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# County of Schenectady

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## SCHENECTADY COUNTY LEGISLATURE

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## ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

**January 3, 2022 at 5:30 P.M.**

### AGENDA

1. Organizational Meeting Called to Order
2. Invocation
3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
4. Administration of the Oath of Office to New and Returning Members
5. Roll Call
6. Reading of Certificates of Designation
7. Administering of the Oath of Office to the Majority Leader
8. Inaugural Remarks of the Majority Leader
9. Administering of the Oath of Office to the Minority Leader
10. Inaugural Remarks of the Minority Leader
11. Nomination and Election of Chairperson of the County Legislature
12. Administering Oath of Office to Chairperson
13. Inaugural Remarks of the Chairperson of the County Legislature
14. Nomination and Election of Vice-Chairperson of the County Legislature
15. Administering Oath of Office to the Vice-Chairperson
16. Inaugural Remarks of the Vice-Chairperson of the County Legislature

17. Reading of the Certificate of Designation of Deputy Chairperson of the County Legislature
18. Administering Oath of Office to Deputy Chairperson of the County Legislature
19. Inaugural Remarks of the Deputy Chairperson of the County Legislature
20. Resolution 1-22      The Committee on Rules (R1) A RESOLUTION CONTINUING THE APPOINTMENT OF GEOFFREY T. HALL AS CLERK OF THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY LEGISLATURE
21. Resolution 2-22      The Committee on Rules (R2) A RESOLUTION CONTINUING THE APPOINTMENT OF RORY FLUMAN AS SCHENECTADY COUNTY MANAGER
22. Resolution 3-22      The Committee on Rules (R3) A RESOLUTION CONTINUING THE APPOINTMENT OF JULIE B. MCDONNELL AS THE COUNTY AUDITOR
23. Resolution 4-22      The Committee on Rules (R4) A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF THE COUNTY OF SCHENECTADY
24. Resolution 5-22      The Committee on Rules (R5) A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENTS OF VARIOUS PERSONS TO THE POSITION OF CHAPLAIN AT THE GLENDALE NURSING FACILITY
25. Resolution 6-22      The Committee on Rules (R6) A RESOLUTION REGARDING THE VARIOUS DEPUTIES IN THE OFFICE OF THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY CLERK
26. Adjournment



## **RESOLUTION 1-22**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION CONTINUING THE APPOINTMENT OF GEOFFREY T. HALL AS CLERK OF THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY LEGISLATURE**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, Section 2.07 of Article II of the Schenectady County Charter places the authority of appointment of the Clerk of the Schenectady County Legislature with members of the Schenectady County Legislature; and

**WHEREAS**, Geoffrey T. Hall has demonstrated the ability to perform the duties of Clerk of the Schenectady County Legislature with talent and distinction; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the Schenectady County Legislature, and the County of Schenectady as a whole, to continue the appointment of Geoffrey T. Hall as Clerk of the Schenectady County Legislature; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Schenectady County Legislature hereby continues the appointment of Geoffrey T. Hall as Clerk of the Schenectady County Legislature.



## **RESOLUTION 2-22**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION CONTINUING THE APPOINTMENT OF RORY FLUMAN AS SCHENECTADY COUNTY MANAGER**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, subdivision 10 of section 2.11 of Article II of the Schenectady County Charter places the authority of the appointment of the Schenectady County Manager with the members of the Schenectady County Legislature; and

**WHEREAS**, Rory Fluman has demonstrated that he has the executive and administrative abilities to perform the duties of Schenectady County Manager and to supervise the County Departments, Offices, Agencies and Administrative Units; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the Schenectady County Legislature, and the County of Schenectady as a whole, to continue the appointment of Rory Fluman as Schenectady County Manager; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Schenectady County Legislature hereby continues the appointment of Rory Fluman as the Schenectady County Manager to serve during the period January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2023.



## **RESOLUTION 3-22**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION CONTINUING THE APPOINTMENT OF JULIE B. MCDONNELL AS THE COUNTY AUDITOR**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, section 5.2.1 of the Rules of Order and Procedure of the Schenectady County Legislature provides that the Schenectady County Legislature shall appoint a County Auditor at its organizational meeting; and

**WHEREAS**, Julie B. McDonnell has demonstrated the abilities to perform the duties of County Auditor with talent and distinction; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the Schenectady County Legislature, and the County of Schenectady as a whole, to continue the appointment of Julie B. McDonnell as County Auditor; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Schenectady County Legislature hereby continues the appointment of Julie B. McDonnell as County Auditor, at a 2022 annual salary of \$123,280.00, and at a job classification of JC-14.



## **RESOLUTION 4-22**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF THE COUNTY OF SCHENECTADY**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**RESOLVED**, that pursuant to the provisions of section 214 of the County Law and section 2.13 of Article II of the Schenectady County Charter, the Daily Gazette is hereby designated as the official newspaper for the publication of all local laws, notices and other matters required by law to be published for the 2022 and 2023 calendar years.



## **RESOLUTION 5-22**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENTS OF VARIOUS PERSONS TO THE POSITION OF CHAPLAIN AT THE GLENDALE NURSING FACILITY**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the County of Schenectady has the need to appoint citizens to provide invaluable service to our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager has recommended that the following persons be appointed to the position of Chaplain at the Glendale Nursing Facility for a term extending until December 31, 2023, to wit:

Rabbi Matthew Cutler  
Reverend Dwight Moore  
Reverend Desmond Rossi

; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the aforesaid appointments by the County Manager be and they hereby are confirmed and approved.



## **RESOLUTION 6-22**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION REGARDING THE VARIOUS DEPUTIES IN THE OFFICE OF THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY CLERK**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, section 400 of the NYS County Law provides that the County Clerk of the County of Schenectady is an elective officer with a four-year term; and

**WHEREAS**, section 401 of the NYS County Law provides that this Governing Body may authorize the County Clerk of the County of Schenectady to appoint one or more deputies, who shall perform such duties not inconsistent with law as shall be assigned to them by the County Clerk; and

**WHEREAS**, section 401 of the NYS County Law further provides that the deputies shall possess the powers and perform the duties of the County Clerk during the absence or inability of the County Clerk to act; and

**WHEREAS**, section 401 of the NYS County Law further provides that the deputies so designated shall possess the powers and perform the duties of the County Clerk until the disability is removed; and

**WHEREAS**, section 41 of the NYS Civil Service Law provides that the deputies of the County Clerk authorized by law to act generally for and in place of the County Clerk shall be in the exempt class of the classified services; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Schenectady County Clerk shall be authorized to appoint and remove up to five deputy clerks who shall be authorized to act generally for and in place of the County Clerk.