## Public Works, Capital Projects & Transportation Committee Regular Meeting Minutes

**DATE & TIME:** December 11, 2023 at 6:00PM

**LOCATION:** KL Binder Library, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, County Office Building, Kingston &

Via Livestream at <a href="www.youtube.com/@UlsterCountyLegislature/streams">www.youtube.com/@UlsterCountyLegislature/streams</a>

**PRESIDING OFFICER:** Chair Petit

**LEGISLATIVE STAFF:** Michael Tierney, Senior Legislative Employee

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Legislators Bartels, Erner, Litts, Nolan

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Legislator Fabiano

**QUORUM PRESENT:** Yes

**OTHER ATTENDEES:** Deputy County Executive Johanna Contreras, Deputy County Executive Amanda LaValle, DPW Director Brendan Masterson, Deputy Director Robert Parete, Deputy Director Dean Rylewicz, Recovery & Resilience Director Nate Litwin, Planning Director

Dennis Doyle, Public Transit Coordinator Paula Certoma, Legislator-Elect Jeff Collins

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Chair Petit called the meeting to order at 6:03PM.

Motion No. 1 Moved to Adopt Minutes of November 1, 2023 Regular

Meeting and Minutes of October 23, 2023 Special Joint

Meeting of Ways & Means and Public Works, Capital Projects

& Transportation Meeting

Motion By: Legislator Erner Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Minutes Approved

**Resolution No. 337** Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To

Execute An Intermunicipal Agreement With The City Of Kingston, Where The County Is A Subrecipient Of The City's ARPA-SLFRF Funds, For The Renovation Of Elizabeth Manor, Department Of Finance, Division Of Recovery And Resilience

**Resolution Summary:** Allocating \$500,000 of ARPA money through the City of Kingston

for the renovation of 21 Elizabeth Street for the purposes of

creating emergency housing.

**Disposition:** No Action Taken

**Resolution No. 364** Establishing A Restricted Capital Reserve Fund For The

Government Operations Center Of The County Of Ulster Under Section 6-C Of The New York State General Municipal Law

**Resolution Summary:** Establishing A Restricted Capital Reserve Fund For The

**Government Operations Center** 

Motion No. 2 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 364

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Bartels

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Bartels, Erner, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None

**Abstentions:** Legislator Litts

Votes in Favor: 4 Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 669** Amending Resolution No. 488 Of 2015, Establishing A Policy For

"Rail with Trail" Along The County-Owned Ulster And Delaware

Railroad Corridor

**Resolution Summary:** Allowing for the operation of both the Catskill Mountain Railroad

and a pedestrian trail along the County-owned Ulster & Delaware

Railroad corridor.

Disposition: Withdrawn by Sponsor

**Resolution No. 685** Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To

Execute An Intermunicipal Agreement With The Village Of Ellenville, As An ARPA-SLFRF Subrecipient, For Improvements To Berme Road Park – Department Of Finance, Division Of

Recovery And Resilience

**Resolution Summary:** Intermunicipal agreement with the Village of Ellenville for Berme

Road Park improvements.

Motion No. Moved to Adopt Resolution No.

**Resolution No. 686** Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To

Execute An Intermunicipal Agreement With The Town Of New Paltz, As An ARPA-SLFRF Subrecipient, To Improve 1.2 Miles Of Henry W. DuBois Drive – Department Of Finance, Division Of

Recovery And Resilience

**Resolution Summary:** Intermunicipal agreement with the Town of New Paltz for a

shared-use path on Henry W. DuBois Drive.

**Resolution No. 687** Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To

Execute An Intermunicipal Agreement With The Town Of

Shawangunk, As An ARPA-SLFRF Subrecipient, To Improve The

Town Parks Of Galeville, Garrison, Popp, And Verkeerderkill – Department Of Finance, Division Of Recovery And Resilience

**Resolution Summary:** Intermunicipal agreement with the Town of Shawangunk for town

park improvements.

**Resolution No. 688** Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To

Execute An Intermunicipal Agreement With The Town Of

Wawarsing, As An ARPA-SLFRF Subrecipient, For

Improvements To Berme Road Park – Department Of Finance,

Division Of Recovery And Resilience

**Resolution Summary:** Intermunicipal agreement with the Town of Wawarsing for

improvements to Berme Road Park.

Motion No. 3 Moved to Block Resolutions Nos. 685, 686, 687, 688

Motion By: Legislator Petit Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Bartels, Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 5
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

Motion No.4 Moved to Adopt Blocked Resolutions

Motion By: Legislator Erner Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Bartels, Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 5
Votes Against: 0

Disposition: Resolution Nos. 685, 686, 687, 688 Adopted

**Resolution No. 689** Granting An Easement On Lands Owned By Ulster County

Located On Route 28 In The Town Of Ulster For The Construction Of A Sewer Line To Serve A Supportive Housing Development – Department Of Finance - Division Of Recovery And Resilience

**Resolution Summary:** Easement on County land for the purposes of running a sewer line

to serve the Quality Inn redevelopment.

Motion No. 4 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 689

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Litts

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Bartels, Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against:NoneVotes in Favor:5Votes Against:0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 696** Authorizing The County Executive To Submit An Application And

Assurances To The New York State Department Of Transportation For Transportation Alternative Program (TAP) Funding For The

Construction Of Active Transportation Improvements On

Washington Avenue In The City Of Kingston – Department Of

Planning

**Resolution Summary:** Authorizing the Ulster County Planning Board to apply for TAP

for safety improvements to Washington Avenue in the City of

Kingston.

Motion No. 5 Moved to Adopt Resolution No.

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Erner

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Bartels, Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 5
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 697** Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$98,574.00 Entered

Into By The County – Fitzgerald & Halliday, Inc. DBA FHI Studio

- Department Of Planning

**Resolution Summary:** Contract for transportation planning services for the purposes of

communication and public participation. 100% federally funded.

Motion No. 6 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 697

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Litts

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Bartels, Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 5
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 702** Establishing A Restricted Capital Reserve Fund - Decarbonization

Capital Reserve - Under Section 6-C Of The New York State

General Municipal Law

**Resolution Summary:** Establishing a Restricted Capital Reserve – Decarbonization

Capital Reserve to provide \$18,000,000 in funding to offset the costs of the projects as laid out in the 2024 - 2029 proposed Capital

Improvement Program

Motion No. 7 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 702

**Motion By:** Legislator Bartels

**Seconded By:** Legislator Erner

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Bartels, Litts, Nolan, Petit

**Voting Against:** Legislator Erner

Votes in Favor: 4 Votes Against: 1

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

Chair Bartels left.

**Resolution No. 733** Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To

Execute An Agreement With The New York State Department Of Transportation To Accept New York State Funds For Ulster And Dutchess County Public Transit Service (LINK) – Department Of

Public Transportation (Ulster County Area Transit)

**Resolution Summary:** Accepting \$360,000 from NYSDOT as reimbursement for

Saturday UCAT service.

Motion No. 8 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 733

Motion By: Legislator Litts
Seconded By: Legislator Erner

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against:
None
Votes in Favor:
4
Votes Against:
0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 734** Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$154,303.56 Entered

Into By The County – Samsara Inc. – Department Of Public

**Transportation** 

**Resolution Summary:** Contract for fleet management technology and software services.

Motion No. 9 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 734

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Erner

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 735** Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To

Execute A Lease Agreement With Astor Services For Children & Families For Office Space At The Trudy Resnick Farber Building, Ellenville –Department Of Public Works (Buildings & Grounds)

**Resolution Summary:** Leasing 1230sqft of office space to Astor Services in the Trudy

Resnick Building for an annual cost of \$14,760.

**Resolution No. 736** Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To

Execute A Lease Agreement With Family Services, Inc. At Trudy

Resnick Farber Center, Ellenville – Department Of Public Works

(Buildings & Grounds)

**Resolution Summary:** Leasing 3073sqft of office space to Astor Services in the Turdy

Resnick Building for an annual cost of \$37,116.

**Resolution No. 737** Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To

Execute A Lease Agreement With Family Services, Inc. At The Golden Hill Office Building, Kingston – Department Of Public

Works (Buildings & Grounds)

**Resolution Summary:** Leasing 4561 sqft of office space in the Golden Hill Office

Building to Family Services for an annual cost of \$54,732.

Motion No. 10 Moved to Block Resolution Nos. 735, 736, 737

Motion By: Legislator Petit
Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolutions Blocked

Motion No. 11 Moved to Adopt Blocked Resolutions

Motion By: Legislator Petit
Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

Disposition: Resolution Nos. 735, 736, 737 Adopted

**Resolution No. 738** Authorizing An Easement Agreement With Central Hudson Gas

And Electric Corporation For Purposes Of Relocating Electric Facilities To 3200 State Route 213 In The Town Of Esopus –

Department Of Public Works (Highways & Bridges)

**Resolution Summary:** Easement of County land with Central Hudson Gas and Electric

Corporation to relocate electrical facilities to 3200 State Route 213 in the Town of Esopus for a NYSDOT Wallkill River Bridge

Relocation Project.

Motion No. 12 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 738

Motion By: Legislator Petit
Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Litts, Nolan, Petit

**Voting Against:** Legislator Erner

Votes in Favor: 3 Votes Against: 1

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 739** Authorizing The Chair to Sign Easement Agreement With New

York State Electric & Gas For Purposes Of Relocating Electric Facilities At 6 Firehouse Road In The Town Of Shandaken –

Department Of Public Works (Highways & Bridges)

**Resolution Summary:** Easement of County land with New York State Electric & Gas to

relocate electrical facilities at 6 Firehouse Road in the Town of

Shandaken

Motion No. 13 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 739

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Litts

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Litts, Nolan, Petit

**Voting Against:** Legislator Erner

Votes in Favor: 3 Votes Against: 1

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 740** Establishing Capital Project No. 679 For The Replacement Of The

Hurley Mountain Road Bridge, Town Of Marbletown -

Authorizing Implementation And Funding Of Costs Exceeding Federal And/Or State Aid Reimbursements - Amending The Capital Fund Budget - Department Of Public Works (Highways

And Bridges)

**Resolution Summary:** Replacing the Hurley Mountain Road Bridge in the Town of

Marbletown.

Motion No. 14 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 740

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Petit

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 742** Establishing Capital Project No. 680 – Replacement Of The

Scudder Brook Bridge, Town Of Hardenburgh, And Authorizing Implementation Funding Pending Reimbursement From Federal-Aid And State "Marchiselli" Program-aid Eligible Costs, -

Department Of Public Works (Highways And Bridges)

**Resolution Summary:** Replacement of the Scudder Brook Bridge in the Town of

Hardenburgh.

Motion No. 15 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 742

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Erner

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None

Votes in Favor: 4 Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 744** Amending The 2024 - 2029 Capital Improvement Program –

Establishing Capital Project No. 681 – 368 Broadway Fire Alarm And Access Control Upgrades - Amending The Capital Fund Budget - Department Of Public Works (Buildings & Grounds)

**Resolution Summary:** Installing passive and active security measures at the County-

owned facility on 368 Broadway in Kingston.

Motion No. 16 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 744

Motion By: Legislator Litts
Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: Legislator Erner

Votes in Favor: 3 Votes Against: 1

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 746** Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$199,610.49 Entered

Into By The County – Securitas Technology Corporation –

Department Of Public Works

**Resolution Summary:** Contract with Securitas Technology Company for Security

equipment and software improvements at 368 Broadway.

Motion No. 17 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 746

Motion By: Legislator Litts
Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Litts, Nolan, Petit

**Voting Against:** Legislator Erner

Votes in Favor: 3 Votes Against: 1

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 747** Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$135,000.00 Entered

Into By The County – Dutchess Tekcon Industries, Inc. –

Department Of Public Works

**Resolution Summary:** Contract with Dutchess Tekcon Industries for HVAC maintenance

in County Buildings.

Motion No. 18 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 747

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Litts

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 748** Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$178,360.00 Entered

Into By The County – Encon Services & Supply, Inc. –

Department Of Public Works

**Resolution Summary:** Contract with Encon Services & Supply for Direct Digital support

services.

Motion No. 19 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 748

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Litts

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 749** Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$107,899.00 Entered

Into By The County – Gotham Refining Chemical Corp. –

Department Of Public Works

**Resolution Summary:** Contract with Gotham Refining Chemical Corp. for testing,

treatment and maintenance of the water cooling system in County

buildings.

Motion No. 20 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 749

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Litts

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 750** Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For

\$74,064.11 Entered Into By The County – County Waste And

Recycling Service, Inc. - Department Of Public Works

**Resolution Summary:** Extending term of agreement to December 31, 2024 and increasing

level of service for dual stream recycling.

Motion No. 21 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 750

Motion By: Legislator Litts
Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Litts, Nolan, Petit

**Voting Against:** Legislator Erner

Votes in Favor: 3 Votes Against: 1

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 751** Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For

\$23,318.00, Causing The Aggregate Contract Plus Amendment

Amount To Be In Excess Of \$50,000.00, Entered Into By The County – Ashley Mechanical, Inc. – Department Of Public Works

**Resolution Summary:** Extending term of agreement to December 31, 2024.

Motion No. 22 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 751

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Erner

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 752** Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For

\$32,600.00, Causing The Aggregate Contract Plus Amendment Amount To Be In Excess Of \$50,000.00, Entered Into By The County – Eastern Heating & Cooling, Inc. – Department Of Public

Works

**Resolution Summary:** Extending term of agreement to December 31, 2024.

Motion No. 23 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 752

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Erner

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 753** Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For

\$355,600.00 Entered Into By The County – Vetere Real Estate

LTD. – Department Of Public Works

**Resolution Summary:** Extending term of agreement for property maintenance services on

a month-to-month basis of 701 Grant Avenue.

Motion No. 24 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 753

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Erner

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 754** Approving The Use Of A Project Labor Agreement For Capital

Project No. 607 – Ulster County Government Operations Center – Department Of Public Works And Department Of Purchasing

**Resolution Summary:** Project Labor Agreement for the Government Operations Center.

Motion No. 25 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 754

Moved By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Erner

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None

**Abstentions:** Legislator Litts

Votes in Favor: 3 Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 425** Establishing A Policy To Liberalize Access To Public Spaces For

Survival

**Resolution Summary:** Establishing A Policy To Liberalize Access To County-owned property

for those without a permanent home.

Motion No. 26 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 425

Motion By: Legislator Erner Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Resolution Summary:** 

**Disposition:** Resolution Adopted

**Resolution No. 464** Ulster County Public Transportation Level-Of-Service Policy

This Resolution requires UCAT to provide regular fixed-route and paratransit service such that the public may attend all Sessions of the Legislature, guaranteeing that the day's last run on each regular fixed-route bus line in the municipality where the Session took place, as well as that any paratransit riders' return trip, shall depart no earlier than half-

an-hour following the end of the Session.

Motion No. 27 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 464

Motion By: Legislator Erner Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

Voting in Favor:Legislators Erner, PetitVoting Against:Legislators Litts, Nolan

Votes in Favor: 2 Votes Against: 2

**Disposition:** Resolution Defeated

**Resolution No. 597** Establishing A Policy To Require Additional Reporting And

Establish Goals To Expand Paratransit Services - Department Of

**Public Transportation** 

**Resolution Summary:** Setting a policy to expand paratransit services to within <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> mile of fixed

bus routes.

Motion No. 28 Moved to Adopt Resolution No. 597

**Motion By:** Legislator Erner

**Seconded By:** Legislator Nolan

Voting in Favor: Legislators Erner, Petit Voting Against: Legislators Litts, Nolan

**Votes in Favor:** 2

Votes Against: 2

**Disposition:** Resolution Defeated

**New Business** 

Motion No. 29 Moved to Appoint Legislator Herbert Litts, III as the PWCPT

**Member of the Fleet Management Committee** 

Motion By: Legislator Erner Seconded By: Legislator Nolan

**Voting in Favor:** Legislators Erner, Litts, Nolan, Petit

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 4
Votes Against: 0

**Disposition:** Motion Carried

**Adjournment** 

Motion By: Legislator Nolan Seconded By: Legislator Litts

**TIME:** 9:10 PM

Respectfully Submitted By: Michael Tierney, Legislative Support Specialist

**Minutes Approved:** February 5, 2024