

MEDIA ADVISORY

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SUFFOLK LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE WEEK AGENDA HIGHLIGHTS

August 10 - 13, 2009

Unless otherwise noted, meetings are held at the William H. Rogers Legislature Building, Hauppauge

HOT TOPICS

1. **Requiring pool retailers to post signs re: alarm requirements** (Committee vote Tuesday)
2. **5 cent surcharge on plastic bags** (Committee Vote Monday)
3. **Keeping Sex Offenders off FaceBook** (Committee Vote Thursday)

VETERANS & SENIORS COMMITTEE – Monday, 11:30 a.m.

Presentations: Army Sergeant Don Gomez, Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America (IAVA), Tom Ronayne, Director, Veterans Services Agency, Holly Rhodes-Teague, Director, Office for the Aging

ENVIRONMENT, PLANNING & AGRICULTURE – Monday, 1:00 p.m.

IR 1418 to reduce the use of disposable bags by retail stores. (Viloria-Fisher)

BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE – Tuesday, 10:00 a.m.

IR 1713 Apportioning mortgage tax by: County Treasurer. (Kennedy)

IR 1725 Apportioning mortgage tax by: County Treasurer. (Co. Exec.)

CONSUMER PROTECTION COMMITTEE – Tuesday, 1:00 p.m.

Presentation: Residential Solar Installations: -Kevin MacLeod Chairman, Long Island Solar Energy Industries Association, President KPS Solar, Sail Van Nostrand, Vice Chairman, Long Island Solar Energy Industries Association, President, Energy By Choice, Kathy Cunningham, Program director, Renewable Energy Long Island, D. Jerry Flaherty, Chief Electrical Inspector, Electrical Inspection Services Inc., Ralph Pacifico, PE. Pacifico Engineering, PC

IR 1604 requiring retailers of swimming pools to post signs regarding State pool alarm requirements. (Romaine)

PUBLIC WORKS & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE – Tuesday, 2:00 p.m.

IR 1527 Creating a "Share the Road" signage program in Suffolk County. (Eddington)

WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE – Wednesday, 10 a.m.

IR 1598 Establishing a Native American Affairs Advisory Board. (Browning)

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE – Thursday, 9:30 a.m.

IR 1590 Preventing registered sex offenders from maintaining accounts on social networking websites. (Montano)

LABOR, WORKFORCE & AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMMITTEE – Thursday, 1:00 p.m.

IR 1568 to strengthen the County's land transfer program for affordable housing. (Cooper)

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES – Thursday, 2 p.m.

Presentations: Karen Boorshtein, President/CEO of Family Service League, will be presenting on the Community Crisis Action Team (CCAT) and Joe's Project. These programs involve responding to suicide calls and suicide postvention services.

Full Committee Week Schedule and Text of resolutions is available online at <http://legis.suffolkcountyny.gov/>

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