Budget & Appropriations BOL Meeting Minutes -Published Draft



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Committee Chair: Jewel Williams Johnson

Friday, November 15, 2024

2:00 PM

Committee Room

CALL TO ORDER

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Legislator Colin Smith will be participating remotely from 1132 Main St. Suite 1, Peekskill, NY 10566.

With a quorum present, Chair Williams Johnson called the meeting to order at 2:05 PM.

Others in Attendance: GUESTS: Tejash Sanchala, Julia De Persia, Joshua Levin, Michael Dunn, Karen Pasquale; BOL: Margaret Cunzio, James Silverberg, Shatika Parker, Lisa Hochman, Althema Goodson, Jack Cardwell

- **Present:** Legislator Williams Johnson, Legislator Barr, Legislator Pierce, Legislator Woodson-Samuels and Legislator Gashi
- **Excused:** Legislator Tubiolo

Absent: Legislator Smith

Remote: Legislator Holstein and Legislator Williams

MINUTES APPROVAL

I. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

Human Rights Commission Presentation on the 2025 Operating Budget

Guests: Human Rights Commission

Executive Director Tejash V. Sanchala

Deputy Director Julia De Persia

Fair Housing Director Joshua Levin

Executive Director Tejash Sanchala and his team from the Human Rights Commission appeared before the Committee to review their 2025 Operating Budget. The video can be viewed at:

https://westchestercountyny.granicus.com/player/clip/7337?view_id=1&redirect=true

The presentation and the 2025 Westchester County Budget can be found at the Westchester

Board of Legislators website under the Budget Dashboard: https://www.westchesterlegislators.com/fy2025-budget-dashboard

II. OTHER BUSINESS

III. RECEIVE & FILE

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Legislator Pierce, seconded by Legislator Barr, the Committee adjourned at 2:34 PM. by the following vote:

- Aye: Legislator Williams Johnson, Legislator Barr, Legislator Holstein, Legislator Pierce, Legislator Williams, Legislator Woodson-Samuels and Legislator Gashi
- **Excused:** Legislator Tubiolo
- Absent: Legislator Smith