

George Latimer
County Executive

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists in the membership of the Westchester County Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, George Latimer, County Executive of Westchester County, in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Westchester County Charter, appoint Joseph Barca, 341 Park Avenue, Yonkers, New York as a member of the Westchester County Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board, for the term February 18, 2021 to December 31, 2022.

Given under my hand
and seal this 18th day
of February, 2021.



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February 18, 2021

Joseph Barca
341 Park Avenue
Yonkers, NY 10703

Dear Mr. Barca,

It is my pleasure to appoint you to serve as a member of the Westchester County Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board, effective today, Thursday, February 18, 2021, pursuant to the Laws of Westchester County §193.04. This appointment is for a term to expire on December 31, 2022

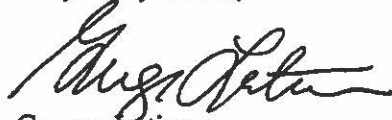
Your appointment is subject to confirmation by the Westchester County Board of Legislators, but your service begins immediately. You must complete the attached Oath of Office and file it with the County Clerk, and provide this office with a copy within 30 days. Please contact the Westchester County Department of Emergency Services at (914) 231-1927 for the date, place, and time of the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board's upcoming meeting for your participation.

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.

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, which includes the annual filing of a financial disclosure statement with the County Board of Ethics. A financial disclosure form will be mailed to you under separate cover.

Warmest wishes for a successful tenure.

Very Truly Yours,



George Latimer
Westchester County Executive

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cc: Honorable Board of Legislators
Richard Wishnie – Acting Commissioner, Department of Emergency Services
Joan McDonald, Director of Operations

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Biography of Joseph Barca

I was born and raised in the City of Yonkers. I continue to live in Yonkers with my wife Helen for the last 48 years. We have 3 children, who all live and work in Yonkers. Christopher 47 years old, married with a daughter. A Yonkers Police Officer assigned to the K-9 Unit. Matthew, 44 years old, single, a school teacher with the Yonkers Board of Education. And David, 40 years old married with 3 children (1 boy, 2 girls) . He is a Sergeant, also with the Yonkers Police Department assigned to the Emergency Service Unit.

I was appointed to the Yonkers Police Department in 1969 as a Police Cadet. In 1971 upon completion of the Cadet program, I was appointed a Police Officer. Initially assigned to Patrol in the South Command. In 1972 the Department sent me to Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) School. This was my first exposure to Emergency Medicine on the street. After I graduated from EMT school, I was assigned to the Emergency Service Unit (ESU). In 1981 the Department sent myself and 5 other ESU Officers to Paramedic School. Upon graduation from Paramedic school, we were the first group of Paramedics working on the streets of Yonkers providing Advance Life Support to the citizens. I continued in that assignment until I was promoted to Sergeant in 1991. As a Sergeant, I was assigned to the 3rd Precinct as a Patrol Supervisor. In 1992 I was transferred back to the Emergency Service Unit. Besides supervising the ESU Officers I coordinated the Officers Medical and Rescue training. I was also given the responsibilities of seeing that the medical and rescue equipment was kept in a state of good repair. I was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in 1997 assigned to the Field Services Unit assigned as a City-Wide Supervisor. In 1999 I was returned to ESU as a Supervisor and continued to oversee training and maintenance of equipment. In 2006 I was promoted to Captain and was assigned as the Midnight Tour Watch Commander. I held that position till I retired in 2015 with a total of 46 years of police service.

In 2000 the New York State – Department of Health designated Westchester County to have it's own Regional Emergency Medical Service Council. James O'Connor the first Chairman of this new Council asked me to serve as Chairman of the Operations Committee. This committee has the responsibility of reviewing

applications for the various ambulance services that want to operate here in Westchester County. I continued as chairman of this committee until I was elected as Chairman of the council in 2016. I am presently still the Chairman of the Westchester Regional EMS Council.

**COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER
OATH OF OFFICE**

For Appointees to County Boards and Commissions

STATE OF NEW YORK)
) ss.:
COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER)

I, JOSEPH BARCA do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support
(Print or Type Name)

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 WEST. E.M.S. ADVISORY BOARD in and for the
County of Westchester, according to the best of my ability.

Date: 2/23/22 Joseph Barca
(Signature)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23 day of Feb.,
2022.
Madeline Monserrate
(Signature)
Madeline Monserrate
(Print or Type Name)
Branch Service Manager.
(Title of Official Administering Oath)

MADELINE MONSERRATE
No. 01MO6349129
Notary Public, State of New York
Qualified in Westchester County
My Commission Expires 10/11/2024

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.