedemeyer, Jr.
Legislator Cynthia A. Bennett
Legislator John L. Brezinski
Legislator Rodney Swartz
Legislator Anthony J. Lucenti
Legislator Kelly Wares

Absent:

Michael Bick (Co. Planning committee member)
Don Haehl (Ways & Means committee member)

Mr. Malta for the County Planning & Development Committee called the meeting to order at 9:58 a.m.

Items discussed:

COUNTY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT:

1. Approve appointment to the Mohawk Valley Regional Water Board – Lucenti
2. Authorize Chairman to sign any and all documents related to NYSDOT TAP
3. Other

COUNTY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT/WAYS & MEANS:

4. Approve request for \$1 million for Schuyler Business Park Traffic Signal & Entryway Improvement Project
5. Discussion on College Corps
6. Discussion on SLEP Salaries
7. Approve Chairman to sign consent to the Demolition Plan of Turin Hoefler Avenue, LLC
8. Other

Committee Vote Record

COUNTY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT:

Item #1 – On motion of Mr. Campione, seconded by Mr. Schrader for the County Planning & Development Committee, Item #1 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous. Absent: 1.

Item #2 – On motion of Mr. Schrader, seconded by Mr. Keeler for the County Planning & Development Committee, Item #2 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous. Absent: 1.

Item #3 - N/A.

COUNTY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT/WAYS & MEANS:

Item #4 – On motion of Mr. Schrader, seconded by Mr. Malta for the County Planning & Development Committee and on motion of Mr. Donley, seconded by Mr. Weakley for the Ways & Means Committee, Item #4 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous. Absent: 2.

Item #5 – On motion of Mr. Schrader, seconded by Mr. Malta for the County Planning & Development Committee and on motion of Mr. Donley, seconded by Mr. Campione for the Ways & Means Committee, Item #5 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous. Absent: 2.

Item #6 – On motion of Mr. Malta, seconded by Mr. Donley for the County Planning & Development Committee and on motion of Mr. Campione, seconded by Mr. Donley for the Ways & Means Committee, Item #6 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous. Absent: 2.

Item #7 – On motion of Mr. Schrader, seconded by Mr. Malta for the County Planning & Development Committee and on motion of Mr. Weakley, seconded by Mr. Donley for the Ways & Means Committee, Item #7 was voted on, approved and moved for Resolution. Unanimous. Absent: 2.

Item #8 - N/A.

At 10:07 a.m., on motion of Mr. Donley, seconded by Mr. Gaworecki, the County Planning & Development Committee adjourned.

The Ways & Means Committee continued.