

March 26, 2021

SPECIAL MARCH MEETING

Meeting held on Wednesday, March 26, 2021 at 2:00 P.M.

The Board met pursuant to statute and was called to order by the Chairman. Below is a Roster of the members of the Board of Legislators listing their respective Legislative Districts.

- R-1 Keith Schiebel (Vernon, District 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Verona, District 5)
- R-2 Colin Idzi (Augusta District 1, 2; Kirkland District 3, 8; Marshall District 1, 2; Sangerfield District 1, 2)
- R-3 Norman Leach (Rome 3rd Ward, District 3; Verona Districts 3, 4, 6; Vienna District 1, 2, 3, 4)
- R-4 Cynthia Rogers-Witt (Rome Ward 1, District 2; Ward 2 District 2, 3, 4, 5 Ward 3 District 1, 4, 5; Ward 7 District 2; Verona District 1, 2)
- R-5 Michael B. Waterman (Annsville, District 1, 2, 3; Camden District 1, 2, 3; Florence District 1; Lee District 3)
- R-6 Steve Boucher (Ava District 1; Boonville District 1, 2, 3, 4; Forestport District 1, 2; Remsen District 1; Steuben District 1)
- R-7 Gerald J. Fiorini (Lee District 5; Rome Ward 1 district 1, Ward 6 District 1, 2, 3, 4, Ward 7 District 3, 4, 5)
- R-8 Richard A. Flisnik (Floyd District 2, 3; Marcy District 1, 2, 3, 4; Whitestown District 5)
- D-9 Philip M. Sacco (Deerfield District 1, 2, 3; Floyd District 1; Trenton District 1, 2, 3, 4)
- R-10 George Joseph (Kirkland District 1, 10; Rome Ward 2, District 1; Westmoreland District 1, 2, 3, 4)
- R-11 Robert Koenig (Whitestown District 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 15)
- R-12 Brenda McMonagle (Rome Ward 3 District 2; Ward 4 District 1, 2, 3, 4; Ward 5 District 1, 2, 3, 4)
- R-13 Christopher Newton (New Hartford Ward 2 District 1, 2; Whitestown District 3, 10, 11, 12, 14, 16)
- D-14 Chad Davis (Kirkland District 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9; New Hartford Ward 4 District 1, 2, 3, 4)
- R-15 James M. D'Onofrio (New Hartford Ward 1 District 3, 5; Ward 2 District 3, 4; Ward 3 District 1, 2, 3, 4)
- R-16 Mary Pratt (Bridgewater District 1; New Hartford Ward 1 District 1, 2, 4; Paris District 1, 2, 3)
- R-17 Stephen DiMaggio (Lee District 1, 2, 4; Rome Ward 1 District 3, 4; Ward 7 District 1; Western District 1, 2, 3)
- R-18 Jeffery Daniels (Utica Ward 4 District 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9)
- I-19 Timothy Julian (Utica Ward 3 District 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9; Ward 5 District 2)
- D-20 Evon M. Ervin (Utica Ward 1 District 8; Ward 5 District 1, 3, 4, 5, 6)
- D-21 Lori Washburn (Utica Ward 2 District 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7; Ward 3 District 10; Ward 5 District 7)
- D-22 Rose Ann Convertino (Utica Ward 1 District 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7; Ward 2 District 2, 8)
- D-23 Anthony C. Leone Jr. (Utica Ward 6, District 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9)

MEMBERS PRESENT: Schiebel, Idzi, Leach, Rogers-Witt, Waterman, Boucher, Fiorini, Flisnik, Sacco, Joseph, Koenig, McMonagle, Newton, Davis, D'Onofrio, Pratt, DiMaggio, Daniels, Julian, Ervin, Washburn, Convertino, Leone

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

No. 058 – FN 2021-077 – Messrs. D'Onofrio and Waterman offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

RE: APPOINTMENT OF NICHOLE SHORTELL AS COMMISSIONER OF ELECTIONS FOR THE REPUBLICAN PARTY FOR A TERM TO EXPIRE DECEMBER 31, 2022 GRADE 43M, STEP 8 (\$89,253)

WHEREAS, Peter Sobel, Chairman of the Oneida County Republican Committee, has certified that on March 23, 2021, at a meeting of the Oneida County Republican Committee, Nichole Shortell was endorsed and recommended for appointment as Commissioner of Elections of Oneida County for the Republican Party to fill an existing vacancy for a two year term commencing March 26, 2021 and ending December 31, 2022, and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Election Law Section 3-204 said appointment must be approved by the Oneida County Board of Legislators, now, therefore, be it hereby

RESOLVED, That Nichole Shortell be, and hereby is, appointed as the Republican Commissioner of Elections of Oneida County, for a term commencing March 26, 2021, Grade 43m, Step 8 (\$89,253).

APPROVED: Ways and Means Committee (March 26, 2021)

DATED: March 26, 2021

Seconded by Mr. Idzi and adopted by the following vote:

AYES 23 NAYS 0 ABSENT 0

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No. 059 – FN 2021-075.1 – Mr. D’Onfrio offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

RE: APPROVAL TO CREATE FOUR (4) FULL-TIME PRINCIPAL CLERK POSITIONS (GRADE M19, STEP 2, \$30,358)

WHEREAS, This Board is in receipt of correspondence from Oneida County Executive, Anthony J. Picente, Jr., requesting authorization to create four (4) full-time Principal Clerk positions (Grade M19 Step 2, \$30,358) in the Oneida County Board of Elections office, and

WHEREAS, Said request must be approved by the Oneida County Board of Legislators, now, therefore, be it hereby

RESOLVED, That the Oneida County Board of Legislators hereby authorizes and approves creating four (4) full-time Principal Clerk positions (Grade M19, Step 2, \$30,358) in the Oneida County Board of Elections office – effective immediately.

APPROVED: Ways and Means Committee (March 26, 2021)

DATED: March 26, 2021

Seconded by Mr. Daniels and adopted by the following vote:

AYES 23 NAYS 0 ABSENT 0

No. 060 – FN 2021-075.2 – Mr. D’Onofrio offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

RE: APPROVAL FOR THE REALLOCATION OF GRADE FOR THE TITLE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF ELECTION

WHEREAS, This Board is in receipt of correspondence from Oneida County Executive, Anthony J. Picente, Jr., requesting authorization to reallocate the grade for the title Deputy Commissioner of Election, currently allocated at Grade M29, Step 2 (\$44,341), and

WHEREAS, It is the recommendation of the Oneida County Executive that the title Deputy Commissioner of Election be reallocated to Grade M38, Step 2 (\$60,851), and

WHEREAS, Said request must be approved by the Oneida County Board of Legislators, now, therefore, be it hereby

RESOLVED, That the Oneida County Board of Legislators authorizes and approves a reallocation of grade for the title Deputy Commissioner of Election from Grade M29, Step 2 (\$44,341) to Grade M38, Step 2 (\$60,851) – effective immediately.

APPROVED: Ways and Means Committee (March 26, 2021)

DATED: March 26, 2021

Seconded by Mr. Daniels and adopted by the following vote:

AYES 23 NAYS 0 ABSENT 0

No. 061 – FN 2021-075.3 – Mr. D’Onofrio offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

RE: APPOINTMENT OF SHARIE FIORINI-PARSONS AS DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF ELECTION - REPUBLICAN

WHEREAS, In accordance with the provisions of Article III, Section 302, of the Oneida County Charter, Oneida County Executive, Anthony J. Picente, Jr., has requested the appointment of Sharie Fiorini-Parsons to serve as Deputy Commissioner of Election - Republican (Grade M38, Step 5, \$67,168), and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Article XX, Section 2001, of the Oneida County Charter said appointment must be approved by the Oneida County Board of Legislators, now, therefore, be it hereby

RESOLVED, That the Oneida County Board of Legislators confirms the appointment of Sharie Fiorini-Parsons to serve as Deputy Commissioner - Republican (Grade M38, Step 5, \$67,168) – effective immediately.

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Seconded by Mr. Idzi and adopted by the following vote:
AYES 22 NAYS 0 ABSENT 0 ABSTAIN 1 (Mr. Fiorini)

No. 062 – 2021-075.4 – Mr. D’Onofrio offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

RE: APPOINTMENT OF NAYSHA LOMEDICO AS DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF ELECTION - DEMOCRAT

WHEREAS, In accordance with the provisions of Article III, Section 302, of the Oneida County Charter, Oneida County Executive, Anthony J. Picente, Jr., has requested the appointment of Naysha LoMedico to serve as Deputy Commissioner of Election - Democrat (Grade M38, Step 5, \$67,168), and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Article XX, Section 2001, of the Oneida County Charter said appointment must be approved by the Oneida County Board of Legislators, now, therefore, be it hereby

RESOLVED, That the Oneida County Board of Legislators confirms the appointment of Naysha LoMedico to serve as Deputy Commissioner - Democrat (Grade M38, Step 5, \$67,168) – effective immediately.

APPROVED: Ways and Means Committee (March 26, 2021)

DATED: March 26, 2021

Seconded by Ms. Washburn and adopted by the following vote:
AYES 23 NAYS 0 ABSENT 0

No. 63 – FN 2021-076 – Mr. D’Onofrio offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

RE: SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION OF \$239,932.00 TO A1450.0 – VARIOUS BOARD OF ELECTIONS ACCOUNTS

WHEREAS, In accordance with Section 609 of the Administrative Code, the County Executive has requested a supplemental appropriation be made in the amount of \$239,932.00 to A1450.0 – Various Board of Elections Accounts, and

WHEREAS, Said supplemental appropriation will be supported by unanticipated revenue in the following account in the following amount:

A2215	Reimb. Other Govts – Board of Elections	\$239,932.00
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now, therefore, be it hereby

RESOLVED, That a supplemental appropriation, from 2021 funds, as hereinafter set forth, is hereby approved:

TO:

A1450.101	Salaries – Board of Elections	\$162,540.00
A1450.830	Social Security – Board of Elections	\$ 12,435.00
A1450.840	Workers Compensation – Board of Elections	\$ 4,551.00
A1450.850	Unemployment Insurance – Board of Elections	\$ 406.00
A1450.860	Health Insurance – Board of Elections	<u>\$ 60,000.00</u>
		\$239,932.00

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Seconded by Mr. Idzi and adopted by the following vote:

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CERTIFICATION OF THE CLERK

STATE OF NEW YORK, County of Oneida, ss:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true report of the proceedings of the Board of Legislators of the County of Oneida on Wednesday, March 26, 2021 at 2:00 P.M., typographical errors excepted.

MIKALE BILLARD