

# **County of Albany**

Harold L. Joyce  
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112 State Street - Albany, NY 12207



## **Meeting Agenda**

**Tuesday, January 31, 2023**

**6:30 PM**

**Harold L. Joyce Albany County Office Building  
Cahill Room - First Floor**

**Rules Review and Legislative Modernization Committee**

**PREVIOUS BUSINESS:**

1. APPROVING PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES
2. LOCAL LAW NO. "O" FOR 2022: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK ADOPTING THE CODE OF ALBANY COUNTY

**CURRENT BUSINESS:**

3. DISCUSSION REGARDING IMPLEMENTATION OF GRANICUS PROGRAMS FOR ALBANY COUNTY

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## **Meeting Minutes**

**Wednesday, October 26, 2022**

**6:30 PM**

**Harold L. Joyce Albany County Office Building  
Room 730**

**Rules Review and Legislative Modernization Committee**

**PREVIOUS BUSINESS:**

**Present:** Lynne Lekakis, Jeffrey D. Kuhn, Mark E. Grimm, Andrew Joyce, Matthew J. Miller, Bill L. Ricard and Wanda F. Willingham

**Excused:** Joseph E. O'Brien and Jeff S. Perlee

**1. APPROVING PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES**

A motion was made that the previous meeting minutes be approved. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

**CURRENT BUSINESS:**

**2. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. "O" FOR 2022: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY REGARDING THE ADOPTION OF THE CODE OF ALBANY COUNTY**

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

**3. LOCAL LAW NO. "O" FOR 2022: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK ADOPTING THE CODE OF ALBANY COUNTY**

This Local Law was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

## LOCAL LAW NO. "O" FOR 2022

### A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK ADOPTING THE CODE OF ALBANY COUNTY

Introduced: 10/11/22

By: Messrs. A. Joyce, Feeney, Beston, Ms. Chapman, Messrs. Cleary, Commisso, Domalewicz, Efekoro, R. Joyce, Kuhn, Ms. Lekakis, Mr. Mayo, Mss. McLaughlin, McLean Lane, Mr. Miller, Ms. Plotsky, Messrs. Reinhardt, Reidy, Ward and Ms. Willingham:

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY AS FOLLOWS:

#### ARTICLE I

#### **Adoption of Code**

##### **§ 1-1. Code adopted; continuation of existing provisions.**

In accordance with Subdivision 3 of § 20 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, the local laws certain resolutions of Albany County, as codified and consisting of the Charter and Chapters 1 through 488, are hereby approved, adopted and enacted as the Code of Albany County, hereinafter referred to as the "Code." The provisions of the Code, insofar as they are substantively the same as those of local laws and resolutions in force immediately prior to the enactment of the Code by this local law, are intended as a continuation of such local laws and resolutions and not as new enactments.

##### **§ 1-2. Code on file; additions and amendments.**

- A. A copy of the Code has been filed in the office of the County Clerk and shall remain there for use and examination by the public until final action is taken on this local law. Following adoption of this local law, such copy shall be certified to by the Clerk of the County of Albany by impressing thereon the Seal of the County, as provided by law, and such certified copy shall remain on file in the office of the County Clerk, to be made available to persons desiring to examine the same during all times while said Code is in effect.
- B. Additions or amendments to the Code, when adopted in such form as to indicate the intent of the County Legislature to make them a part thereof, shall be deemed to be incorporated into such Code so that reference to the "Code of Albany County" shall be understood and intended to include such additions and amendments. Nothing contained in this local law shall affect the status of any local law or resolution contained in the Code, and such local laws or resolutions may be

amended, deleted or changed from time to time as the County Legislature deems desirable.

**§ 1-3. Notice; publication.**

In the event that notice of enactment of this local law is required due to amendments adopted by way of this local law to zoning or land use provisions, or is otherwise required by law, the Clerk of Albany County shall cause notice of the enactment of this local law to be given in the manner required by law. The notice of the enactment of this local law, coupled with the availability of a copy of the Code for inspection by the public, shall be deemed, held and considered to be due and legal publication of all provisions of the Code for all purposes.

**§ 1-4. Severability.**

Each section of this local law and of the Code and every part of each section is an independent section or part of a section, and the holding of any section or a part thereof to be unconstitutional, void or ineffective for any cause shall not be deemed to affect the validity or constitutionality of any other sections or parts thereof.

**§ 1-5. Repealer.**

Repeal of inconsistent enactments. All local laws of a general and permanent nature, or parts of such local laws, inconsistent with the provisions contained in the Code adopted by this local law are hereby repealed; provided, however, that such repeal shall only be to the extent of such inconsistency, and any valid legislation of Albany County which is not in conflict with the provisions of the Code shall be deemed to remain in full force and effect.

**§ 1-6. Enactments saved from repeal; matters not affected.**

The repeal of local laws and ordinances provided for in § 1-5 of this local law shall not affect the following classes of local laws, rights and obligations, which are hereby expressly saved from repeal:

- A. Any right or liability established, accrued or incurred under any legislative provision of Albany County prior to the effective date of this local law or any action or proceeding brought for the enforcement of such right or liability.
- B. Any offense or act committed or done before the effective date of this local law in violation of any legislative provision of Albany County or any penalty, punishment or forfeiture which may result therefrom.

- C. Any prosecution, indictment, action, suit or other proceeding pending or any judgment rendered prior to the effective date of this local law brought pursuant to any legislative provision of Albany County.
- D. Any agreement entered into or any franchise, license, right, easement or privilege heretofore granted or conferred by Albany County.
- E. Any local law of Albany County providing for the laying out, opening, altering, widening, relocating, straightening, establishing grade, changing name, improvement, acceptance or vacation of any right-of-way, easement, street, road, highway, park or other public place within Albany County or any portion thereof.
- F. Any local law of Albany County appropriating money or transferring funds, promising or guaranteeing the payment of money or authorizing the issuance and delivery of any bond of Albany County or other instruments or evidence of the County's indebtedness.
- G. Local laws authorizing the purchase, sale, lease or transfer of property, or any lawful contract, agreement or obligation.
- H. The levy or imposition of special assessments or charges.
- I. The annexation or dedication of property.
- J. Any local law relating to salaries and compensation.
- K. Any local law relating to or establishing a pension plan or pension fund for County employees.
- L. Any local law or portion of a local law establishing a specific fee amount for any license, permit or service obtained from the County.
- M. Any local law adopted subsequent to June 13, 2022.

**§ 1-7. Changes in previously adopted legislation.**

- A. In compiling and preparing the local laws and resolutions for publication as the Code of Albany County, certain grammatical changes and other minor nonsubstantive changes were made in one or more of said pieces of legislation. It is the intention of the County Legislature that all such changes be adopted as part of the Code as if the local laws and resolutions had been previously formally amended to read as such.
- B. In addition, the amendments and/or additions as set forth in Schedule A attached hereto and made a part hereof are made herewith, to become effective upon the

effective date of this local law. (Chapter and section number references are to the local laws and resolutions as they have been renumbered and appear in the Code.)

**§ 1-8. Titles and headings; editor's notes.**

- A. Chapter and article titles, headings and titles of sections and other divisions of the Code are inserted in the Code and may be inserted in supplements to the Code for the convenience of persons using the Code and are not part of the legislation.
- B. Editor's notes indicating sources of sections, giving other information or referring to the statutes or to other parts of the Code are inserted in the Code and may be inserted in supplements to the Code for the convenience of persons using the Code and are not part of the legislation.

**§ 1-9. Penalties for tampering with Code.**

Any person who alters or tampers with the Code of Albany County in any manner whatsoever which will cause the legislation of Albany County to be misrepresented thereby, or who violates any other provision of this local law, shall be guilty of an offense and shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to a fine of not more than \$250 or imprisonment for a term of not more than 15 days, or both.

**§ 1-10. When effective.**

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State of the State of New York.



## Albany County Code Adoption Schedule A: List of Code Changes

### Specifically Repealed:

The following local laws are repealed and/or have been preempted by state law:

- Local Law No. 4-1992, a local law regulating the sale of tobacco products from vending machines within the County
- Local Law No. 1-1999, a local law prohibiting body piercing of minors
- Local Law No. 1-2005, a local law prohibiting the sale and purchase and use of alcohol without liquid (AWOL) machines or alcohol vapor devices in Albany County.
- Local Law No. 8-2006, a local law establishing residency restrictions for sex offenders who have committed criminal offenses against minors
- Local Law No. 2-2009, a local law prohibiting the use of wireless handsets to compose, read or send text messages while operating a motor vehicle
- Local Law No. 4-2009, a local law requiring health clubs and sports facilities to have automated defibrillators and CPR-certified staff present during hours of operation.
- Local Law No. 5-2010, a local law banning the sale of drop-side cribs in Albany County
- Local Law No. 8-2010, a local law banning the sale of e-cigarettes to persons under the age of 18
- Local Law No. 4-2015, a local law prohibiting the use of electronic cigarettes in public places where traditional forms of smoking are prohibited

## Division 2: Local Laws

### Chapter 23, Fire Insurance Proceeds

1. Section 23-1 is amended as follows: *Pursuant to § 22 of the General Municipal Law, as amended [~~by Chapters 738 and 739 of the Laws of 1977~~], the County of Albany is authorized and empowered to claim against the proceeds of a policy of fire insurance insuring the interest of an owner and issued on real property located within the County of Albany to the extent of any tax lien thereon, and such claim shall constitute a lien against such proceeds and as to such proceeds be prior to all other liens and claims except the claim of a [~~mortgage~~] **mortgagee** of record named in such policy.*
2. Section 23-2 is amended as follows: *It is hereby provided that the County of Albany shall release or return to the insured any amount to which the County would otherwise be entitled to claim under § 22 of the General Municipal Law, provided that the insured agrees in writing with the County of Albany to restore the affected premises to the same or improved condition that it was in prior to the time that the lien of the County against said proceeds arose, subject to such conditions as the County Legislature, by the resolution directing the collecting officer to make such a claim, shall provide to guarantee performance of such obligation, **including, but not limited to, an agreement to deposit such proceeds in an escrow account or that the insured shall obtain a performance bond.***

### Chapter 79, Traffic Safety Board

1. Section 79-3 is amended to add the following lead-in statement: **The Board shall:** . . .
2. Section 79-4 is amended to add the following lead-in statement: **The Board is authorized:** . . .
3. Section 79-5 is amended to add the following lead-in statement: **The Executive Secretary shall:** . . .

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**Chapter 102, Airport, Article I, Parking and Traffic Regulations**

Original Section 2(b) of Local Law No. 4-1971, permitting free parking in front of the Terminal building, is repealed.

**Chapter 110, Animals, Article II, Animal Abuse Registry**

1. In § 110-3, the definition of “animal abuse crime”, is amended as follows:
  - a. Subsection B is amended to change the statutory citation from “NYS Penal Law (PL) § 130.20(a)” to “NYS Penal Law (PL) § 130.20(3).”
  - b. Subsection C is amended to change the statutory citation from “PL § 140.10 and PL § 140.15” to “PL § 242.10 and PL § 242.15.”
  - c. Subsection D is amended as follows: *Killing or injuring a police animal in violation of PL § 195.06 or PL § 195.06-a.*
2. Section 110-15E is amended as follows: *Every person required to register with the Animal Abuse Registry shall pay an annual fee [~~of \$50~~] to the Albany County Sheriff's Department in an amount set from time to time by the Albany County Legislature. All such fees shall be used to pay the administrative and maintenance costs of maintaining the registry.*

**Chapter 110, Animals, Article III, Pet Sellers**

1. Section 110-22C is amended as follows: *Each application for a permit shall be accompanied by a nonrefundable fee in [~~the following amount: For pet sellers selling or offering for sale 25 or more animals per year \$200; for pet sellers selling or offering for sale less than 25 animals per year \$100~~] an amount set from time to time by the Albany County Legislature.*
2. The last sentence of § 110-27C(2)(b) is amended to change “additional 50 days” to “additional 60 days.”
3. Section 110-30 is amended to add the following lead-in statement: *Dog source breeders shall comply with the following minimum standards of care: . . .*

**Chapter 117, Article I, Bicycles**

Section 117-2 is amended to change “13 and under” to “14 and under.”

**Chapter 117, Article II, Scooters**

Sections 117-10 and 117-12 are amended to change 13 years of age to 14 years of age.

**Chapter 146, Article II, Environmental Quality Review**

1. Citations to 6 NYCRR Part 617 in this article are revised as follows:
  - a) Sections 146-7 and 146-11: 617.12 is changed to 617.4.
  - b) Sections 146-11 and 146-13: 617.7 is changed to 617.8.
  - c) Section 146-14: 617.4 is changed to 617.14.
  - d) Section 146-14: 617.8 is changed to 617.8.
2. In the definition of “PRB” in § 146-6, “planning department” is changed to “Department of Economic Development, Conservation and Planning”; and “division of highways” is changed to “Department of Public Works.”
3. Section 146-9A is amended to change “within 15 calendar days” to “within 20 calendar days.”

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4. Section 146-10 is amended as follows: *Every application for determination under this article shall be accompanied by a [\$25] fee **in an amount set from time to time by the Albany County Legislature**, payable to the appropriate department, board, commission, officer or employee having jurisdiction, to defray the expenses incurred in rendering such determination.*

**Chapter 153, Farming**

Section 153-5B is amended to change “state board of real property services” to “Commissioner of Taxation and Finance.”

**Chapter 157, Article I, E911 Surcharge**

1. Section 157-5 is amended as follows: *Pursuant to the authority granted by County Law § 303, there is hereby imposed a surcharge of [~~\$0.25 per month in 1991, \$0.30 per month in 1992, and~~] \$0.35 per month [~~commencing in January 1993~~] on a per-access-line basis on all current bills rendered for local exchange access service within the 911 service area, subject to the limitations contained herein.*
2. Section 157-6C is amended as follows: *Upon any "Lifeline" customers of local telephone service suppliers **or a public safety agency**.*

**Chapter 170, Article II, Disposable Food Service Ware**

In § 170-10, the definition of “customer” is amended as follows: *CUSTOMER - Any person(s) purchasing prepared food **from a food** service establishment.*

**Chapter 175, Freshwater Wetlands**

Section 175-2 is amended to change “Planning Department” to “Economic Development, Conservation and Planning Department.”

**Chapter 187, Home and Day Care Providers**

Section 187-7A is amended to change Penal Law § 260.30 to Penal Law § 260.31.

**Chapter 210, Article I, Natural Gas Waste Disposal and Use**

In § 210-2, the definition of “natural gas waste” is amended to read as follows:

*NATURAL GAS WASTE –*

- A. Any liquid or solid waste, or its constituents, that is generated as a result of natural gas extraction activities, which may consist of produced and flowback water, drill cuttings, drilling mud, brine, chemicals, naturally occurring radioactive materials, heavy metals or other contaminants;*
- B. Leachate from solid wastes associated with natural gas extraction activities;*
- C. Any liquid waste that is generated as a result of or in association with the underground storage of natural gas;*
- D. Any liquid waste that is generated as a result of or in association with liquefied petroleum gas well storage operations; and*
- E. Any products or by-products resulting from the treatment, processing or modification of any of the above wastes.*

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**Chapter 258, Streets and Sidewalks, Article I, Notification of Defects**

Section 258-3 is amended as follows: *The Commissioner of Public Works shall keep an indexed record, in a separate book, of all written notices which he/she shall receive of the existence of such defective, unsafe, dangerous or obstructed condition, or such snow or ice, which record shall state the date of receipt of the notice, the nature and location of the condition stated to exist and the name and address of the person from whom the notice is received. All such written notices shall be indexed according to the location of the alleged defective, unsafe, dangerous or obstructed condition, or the location of accumulated snow or ice.*

**Chapter 265, Tattooing and Body Piercing**

Section 265-10C is amended as follows: *All dyes or pigments used in tattooing shall be from batches certified by the Federal Food and Drug Administration. (For informational purposes, see [~~Chapter 54~~] the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, 21 U.S.C. § 301 et seq.)*

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article I, Sales and Use Tax**

1. Section 270-5A(3) is amended to delete the reference to “paragraphs . . . (7) and (8) of subdivision (c) of Section Two.”
2. Section 270-5A(4) is amended to delete the reference to “paragraphs . . . (7) of subdivision (c) of Section Two.”

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article II, Senior Citizens Exemption**

1. Original Sections 2, 3 and 4 of Local Law No. 10-2006, regarding exemptions beginning July 1, 2006, July 1, 2007, and July 1, 2008, respectively, are repealed.
2. Section 270-20 is amended as follows: *Any exemption provided by this article shall be computed after all other partial exemptions allowed by law, excluding the school tax relief (STAR) exemption, have been [submitted] subtracted from the total amount assessed.*
3. Sections 270-23 and 270-24A are amended to change “State Board” to “Commissioner of Taxation and Finance.”

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article III, Hotel Occupancy Tax**

1. This article is amended to change “Director of Finance” to “Commissioner of Management and Budget” throughout.
2. Section 270-48C is amended to change “tax commission” to “Department of Taxation and Finance.”

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article VI, Redemption Period for Residential and Farm Property Subject to Tax Lien**

Section 270-59 is amended as follows: *As permitted by Subdivision 2 of § 1111 of the Real Property Tax Law, the Albany County Tax District hereby adopts this article increasing the redemption period for residential property and farm property located within Albany County subject to an eligible delinquent real property tax lien arising after January 1, 1995, from two years to three years after lien date.*

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article VII, Installment Payment of Delinquent Real Property Taxes**

1. Section 270-63A is amended to change “24 months” to “36 months.”
2. Section 270-68, Waiver of interest and penalties for eligible deployed military members, is added as follows:

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*The County may waive interest, penalties and fees as would otherwise be imposed pursuant to this article, provided that:*

*A. The financial hardship was caused in substantial part by the owner's having been ordered to active military duty in the United States Armed Forces, including the reserve components of such Armed Forces; and*

*B. The deployment lasted for at least six contiguous months, or the owner was killed in action during such activation; and*

*C. The owner provides satisfactory written evidence to the enforcing officer that the standards of this section have been satisfied.*

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article VIII, Alternative Veterans Exemption**

1. Section 270-73A is amended as follows: *For purposes of extending alternative veterans real property tax exemptions to Gold Star Parents as authorized by Chapter 326 of the Laws of New York for 2000, in § 458-a of the Real Property Tax Law, a "Gold Star Parent" shall be defined as the parent of a child who died in the line of duty while serving in the United State Armed Forced during a period of war. A Gold Star Parent shall be deemed to be eligible for the exemption for qualifying residential real property under §§ 270-80 and 270-81 of this article, **provided that such property is the primary residence of the Gold Star Parent.***
2. Section 270-75C is added as follows: **The additional exemption provided for in § 270-75 of this article shall not apply to real property owned by a Gold Star Parent.**

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article IX, Exemption for Disabled Persons with Limited Income**

1. Original Sections 2, 3 and 4 of L.L. No. 9-2006, regarding exemptions beginning July 1, 2006, July 1, 2007, and July 1, 2008, respectively, are repealed.
2. In § 270-79, the definition of "person with a disability," Subsection C, is amended to change "State Commission for the Blind and Visually Handicapped" to "State Commission for the Blind."
3. In § 270-79, the definition of "person with a disability," Subsection E is added as follows: **Is certified to receive a United States Department of Veterans Affairs disability pension pursuant to 38 U.S.C. § 1521.**
4. Section 270-80 is amended as follows: *An award letter from the Social Security Administration or the Railroad Retirement Board, or a certification from the State Commission for the Blind [~~and Visually Handicapped~~], or an award letter from the United States Postal Service, **or an award letter from the United States Department of Veterans Affairs** shall be submitted as proof of disability.*

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article X, Empire Zone Exemption**

1. Article X is amended to change "state board of real property services" to "Commissioner of Taxation and Finance" throughout.
2. Article X is amended to change "economic development zone" to "Empire Zone" throughout.

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article XII, Exemption for Volunteer Firefighters and Ambulance Workers**

Section 270-121A is amended to change "State Board of Equalization and Assessment" to "Commissioner of Taxation and Finance."

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article XIII, Cold War Veterans Exemption**

1. Article XIII is amended to change "state board" or "state board of real property services" to "Commissioner of Taxation and Finance."

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2. In § 270-125, the definition of “cold war veteran” is amended to read as follows: *A person, male or female, who served on active duty in the United States armed forces, during the time period from September 2, 1945 to December 26, 1991, and was discharged or released therefrom under honorable conditions or has a qualifying condition, as defined in Executive Law § 350, and has received a discharge other than bad conduct or dishonorable from such service, or is a discharged LGBT veteran, as defined in Executive Law § 350, and has received a discharge other than bad conduct or dishonorable from such service.*

**Chapter 270, Taxation, Article XIV, First-Time Homebuyers Exemption**

1. Section 270-132C is amended as follows: *By [~~Chapter 77 of the Laws of 2011~~] **Chapter 128 of the Laws of 2017**, § 457 of the New York Real Property Tax Law was amended to authorize the continuation through December 31, [~~2016~~] **2022**, of the tax exemption for first-time homebuyers based on income in order to create a positive climate for economic growth and to assist future homeowners in Albany County.*
2. Section 270-136B is amended to change “December 31, 2016” to “December 31, 2022.”
3. Section 270-138A is amended to change “state board of real property services” to “Commissioner of Taxation and Finance.”
4. Section 270-139 is amended to change “state board of real property services” to “Commissioner of Taxation and Finance.”

**Chapter 274, Taxicabs**

1. In § 274-2, the definition of “consumer affairs” is repealed and replaced by the following: **DIVISION - The Department of General Services, Division of Weights and Measures, of the County of Albany.**
2. This chapter is amended to change “Consumer Affairs” to “the Division” throughout.

**Chapter 279, Towing**

1. In § 279-2, the definition of “department” is repealed and replaced by the following: **DIVISION - The Department of General Services, Division of Weights and Measures, of the County of Albany.**
2. Section 279-3B(3) is amended as follows: *The tow truck operator shall have a copy of the statement **required by Subsection A(2) of this section** from the property owner in his/her possession.*
3. Section 279-3G is amended as follows: *The use of immobilization devices [~~or~~] **on** any motorized vehicles is prohibited in the County of Albany or any of its municipalities, whether on public or private property, except when authorized by federal, state or local law enforcement authorities.*
4. Section 279-5 is amended to change “Department of Consumer Affairs” and “Department” to “Division.”

**Chapter 288, Article I, Abandoned Motor Vehicles**

Section 288-4 is amended as follows: *After the expiration of [~~sueh~~] **any period of time set forth in the definition of "abandoned vehicle" in § 288-2**, any public officer or any other authorized agent of the County of Albany may serve notice upon the owner of such abandoned vehicle by posting a notice conspicuously on each abandoned vehicle.*

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**Division 3: Resolutions**

**Chapter 315, Airport, Article I, Rules and Regulations**

Section 315-7P(4) is amended to change “2400 – 0600” to “2300 – 0600.”

**Chapter 320, Part 1, Article VI, Human Services Advisory Board**

1. Section 320-18A(2) is amended to read as follows: *Advise the Legislature with respect to the qualifications of candidates appointed to the positions of administrative heads of the Departments of Social Services, Aging, Residential Health Care Facilities and the Department of Children, Youth and Families, including the Youth Bureau; and . . .*
2. Section 320-19 is amended to read as follows: *The Human Services Advisory Board authorized by Article 21 of the Albany County Charter is established for the purposes set forth in said Article 21 and the County Legislature shall appoint members to the Human Services Advisory Board from time to time, with said individuals to serve thereon at the pleasure of the County Legislature.*

**Chapter 320, Part 1, Article X, Economic Development Committee**

Article X is amended to change “Travel, Tourism, Commerce, Business, Industry, and Economic Development Committee” to “Economic Development Committee.”

**Chapter 404, Legislation, Adoption of**

Section 404-2 is amended to change “Department of Information Services” to “Division of Information Services.”

**Chapter 434, Property, Disposition of, Article I, Review of Real Property**

Sections 434-2 and 434-3 are amended to change “Planning Department” to “Department of Economic Development, Conservation and Planning.”

**Chapter 434, Property, Disposition of, Article II, Personal Property**

Section 434-6C is amended to change “less than \$1,000” to “\$1,000 or less.”

**Chapter 445, Purchasing and Contracts, Article V, Extension of Bids to Political Subdivisions**

Section 445-13 is amended to change “New York State Division of Standards and Purchase” to “New York State Department of General Services.”

**Chapter 469, Smoking**

Section 469-2A is amended as follows: *Pursuant to Resolution No. 413 by the Legislature of the County of Albany, smoking (the burning or carrying of a lighted cigar, cigarette, pipe or any other substance which contains tobacco or any electronic vaping or similar device) by staff, visitors or volunteers in Albany County buildings is prohibited in: . . .*