

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, EDUCATION & CULTURE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES  
May 12, 2026

The Economic Development, Education & Culture Committee of the Broome County Legislature met on Tuesday, May 12, 2026 in the Legislative Conference Room, Sixth Floor, Edwin L. Crawford County Office Building, Binghamton, New York.

Members Present: M. Hilderbrant (Chair), E. Micha, J. Shaw, T. Ames, S. Ryan.

Members Absent: None.

Others Present: M. Tanzini, M. McDonald, C. French, Legislature; J. Garnar, C. Wagner, H. McCabe, County Executive; T. Adams, J. Lindsay, N. Angeline, OMB; C. Secor, Purchasing; K. White, E. Lux, DSS; T. DiGennaro, District Attorney; M. Turbush, B. Schramm, OFA; D. Goguen, OET; O. Catalano, C. Fedor, Health; S. Jerzak, S. Moshier, WPRNC; J. Hess, Visit Binghamton; Vincent Gialanella, Resident.

The Personnel Committee meeting was called to order by the Chair at 4:05 P.M. Legislator Ryan made a motion, seconded by Legislator Ames, to move the agenda

#7 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING REVISION OF THE WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT DISLOCATED WORKER PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING AND ADOPTING A REVISED PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2025-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#8 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING REVISION OF THE WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT ADULT PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING AND ADOPTING A REVISED PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2025-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#9 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT WITH THE BROOME COUNTY LOCAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION FOR FUNDING TO SUPPORT AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT IN BROOME COUNTY FOR 2026

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#10 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH SPIEDIE FEST AND BALLOON RALLY EXPO, INC. FOR USE OF OTSININGO PARK FOR THE 2026 SPIEDIE FEST & BALLOON RALLY

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#11 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT WITH ENVIRONMENTAL SYSTEMS INSTITUTE INC. (ESRI) FOR PROFESSIONAL CONSULTING SERVICES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR 2025-2026

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#12 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING APPOINTMENTS TO MEMBERSHIP ON THE BROOME COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#29 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE NEW YORK STATE SYSTEMS CHANGE AND INCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITIES NETWORK (NY SCION) PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#36 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TOWN OF KIRKWOOD FOR NY 250 FUNDS FOR 2026

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#37 RESOLUTION AMENDING THE 2026 COUNTY LIBRARY CONTINUING BUDGET

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

There being no further business to come before the Committee at this time, Legislator Micha made a motion, seconded by Legislator Shaw, to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 4:14PM.