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SUFFOLK LEGISLATURE

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GENERAL MEETING ACTION HIGHLIGHTS

Next meeting Tuesday, December 6, 9:30 a.m. ****Please note this meeting will be held in Riverhead

November 22, 2011

GENERAL MEETING REPORT

HOT TOPICS

1. Vetoes of Legislature's omnibus budget amendments overridden
2. Local law to require sex offenders to report to park police if they are spending the night at any county park approved
3. Local law to establish a Historic Structure Restoration pilot program in which private enterprises could use historic structures in return for restoring the property approved.

BILLS OF INTEREST APPROVED INCLUDED:

IR 1782 A local law to establish a reporting requirement for registered sex offenders in county parks.

(Lindsay)

IR 1815 Establishing an Historic Structure Restoration Pilot Program. (Horsley)

IR 1769 A local law establishing a "Puppy and Dog Protection Rating Program for pet stores in Suffolk County. (Cooper)

Public hearings held at this meeting included:

Procedural Motion 31 – Approval of Cross Bay Ferry License for Sayville Ferry Service, Inc. (P.O.) **(Closed)**

I.R. 1468 - A Charter Law creating a program for public financing of County campaigns and the banning of certain donations to curb potential conflicts of interest. (Co. Exec.) *Ways & Means* **(Recessed)**

I.R. 1605 – A Local Law to extend prompt payment policy to attorneys providing services pursuant to Article 18-B of New York County Law. (Montano) *Ways & Means* **(Recessed)**

I.R. 1704 – A Local Law to prohibit elected officials from publishing or allowing the publication of their names in advertisements for any County funded or sponsored program or event. (Co. Exec.) *Ways & Means* **(Recessed)**

I.R. 1716 – A Local Law to reduce the use of disposable bags by retail stores. (Viloria-Fisher) *Environment, Planning & Agriculture* **(Recessed)**

I.R. 1729 – A Charter Law to amend the Drinking Water Program to Fund Remediation of Contaminated Commercial Sites. (Cilmi) *Environment, Planning & Agriculture* **(Recessed)**

I.R. 1843 – A Local Law to increase the time animal abuse offenders must remain on the County's Animal Abuse Offenders Registry. (Cooper) *Public Safety* **(Closed)**

I.R. 1896 – A Local Law to clarify the regulation of second hand dealers and precious metal

dealers in the County of Suffolk. (Romaine) *Labor, Housing and Consumer Protection* **(Closed)**

I.R. 1897 – A Local Law to expand the hardship criteria for real property redemptions. (Browning) *Ways & Means* **(Closed)**

I.R. 1963 – A Local Law authorizing the sale of the County's ownership interest in the Residual Trust established under the Declaration and Agreement of Trust by and between the Wilmington Trust Company and Suffolk Tobacco Asset Securitization Corporation. (Lindsay) *Budget & Finance* **(Closed)**

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