

Summary of Minutes  
WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE  
December 5, 2024  
5:30 p.m.

Chairman Maffucci called the meeting to order at 5:32 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Howard Maffucci (Chair), Michael Yudelson (Vice-Chair), Rachel Barnhart\*, John B. Baynes, Mercedes Vazquez Simmons, Jackie Smith (RMM), Steve Brew, Robert J. Colby, Paul Dondorfer, Blake Keller, Yversha Román (Ex Officio)

*(Note: Legislator Barnhart\* Participated Via Videoconference.)*

MEMBERS ABSENT: Lystra Bartholomew McCoy (Excused)

OTHER LEGISLATORS PRESENT: William Burgess

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Jeff McCann (Deputy County Executive), Robert Franklin (CFO), John Bringewatt (County Attorney), Laura Smith (Chief Deputy County Attorney), Richard Tantalo (Public Safety Director), Michael J. Garland, P.E. (DES Director), Amy Grande (Real Property Director), Thalia Wright (Human Services Commissioner), Steve Newcomb (Office for the Aging Acting Director), Jennifer Kusse (Information Services), Korey Brown (Undersheriff), Andy Moore (Airport Director), Steve Barz (Communications Director), Ana Liss (Planning Director), Denise Read (DHS), John Clark (Crime Lab), Mark Funk (Assigned Counsel), Jamie Romeo (County Clerk), Janson McNair (OPI Director), Rebecca Case Caico (Planning), Sean Murphy (DES), Andrea Guzzetta Zury (HR Director), Amy Grower (Chief of Staff – Exec’s Office), Adrienne Green (Legislative Liaison), Daniel Krebs (IS), Patrick Merideth (Parks Director), Tim Henry (Public Safety Deputy Director), David Reilich (Board of Elections), Jacklyn Ortiz (Board of Elections Commissioner), Peter Elder (Board of Elections Deputy Commissioner), Eric Leinenbach (OPI), Clem Chung (DES), Bob Zerby (ME Office), David Scott (DEI), Dale Russell (Veteran’s Services), Bob Kiley (Parks Deputy Director), Dawn Staub (District Attorney Admin), Tony Jordan (Youth Bureau Director), Alyssa Tallo (Monroe Community Hospital Director), Chanh Quach (Planning), Dr. Marielena Velez de Brown (Public Health Commissioner), Julie Cianca (Public Defender), Pete Mikiciuk (Safety and Security Administrator)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Led by Legislator Howard Maffucci.

PUBLIC HEARING: Assessment Rolls for the Gates-Chili-Ogden Sewer District, Irondequoit Bay South Central Pure Waters District, Northwest Quadrant Pure Waters District and Rochester Pure Waters District for 2025  
**There were no speakers.**

PUBLIC HEARING: Proposed 2025 Monroe County Budget  
**There was 1 speaker and the public hearing ended at 5:39 p.m.**

PUBLIC FORUM: There were no speakers.

PRESENTATION: Robert Franklin, Chief Financial Officer of Monroe County presented the Proposed 2025 Monroe County Budget as it pertained to the Ways and

Means Committee. A question and answer period followed.

*(Chairman Maffucci declared a brief recess after the question and answer period and the recess ended at 8:25 P.M.)*

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of October 22, 2024 were approved as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS:

Legislator Yudelson Moved the remaining Agenda as a whole except for referral nos. 24-0392, 24-0408, 24-0409, 24-0411, 24-0412, 24-0414 and 24-0415 and Legislator Smith seconded the motion

ADOPTED: 10-0

**24-0357 -** Amend Resolution 167 of 2023 to Increase the Contracts with M/E Engineering, P.C. and Wendel WD Architecture, Engineering, Surveying & Landscape Architecture, P.C. for Energy Engineering Term Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

**24-0359 -** Authorize Contracts with Erdman, Anthony, and Associates, Inc.; LaBella Associates, D.P.C.; Popli Architecture +Engineering & L.S., D.P.C.; and SWBR Architecture, Engineering & Landscape Architecture, D.P.C. for Monroe Community College Engineering and Architectural Term Services - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

**24-0360 -** Authorize Contracts with Campus Construction Management Group Inc.; Christa Construction, LLC; LeChase Construction Services, LLC; and LiRo Engineers, Inc. for General Construction Management Term Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

**24-0361 -** Authorize Contracts with C&S Architects, Engineers & Landscape Architect, PLLC; CPL Architects, Engineers and Landscape Architect D.P.C.; and Erdman, Anthony and Associates, Inc. for Monroe Community Hospital Architectural and Engineering Term Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

**24-0362 -** Authorize the Alteration of Gates-Chili-Ogden Sewer Assets by the New York State Department of Transportation During the NY Route 204 from Route 33A to Rochester City Line Project in the Town of Gates – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0364 - Authorize Contracts with Arcadis of New York, Inc.; Day Engineering, P.C.; and MRB Group, Engineering, Architecture & Surveying, D.P.C. for Wastewater Engineering Term Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0366 - Authorize Contracts with Day Engineering, P.C.; LiRo Engineers Inc.; and Ravi Engineering & Land Surveying, P.C. for Environmental Consulting Term Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0368 - Authorize Contracts with Barton & Loguidice Engineers & Architects, PLLC; C&S Architects, Engineers & Landscape Architect, PLLC; and Stantec Consulting Services Inc. for Sustainability Consulting Term Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0369 - Authorize a Contract with Barton & Loguidice, D.P.C. and Environmental Design & Research, Landscape Architecture and Engineering, D.P.C. for General Solid Waste Consulting Term Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0370 - Authorize Contracts with Barton & Loguidice, D.P.C.; LaBella Associates, D.P.C.; and Popli Architecture + Engineering & L.S., D.P.C. for General Engineering and Architectural Term Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0371 - Authorize Contracts with SWBR Architecture, Engineering & Landscape Architecture, D.P.C. and T.Y. Lin International Engineering & Architecture, P.C. for Code Enforcement Term Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0372 - Authorize a Contract with GEI Consultants, Inc. for Professional Services for Northeast Quadrant (Gloria Drive) Landfill Geological Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0374 - Authorizing a License Agreement with Bella Events Group for the 2025 Rochester Pride Festival – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0375 - Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the Town of Parma for the Establishment and Operation of an Off-Leash Dog Park – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0376 - Authorize Contracts to Provide Temporary Respiratory Therapy Staff at Monroe Community Hospital – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0377 - Acceptance of Funding from the New York State Office of Mental Health and the New York State Office of Addiction Services and Supports and Amend Resolution 471 of 2023 Authorizing Contracts for the Provision of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, and Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services in 2024 for the Monroe County Office of Mental Health – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0 (*Legislator Vazquez Simmons Declared Her Interest Prior to the Vote.*)

- 24-0378 - Authorize Contracts for the Provision of Mental Health, Developmental Disability, and Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services in 2025 for the Monroe County Office of Mental Health – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0379 - Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Municipalities for Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau Programs in 2025 – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0380 - Authorize Contracts with Not-For-Profit Agencies for Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau Programs in 2025 – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0381 - Amend Resolution 318 of 2022 to Increase and Extend the Contract with United Way of Greater Rochester, Inc. for the Monroe County Age Friendly Implementation Plan for Older Adults – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0382 - Authorization to Contract for Monroe County Office for the Aging Programs in 2025-2026 – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0383 - Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Orleans County, Genesee County, and Various Other Counties for Services Provided by the Monroe County Department of Public Health’s Sexual Health Clinic – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0384 - Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Orleans County, Genesee County, and Various Other Counties for Services Provided by the Monroe County Department of Public Health’s Tuberculosis Control Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0385 - Amend Resolution 126 of 2019 to Accept Additional Funding from the New York State Department of Health and Extend the Time Period for the High Impact Prevention within Communities of Color Program; Amend Resolution 527 of 2021, as Amended by Resolution 47 of 2022 and Resolution 109 of 2023 to Amend and Increase the Contracts to Provide Nursing and Health Care Provider Services for the Monroe County Department of Public Health– County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0386 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Department of Health for the High Impact Prevention and Services that Address Social Determinants of Health and Reduce Health Disparities within Communities of Color, Component C Prevention and Essential Support Services for Women and Young Women within Communities of Color – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0 (*Legislator Vasquez Simmons Declared Her Interest Prior to the Vote.*)

- 24-0387 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Department of Health for Support of the Monroe County Nurse-Family Partnership Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0388 - Authorize a Contract with Nurse-Family Partnership (National Service Office) for Support of the Nurse-Family Partnership Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0389 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Department of Health for the Tuberculosis Prevention and Control Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0390 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee for the Comprehensive Toxicology Testing in Driving Under the

Influence and Driving Under the Influence of Drugs Program (Office of the Medical Examiner – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0391 - Authorize a Contract with the University of Rochester for Support of the Forensic Pathology Fellowship Program at the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0393 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Department of Transportation for the Monroe County Safe Routes to School Project – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0394 - Authorize the Alteration of Monroe County Fiber and Lighting Systems by the New York State Department of Transportation During the NYS Route 33A and NYS Route 259 Intersection Safety Improvements Project in the Town of Chili – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0395 - Authorize the Installation of New Highway and Under Bridge Lighting and Alteration of Monroe County Lighting Systems by the New York State Department of Transportation During the I-590 Over NYS Route 31 Bridge Replacements and I-590 over Allens Creek Road Bridge Deck Replacements Project in the Town of Brighton – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0396 - Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Seneca County and Wayne County for the Detention of Seneca County and Wayne County Incarcerated Individuals in the Monroe County Jail – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0397 - Acceptance of a Grant from the United States Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, for the FY24 COPS Technology and Equipment Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0398 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee for the New York State’s Highway Safety Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0399 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee for the Police Traffic Services Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0400 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services for the FY2023 Domestic Terrorism Prevention Grant Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0401 - Acceptance of the Aid to Prosecution – Illegal Fentanyl Prosecution Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Office of the District Attorney – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0402 - Acceptance of the Aid to Prosecution Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Office of the District Attorney – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0403 - Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Other Counties for Forensic Laboratory Services Provided by the Monroe County Crime Laboratory – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0404 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee for the Highway Safety Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0405 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee for the Child Passenger Safety Program (Department of Public Safety) – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0406 - Authorize a Contract with SIEGER Services Group, Inc. to Provide Polygraph Examination Services – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0407 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State STOP-DWI Foundation, Inc. for DWI High Visibility Engagement Campaign Enforcement and Authorize Agreements with Ten Municipalities and Two State Entities – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0410 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services for the FY2021 Cyber Security Grant Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0413 - Amend Resolution 14 of 2011, as Amended by Resolution 313 of 2020, Resolution 427 of 2021, Resolution 283 of 2022, and Resolution 394 of 2023 to Provide Funding to The Lilac Festival, Inc. and to Extend the Term of the Agreement to Produce the Lilac Festival in Highland Park; and Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester – As a Matter of Importance – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0392 - Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the Town of Perinton for the Turk Hill Road Sidewalk Extension Project Partially Funded through Monroe County; Appropriate Committed Fund Balance; and Authorize an Interfund Transfer – County Executive Adam J. Bello, Legislators Lystra Bartholomew McCoy and John B. Baynes

MOVED by Legislator Baynes, SECONDED by Legislator Yudelson.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0408 - Approve the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the Monroe County Executive and the International Union of Operating Engineers Local 158 – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0409 - Approve the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the Monroe County Executive, Monroe County Sheriff, and the Monroe County Sheriff Police Benevolent Association – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislators Brew, Colby, Dondorfer, Keller, Smith and Vazquez Simmons.  
ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0411 - Authorize an Interagency Agreement with the Monroe County Department of Planning and Development for Monroe County's HOME Investment Partnerships Program and Authorize an Appropriation Transfer – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.  
ADOPTED: 10-0



- 24-0412 - Authorize an Interagency Agreement with the Monroe County Department of Public Safety – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0414 - Amend Resolution 264 of 2024 to Increase the Contract with Game Plan Marketing, Inc. to Provide Media Buying Services for Departments of Monroe County – As a Matter of Importance – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.

ADOPTED: 10-0

- 24-0415 - Acceptance of a Grant from the US Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance for the Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Use Program – As a Matter of Importance – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Yudelson, SECONDED by Legislator Baynes.

ADOPTED: 10-0 (*Legislator Vazquez Simmons Declared Her Interest Prior to the Vote.*)

OTHER MATTERS

*Legislator Dondorfer offered his condolences to Legislator Vazquez Simmons and her family.*

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no other matters, Chairman Maffucci adjourned the meeting at 8:57 p.m.

The next meeting of the Ways and Means Committee will be **Tuesday, December 17, 2024 at 6:00 P.M.**

Respectfully Submitted,  
David Grant  
Clerk of the Legislature