ENVIRONMENT

RESOLUTION NO. 2024163

RE: CONFIRMING NEW APPOINTMENT TO THE DUTCHESS COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

Legislators D'AQUANNI, TRUITT, POLASEK, CASWELL, VERSACI, GORMAN, PAOLONI, and LAWLER offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, Section 12.03 of the Dutchess County Charter, entitled "Planning Board; Appointment; Vacancies", establishes an advisory Planning Board consisting of thirteen (13) members, all of whom shall be residents of Dutchess County, and

WHEREAS, Section 12.03 of the Dutchess County Charter empowers the County Executive to appoint nine (9) members of the Dutchess County Planning Board, including one member from the City of Poughkeepsie and one member from the City of Beacon, subject to confirmation by the Dutchess County Legislature, and

WHEREAS, Section 12.03 of said Charter provides for the Dutchess County Legislature to appoint four (4) members to the Dutchess County Planning Board, and

WHEREAS, Section 12.03 of said Charter provides that with reference to both County Executive and Legislative appointments, all subsequent appointments to fill vacancies resulting from the expiration of terms shall be for three (3) years, and

WHEREAS, the Dutchess County Planning Board currently has one (1) Legislative vacancy to be filled, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the following individual be appointed to serve as a volunteer member of the Dutchess County Planning Board:

APPOINTMENT	TERM EXPIRES
Norma V. Drummond 11 Brandy Lane Wappingers Falls, NY 12590 (Filling unexpired term of Phil DeRosa)	12/31/2026

APPROVED
Susan J. Serino
SUSAN J. SERINO
COUNTY EXECUTIVE
Date October 18, 2024

STATE OF NEW YORK
ss:
COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, have compared the foregoing resolution with the original resolution now on file in the office of said clerk, and which was adopted by said Legislature on the 15th day of October 2024, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 15th day of October 2024.

DUTCHESS COUNTY SEAL

Leigh Wager
LEIGH WAGER, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

Norma V. Drummond
normadrummond@optonline.net
(914) 260-5178

Planning and Affordable Housing Consultant
Assisting with the review and feasibility of properties for affordable housing from both the land use and financial perspectives. As a resident of East Fishkill for over 35 years, with almost 25 years of experience on my local Planning and Zoning Boards, I can provide local guidance on many planning issues. 7/2023 - Present

Westchester County Commissioner of Planning, White Plains, NY
Responsible for the orderly growth of the County and operations of the Planning Department overseeing the Land Use, Design, Environmental, Housing and Administration sections and the boards and commissions that the Department assists. 1/2018-4/30/2023 (retired)

Westchester County Deputy Commissioner (Housing & Community Development)
Responsible for the administration of annual federal and NYS grants for housing and community development, including Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program *(program ended 12/31/2010)*, CDBG, HOPWA, ESG, HOME, Lead Safe Westchester, NYS Affordable Housing Corporation, RESTORE (budget authority of approximately $60 million annually). Oversight on property review and acquisition/disposition, grant recommendations, legislative proposals, technical assistance to communities and developers, budgeting and financing of affordable housing development, and monitoring of programs for regulatory compliance. 2003-2017

Assistant Commissioner for Housing & Community Development, 2000-2003
Director of Program Development II (Housing & Planning), 1995-1999
Program Director – Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program, 1993-1995
Westchester County Office of Economic Development, 1986-1993 - Responsible for business recruitment and promotion of Westchester County as the place to do business. Staff oversight of IDA bond issues and Westchester Business Partnership marketing efforts.

Adjunct Professor, Mercy College, Dobbs Ferry, NY
American History and Government courses on both Yorktown and Dobbs Ferry campuses. 1990-1993

Education

Masters in Public Administration (Government) Pace University, White Plains, NY
Bachelor of Arts (Economics, History & Political Science) College of Mount Saint Vincent, Riverdale

Professional Affiliations

2023-present **Dutchess County Planning Federation**
2022-present **Dutchess County Housing Trust Fund Review Committee**
2000–present **Town of East Fishkill - Zoning Board of Appeals**, Chair
Planning Board, Chair 2003 – 2009; Member 2000-2003, 2010
2003–2023 **Westchester Housing Fund d/b/a Community Capital New York**, Elmsford, NY
1995-2016 **National Association for County Community and Economic Development**, Wash, DC
President 2005-2006
2011–2014 **Wappingers Central School District Board of Education**, Wappingers, NY
2003-2014 **Community Housing Resource Center**, Tarrytown, NY
2005-2010 **National Association of Counties**, Comm & Eco Dev Committee, Washington, DC
2003-2006 **Dutchess County Workforce Housing Task Force**, Poughkeepsie, NY
1999-2003 **New York State Association for Renewal and Housing Officials**, Albany, NY
1993-2003 **New York State Division of Housing and Community Renewal**, Albany, NY
New York State Section 8 Task Force, Chair 2000-2003

Environment Subcommittee Roll Call

District	*Name*	*Yes*	*No*
District 1 – Town of Poughkeepsie	Gorman	✓	
District 3 – LaGrange	Polasek*		
District 4- Hyde Park/Town of Poughkeepsie	Lawler	✓	
District 7 – Hyde Park/Pleasant Valley	Truitt*		
District 9 – City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins*		
District 16 – Fishkill/Beacon	Valdés Smith*		
District 24 – Dover/Pawling	House	✓	
District 25 - Amenia/Washington/Pleasant Valley/Village of Millbrook	Houston*		
* = Ex Officio	Total:		

Recommendations: Norma Drummond has unanimously chosen to fill vacant slot Jan is thru Dec 2026.

Date: 9/9/2024

Environment Committee Roll Call

District	*Name*	*Yes*	*No*
District 7 - Hyde Park and Pleasant Valley	Truitt*	✓	
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Houston*		
District 3 - LaGrange	Polasek*		
District 16 - Fishkill and Beacon	Valdés Smith*		
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins*		
District 1 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Gorman		
District 4 - Hyde Park and Town of Poughkeepsie	Lawler		
District 5 - Town of Poughkeepsie	D'Aquanni (C)		
District 6 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Kaul		
District 13 - East Fishkill and Wappinger	Paoloni (VC)		
District 18 - City of Beacon and Fishkill	Page	Absent	
District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House		

Present: 11
Absent: 1
Vacant: 0

Resolution: ✓
Motion: ___

Total : 11 Yes 0 No
Abstentions: 0

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Roll Call Sheets

District	Last Name	YES	NO
District 7 - Hyde Park and Pleasant Valley	Truitt	✓	
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Houston		
District 3 - LaGrange	Polasek		
District 16 - Fishkill and Beacon	Valdés Smith		
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins		
District 1 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Gorman		
District 2 - LaGrange, Pleasant Valley & Town of Poughkeepsie	Travelpiece	Absent	
District 4 - Hyde Park and Town of Poughkeepsie	Lawler		
District 5 - Town of Poughkeepsie	D'Aquanni		
District 6 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Kaul		
District 8 - City and Town of Poughkeepsie	Brendli		
District 10 - City of Poughkeepsie	Johnson	Absent	
District 11 - Clinton, Pleasant Valley, and Rhinebeck	Kearney	Absent	
District 12 - East Fishkill	Metzger		
District 13 - East Fishkill and Wappinger	Paoloni		
District 14 - Wappinger and Town of Poughkeepsie	Versaci		
District 15 - Wappinger	Faust		
District 17 - Town and Village of Fishkill	McHoul		
District 18 - City of Beacon and Fishkill	Page		
District 19 - North East, Stanford, Pine Plains, Milan & Red Hook	Drago		
District 20 - Red Hook, Tivoli, and Rhinebeck	Munn		
District 21 - East Fishkill	Caswell		
District 22 - Beekman and Union Vale	Garito		
District 23 - Pawling, Beekman and East Fishkill	Rolison		
District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House		

Present: 22 **Resolution:** ✓ **Total :** 22 (Yes) 0 (No)

Absent: 3 **Motion:** ____

Vacant: 0 **Abstentions:** 0

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