

Kenneth W. Jenkins County Executive

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists in the membership of the Westchester County Police Board:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kenneth W. Jenkins, County Executive of Westchester County, in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Westchester County Charter, appoint Justin K. Arest, 2 Lakin Road, Scarsdale, New York as a member of the Westchester County Police Board, for the term April 8, 2025 to December 31, 2026.

Given under my hand and seal this 8th day of April, 2025.

Kenneth W. Jenkins
County Executive



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April 8, 2025

Mr. Justin K. Arest 2 Lakin Road Scarsdale, NY 10583

Dear Justin.

It is my pleasure to appoint you to serve as a member of the Westchester County Police Advisory Board, effective today, Tuesday, April 8, 2025. This appointment is for a term to expire on December 31, 2026.

Your appointment is subject to confirmation by the Westchester County Board of Legislators, but your service begins immediately. You must complete the attached Oath of Office within 30 days, either by appearing at the County Clerk's office or mailing the signed and notarized form to our office.

When you have filed your Oath of Office, a Resolution to confirm your appointment will be submitted to the County Board of Legislators. As part of the confirmation process, you may be called before the Board to be interviewed. Please contact the Department of Public Safety at (914) 864-7901, for the date, place, and time of the upcoming meeting for your participation.

Pursuant to Local Law, as a member of a Westchester County Board and/or Commission, you are responsible for adhering to the requirements of our Code of Ethics.

Warmest wishes for a successful tenure.

Kenneth W. Jenkins

Westchester County Executive

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cc: Honorable Board of Legislators

Joan McDonald, Director of Operations

Terrance Raynor, Commissioner, Department of Public Safety

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Justin K. Arest

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

AREST ASSOCIATES, LLC, New York, NY

(Privately held Real Estate Investment Company)

Founding and Managing Member

2007 - Present

Manage the day-to-day business operations of the company. Regularly strategize with investment partners. Function as the central point of contact for third parties (e.g., contractors, consultants, municipalities). Oversee the development and operations of portfolio properties in which the firm has a controlling interest. Involved in the acquisition, disposition, and renovation of real estate assets within the portfolio. Serves as the company's General Counsel and represents portfolio assets in various legal capacities.

Highlighted Projects:

BRONX PRE-K AND 3-K CENTER, Partner

Negotiated long term lease with the NYC Department of Education (lease executed in 2022). Oversaw landlord improvements, which included new HVAC systems, electrical upgrades, and roof replacement. Work had to be planned and performed without interfering with ongoing schooling. Work completed in 2023.

MIDTOWN WEST BOUTIQUE HOTEL, Managing Partner

Launched property as a new hotel brand in November 2019. Oversaw the complete renovation of the property as part of an extensive repositioning plan. Continued to operate through Covid-19 with regular onsite meetings with staff, vendors and contractors. Implemented various health and safety plans. Developed myriad strategic initiatives with the sales department to ensure success as we moved out of the pandemic.

O'MELVENY AND MYERS, LLP, New York, NY, Associate

2005 - 2006

Mergers and acquisitions department Associate representing private equity firms. Assisted in drafting and revising purchase agreements and ancillary documents / corporate resolutions.

EDUCATION

JURIS DOCTOR, George Washington University Law School BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, Finance and International Business, Leonard N. Stern Business School, New York University

BAR ADMISSIONS

New York State and The Supreme Court of the United States

COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER OATH OF OFFICE

For Appointees to County Boards and Commissions

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER) ss.:)
I, Justin Acest (Print or Type Name)	do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support
the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of the State of New York, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Police Board Name)	
County of Westchester, according to the bo	est of my ability.
Date: 04/15/25	Cur
	(Signature)
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15 day of April Melissa (Signature) Melissa N. Vasami (Print or Type Name)	

MELISSA N VASAMI
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK
Registration No. 01VA001890 |
Cualified in Westchester County
Commission Expires December 19, 2027

Mail original Oath of Office to Office to Andrew Ferris, Office of the County Executive, 148 Martine Ave., Room 916D, White Plains, NY 10601 for filing within thirty (30) days of the commencement of the term of office or the notice of appointment.

(Title of Official Administering Oath)