



Committee on Environment & Health

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Tuesday, January 12, 2021

1:00 PM

Committee Chair: Ruth Walter

Committee Room, 148 Martine Avenue, 8th Floor, White Plains, NY 10601

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CALL TO ORDER

With a quorum present, Chair Walter called the meeting to order at 1:07 PM.

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Ruth Walter	Chair	Present	
Nancy Barr	D6 Legislator	Absent	
Catherine Borgia	D9 Legislator	Remote	
Kitley Covill	D2 Legislator	Absent	
Catherine Parker	D7 Legislator	Remote	
MaryJane Shimsky	D12 Legislator (Majority Leader)	Remote	
Benjamin Boykin	D5 Legislator (Chairman)	Absent	

Others In Attendance: BOL: Y. Valencia, M. Montalto (remote)

MINUTES APPROVAL

- Monday, August 10, 2020 at 11:30 AM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

- Tuesday, August 11, 2020 at 1:00 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

- Wednesday, September 09, 2020 at 3:02 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

- Monday, September 14, 2020 at 1:02 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

- Tuesday, September 15, 2020 at 1:00 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

- Tuesday, September 22, 2020 at 1:00 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

7. Tuesday, September 29, 2020 at 1:00 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

8. Monday, October 05, 2020 at 10:02 AM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

9. Monday, October 05, 2020 at 11:31 AM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

10. Tuesday, October 06, 2020 at 1:00 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

11. Tuesday, October 13, 2020 at 1:00 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

12. Tuesday, October 20, 2020 at 1:00 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

13. Tuesday, November 10, 2020 at 1:00 PM

With a motion by Legislator Parker and seconded by Legislator Borgia the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

I. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

II. OTHER BUSINESS

Unfinished Business and any other agenda items to come before the Committee.

III. RECEIVE & FILE

1. **(ID # 12349) *Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Journal News Article - "White House, CDC Fight Slows Water Toxicity Study":***

Forwarding a *Journal News* article entitled, "White House, CDC Fight Slows Water Toxicity Study."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

2. **(ID # 12353) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Journal News Article - "Nicotine Safety Rule Rarely Enforced":**

Forwarding a *Journal News* article entitled, "Nicotine Safety Rule Rarely Enforced."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

3. **(ID # 12355) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Journal News Article - "Main Break Causes Sewage to Run into Hudson River in Ossining":**

Forwarding a *Journal News* Article entitled, "Main Break Causes Sewage to Run into Hudson River in Ossining."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

4. **(ID # 12356) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: FEMA Intergovernmental Affairs Advisory - "FEMA Releases 2019 National Preparedness Report":**

Forwarding the FEMA 2019 National Preparedness Report.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

5. **(ID # 12381) Communication – HON. CATHERINE F. PARKER: NYTimes Article - "Texas Methane Super Emitters":**

Forwarding a *New York Times* article entitled, "Texas Methane Super Emitters."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

6. **(ID # 12382) Communication – HON. CATHERINE F. PARKER: Reuters.com Article - "U.S. drinking water widely contaminated with 'forever chemicals'":**

Forwarding a *Reuters.com* article entitled, "U.S. drinking water widely contaminated with 'forever chemicals': environment watchdog."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

7. **(ID # 12402) Communication – HON. CATHERINE F. PARKER: Timesunion.com Article - "Carbon pricing will jump start NY's energy goals":**

Forwarding a *Timesunion.com* article entitled, "Carbon pricing will jump start NY's energy goals."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

8. **(ID # 12403) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Journal News Article - "Vaping Crisis Ignited E-Cig, Tobacco Flavor Ban Push":**

Forwarding a *Journal News* article entitled, "Vaping Crisis Ignited E-Cig, Tobacco Flavor Ban Push."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

9. **(ID # 12404) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Journal News Article - "Opioid Victims Can Start Purdue Pharma Claims":**

Forwarding a *Journal News* article entitled, "Opioid Victims Can Start Purdue Pharma Claims."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

10. **(ID # 12405) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Journal News Article - "U.S. Suicide Rate Continues to Rise":**

Forwarding a *Journal News* article entitled, "U.S. Suicide Rate Continues to Rise."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

11. **(ID # 12408) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: NYSBA Article - "In Support of Legalization of Adult Recreational Marijuana in NY":**

Forwarding a *New York State Bar Association* article entitled, "In Support of Legalization of Adult Recreational Marijuana in NY."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

12. **(ID # 12409) Communication – HON. LYNDON D. WILLIAMS: Constituent Correspondence re: Family Leave Policy:**

Forwarding constituent correspondence regarding Family Leave Policy.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

13. **(ID # 12426) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: The Guardian Article - "How Juul Gets Kids Addicted to Vaping":**

Forwarding an article from *The Guardian* entitled, "How Juul Gets Kids Addicted to Vaping."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

14. **(ID # 12427) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Houston Chronicle Article - "Wales Hit Hardest by New Storm":**

Forwarding a *Houston Chronicle* article entitled, "Wales Hit Hardest by New Storm."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

15. **(ID # 12434) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: NYTimes Article - "A Latino Worker, a Risky Construction Site and a Family in Mourning":**

Forwarding a *New York Times* article entitled, "A Latino Worker, a Risky Construction Site and a Family in Mourning."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

16. **(ID # 12437) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: LoHud.com Article - "Stop and Shop Offers Free Reusable Bags Ahead of State Ban on Carryout Plastic":**

Forwarding a *Lohud.com* article entitled, "Stop and Shop Offers Free Reusable Bags Ahead of State Ban on Carryout Plastic."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

17. **(ID # 12479) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: 2020 NYSAC Legislative Conf. Resolutions - Standing Committee on Public Health & Mental Health:**

Forwarding Resolutions from the 2020 NYSAC Legislative Conference - Standing Committee on Public Health & Mental Health.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

18. **(ID # 12482) Communication – MARYJANE SHIMSKY: 2020 NYSAC Legislative Conf. Resolutions - Standing Committee on Economic Development, E&E:**

Forwarding Resolutions from the 2020 NYSAC Legislative Conference - Standing Committee on Economic Development, Environment & Energy.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

19. **(ID # 12484) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: 2020 NYSAC Legislative Conf. Resolutions - Standing Committee on Agriculture & Rural Affairs:**

Forwarding Resolutions from the 2020 NYSAC Legislative Conference - Standing Committee on Agriculture & Rural Affairs.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

20. **(ID # 12485) Communication – HON. CATHERINE BORGIA: Report-"Event Inquiry: Concerns Pertaining to Gas Transmission Lines at the Indian Point":**

Forwarding a report from the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Office of the Inspector General entitled, "Event Inquiry: Concerns Pertaining to Gas Transmission Lines at the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

21. **(ID # 12516) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Correspondence - Inadequate Handicap Signs:**

Forwarding correspondence regarding *Inadequate Handicap Signs on Bee-Line Buses*.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

22. (ID # 12518) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Hastings Resolution Opposing the Danskammer, LLC Build Out Proposal:

Forwarding a Resolution from the Village of Hastings-on-Hudson opposing the Danskammer, LLC Build Out Proposal.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

23. (ID # 12519) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Bloomberg Green.com Article - "U.S. Army Corps Suspends Key Study of NYC Storm Protections":

Forwarding a *Bloomberg Green* article entitled, "U.S. Army Corps Suspends Key Study of NYC Storm Protections."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

24. (ID # 12545) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: National Geographic Magazine Article - "The End of Trash":

Forwarding a *National Geographic Magazine* article entitled, "The End of Trash."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

25. (ID # 12555) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: NYS Bar Association Journal Article - Cannabis Legalization:

Forwarding an article from the *New York State Bar Association Journal* entitled, "Cannabis Legalization: Social Equity Provisions Are a Sticking Point and a Selling Point."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

26. (ID # 12556) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: The Examiner News Article - "Pleasantville Road Area Most Polluted Part of Saw Mill River":

Forwarding an article from *The Examiner News* entitled, "Pleasantville Road Area Most Polluted Part of Saw Mill River."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

27. (ID # 12557) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: New Yorker Magazine Article - "How South Korea Is Composting Its Way to Sustainability":

Forwarding an article from *The New Yorker Magazine* entitled, "How South Korea Is Composting Its Way to Sustainability."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

28. (ID # 12558) Communication – HON. CATHERINE F. PARKER: Correspondence-Grassroots Environmental Education re: Rye Synthetic Turf:

Forwarding correspondence received from Grassroots Environmental Education regarding Rye Synthetic Turf.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

29. (ID # 12579) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: LoHud Article - "Daycare centers worry they won't weather the fiscal hit from coronavirus":

Forwarding a *LoHud* article entitled, "Daycare centers, open or not, worry they won't weather the fiscal hit from the coronavirus."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

30. (ID # 12588) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Daily Kos.com Article - "Severe Child Abuse Increases in Texas Hospital amid Coronavirus Quarantine":

Forwarding a *Daily Kos.com* article entitled, "Severe Child Abuse Increases in Texas Hospital amid Coronavirus Quarantine."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

31. (ID # 12634) Communication – HON. DAMON MAHER: NYTimes Article - "Barr Expands Early Release of Inmates of Prisons Seeing More Coronavirus Cases":

Forwarding a *New York Times* article entitled, "Barr Expands Early Release of Inmates of Prisons Seeing More Coronavirus Cases."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

32. (ID # 12682) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: NYTimes.com - "Save a Life From Coronavirus: Bail Someone Out of Jail Today":

Forwarding a *NYTimes.com* article entitled, "Save a Life From Coronavirus: Bail Someone Out of Jail Today."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

33. (ID # 12693) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: The Buffalo News Article - "Work-at-home could mean "greener" Buffalo even after Covid-19":

Forwarding an article from *The Buffalo News* entitled, "Work-at-home could mean "greener" Buffalo even after Covid-19."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

34. (ID # 12737) Communication – HON. CATHERINE F. PARKER: Brookings.com Article - "The Carbon Tax Opportunity":

Forwarding a *Brookings.com* article entitled, "The Carbon Tax Opportunity."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

35. (ID # 12754) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: Correspondence regarding Grass Roots Matching Gift Drive:

Forwarding correspondence regarding Grass Roots Matching Gift Drive.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

36. (ID # 12755) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: Correspondence from National Nurses United - "Racism is a Public Health Crisis":

Forwarding correspondence from *National Nurses United* entitled, "Racism is a Public Health Crisis."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

37. (ID # 12757) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: Correspondence from WesPac regarding Police Reform:

Forwarding correspondence from WesPac regarding Police Reform.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

38. (ID # 12807) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Various Articles on Carbon Concrete Resources/Impact:

Forwarding various articles on Carbon Concrete Resources and Carbon Impacts of Concrete.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

39. (ID # 12808) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: 2020 Citizen's Water Quality Testing Program Results 6/26/20:

Forwarding the 2020 Citizen's Water Quality Testing Program results - June 26, 2020.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

40. (ID # 12813) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: Transportation Alternatives Report - "The Case for Self-Enforcing Streets":

Forwarding a report from *Transportation Alternatives* entitled, "The Case for Self-Enforcing Streets."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

41. (ID # 12852) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: Report - Speed Cameras vs. Red-Light Cameras:

Forwarding a summary of research by Legislator Maher's intern, Michael Glassman, regarding speed cameras and red-light cameras.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

42. **(ID # 12855)** **Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: USA Today Article - "Coronavirus pandemic gives new momentum to bike rides, local trails across USA":**

Forwarding a *USA Today* article entitled, "Coronavirus pandemic gives new momentum to bike rides, local trails across USA."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

43. **(ID # 12857)** **Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: NBC News Article - "The Holocaust survivor hoping to change American police culture":**

Forwarding an *NBC News* article entitled, "The Holocaust survivor hoping to change American police culture."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

44. **(ID # 12859)** **Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: 2020 Citizens Water Quality Testing Program Results - Weeks 3-5:**

Forwarding the New York City Water Trail Association - "2020 Citizens Water Quality Testing Program" results for Weeks 3-5.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

45. **(ID # 12860)** **Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: NPR Article - "Doctors and Dentists Still Flooding U.S. with Opioid Prescriptions":**

Forwarding an *NPR* article entitled, "Doctors and Dentists Still Flooding U.S. with Opioid Prescriptions."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

46. **(ID # 12861)** **Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: 2020 Citizens Water Quality Testing Program Results - Weeks 5-7:**

Forwarding the New York City Water Trail Association - "2020 Citizens Water Quality Testing Program" results for Weeks 5-7.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

47. (ID # 12862) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: 2020 Citizens Water Quality Testing Program Results - Weeks 6-8:

Forwarding the New York City Water Trail Association - "2020 Citizens Water Quality Testing Program" results for Weeks 6-8.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

48. (ID # 12930) Communication – HON. NANCY E. BARR: Foodandwaterwatch.org Article - "Larchmont Passes Resolution Opposing Danskammer Fracked Gas Plant":

Forwarding an article from *Foodandwaterwatch.org* entitled, Larchmont Passes Resolution Opposing Danskammer Fracked Gas Plant."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

49. (ID # 12935) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: NYC Water Trail Association - Water Quality Testing, Weeks 7-9:

Forwarding the New York City Water Trail Association - "2020 Citizens' Water Quality Testing Program" Weeks 7 - 9, July 31, 2020.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

50. (ID # 12936) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: NYC Water Trail Association - Water Quality Testing, Weeks 9-11:

Forwarding the New York City Water Trail Association - "2020 Citizens' Water Quality Testing Program" Weeks 9 - 11, August 7 and 14, 2020.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

51. (ID # 12966) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: The Examiner News Article - "Jacob Blake's Police Shooting Highlights the Hidden Victims":

Forwarding an article from *The Examiner News* entitled, "Jacob Blake's Police Shooting Highlights the Hidden Victims of Police Violence."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

52. (ID # 12967) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: McKinsey & Company Article - "Will Infrastructure Bend or Break under Climate Stress":

Forwarding a case study from *McKinsey & Company* entitled, "Will Infrastructure Bend or Break under Climate Stress."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

53. (ID # 12983) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Citizens Water Quality Testing Program Report - Weeks 9 - 17:

Forwarding the Citizens Water Quality Testing (CWQT) Program Report: Weeks 9 - 17/July 30 - September 24, 2020.

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

54. (ID # 12984) Communication – HON. NANCY E. BARR: Consumer Reports Article - "Why Dangerous 'Forever Chemicals' Are Still Allowed in America's Water":

Forwarding an article from *Consumer Reports* entitled, "Why Dangerous 'Forever Chemicals' Are Still Allowed in America's Drinking Water."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

55. (ID # 13010) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: NYS Bar Association Article - "Fighting the Scourge of Racial Injustice":

Forwarding an article from the *New York State Bar Association* entitled, "Fighting the Scourge of Racial Injustice."

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

56. (ID # 13064) Communication – HON. NANCY E. BARR: EWG.org Article-"Cause and Effect Link between 'Forever Chemicals' in Water and Reproductive Harms":

Forwarding an article from *EWG.org* entitled, "Minn. Study is First to Show Cause and Effect Link Between 'Forever Chemicals' in Drinking Water and Reproductive Harms".

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

57. **(ID # 13065) Communication – HON. BENJAMIN BOYKIN: NYTimes Article - "How the Virus Slowed the Booming Wind Energy Business":**

Forwarding a *New York Times* article entitled, "How the Virus Slowed the Booming Wind Energy Business".

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

58. **(ID # 13090) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: AP Article - "Mental health workers to take lead in some NYC 911 calls":**

Forwarding an article from the *Associated Press* entitled, "Mental health workers to take lead in some NYC 911 calls"

With a motion by Legislator Borgia and seconded by Legislator Parker the item was approved with a vote of 4-0.

RESULT: RECEIVED AND FILED

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Legislator Shimsky seconded by Legislator Parker the Committee adjourned at 1:20 PM.