

NASSAU COUNTY LEGISLATURE

PETER J. SCHMITT,  
PRESIDING OFFICER

GOVERNMENT SERVICES &  
OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

HOWARD KOPEL,  
CHAIRMAN

1550 Franklin Avenue  
Mineola, New York

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A P P E A R A N C E S:

HOWARD KOPEL  
Chair

DENISE FORD  
Vice-Chair

FRANCIS BECKER

DENNIS DUNNE (Not Present)

VINCEN MUSCARELLA (Sitting in for Dennis Dunne)

WAYNE WINK  
Ranking

DAVID DENENBERG

ROBERT TROIANO

2 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Government Services is  
3 next.

4 I am here.

5 Legislator Ford?

6 LEGISLATOR FORD: Here.

7 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Legislator Becker?

8 LEGISLATOR BECKER: Present.

9 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Sitting in for  
10 Legislator Dunne, Legislator Muscarella?

11 LEGISLATOR MUSCARELLA: Here.

12 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Legislator, Ranking  
13 Member Wink?

14 LEGISLATOR WINK: Here.

15 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Legislator Denenberg?

16 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: Here.

17 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Legislator Troiano?

18 LEGISLATOR TROIANO: Here.

19 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: We have a quorum.

20 We've got one item on our agenda this  
21 afternoon, which is Number 162-12, this is a  
22 resolution to confirm the county executive's  
23 appointment of Frank E. Intagliata as  
24 Commissioner of Shared Services.

25 Do we have any discussion?

2 LEGISLATOR MUSCARELLA: Legislator, I  
3 will move that.

4 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Alright.

5 LEGISLATOR FORD: Second.

6 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Seconded by Legislator  
7 Ford.

8 Is there anyone here to discuss this?

9 No.

10 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: Is Mr.  
11 Intagliata, is he here now? I'm just asking if  
12 he's here, because last time I asked an appointee  
13 something at the Full Leg, Mr. Schmitt told me I  
14 should have asked him at committee and I said he  
15 wasn't there at committee. I'll save my  
16 questions to Full Leg if Mr. Intagliata's not  
17 here.

18 LEGISLATOR MUSCARELLA: I will make sure  
19 that you are not precluded from asking a question  
20 of Mr. Intagliata because he wasn't here.

21 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: Okay. Can we  
22 have him here at Full?

23 LEGISLATOR FORD: I have to concur with  
24 Legislator Denenberg. I hope that he will be  
25 there at Full Leg. We have questions.

2 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Okay. I'm told that  
3 these people don't appear at committee; they will  
4 appear at the Full Leg.

5 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: I hear Mr. Asuni  
6 in the background saying the standard is they're  
7 always there at Full and not at committee, and  
8 I'm reading from Mr. Schmitt, cutting off my  
9 questioning, saying, Mr. Denenberg, you had your  
10 opportunity to ask at committee. I said he  
11 wasn't at committee. He said, he's not here now.

12 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Sound like a gotcha to  
13 me. We'll try to make sure it doesn't happen  
14 this time.

15 LEGISLATOR FORD: Dave, I have questions  
16 myself. That's what I said to Chris Astuni, that  
17 I want to make sure that this is pulled out, we  
18 don't block vote.

19 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: Okay.

20 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Okay. That being the  
21 case. Do we have any other discussion?

22 (No verbal response.)

23 Do we have any public comment?

24 (No verbal response.)

25 Okay. All those in favor please say aye.

2 (Aye.)

3 Are there any negative votes?

4 (No verbal response.)

5 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: I'm going to --

6 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: You're going to wait.

7 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: having not been  
8 able to ask my questions, I'm going to abstain.

9 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: So we've got six for  
10 and one abstention.

11 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: No. I think Mr.  
12 Wink is abstaining as well.

13 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: We've got two  
14 abstentions.

15 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: Three.

16 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Three abstentions. Do  
17 we have anymore? No.

18 The item passes, four in favor, with  
19 three abstentions.

20 That's the only item on the calendar.

21 May I have a motion to adjourn?

22 LEGISLATOR MUSCARELLA: So moved.

23 LEGISLATOR FORD: Second.

24 CHAIRMAN KOPEL: Motion to adjourn by  
25 Legislator Muscarella, seconded by Legislator

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2 Ford.

3 All in favor of adjournment say aye.

4 (Aye.)

5 Any opposed?

6 (No verbal response.)

7 We're adjourned.

8 (Whereupon, the Government Services &  
9 Operations Committee adjourned at 3:18 p.m.)

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C E R T I F I C A T E

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FRANK GRAY