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NASSAU COUNTY LEGISLATURE

NORMA GONSALVES
PRESIDING OFFICER

HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

LEGISLATOR ROSE WALKER
CHAIR

Theodore Roosevelt Building
1550 Franklin Avenue
Mineola, New York

January 6, 2014
3:42 P.M.

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

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4 LEGISLATOR ROSE WALKER

5 Chair

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7 LEGISLATOR FRANCIS BECKER

8 Vice Chair

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10 LEGISLATOR MICHAEL VENDITTO

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12 LEGISLATOR LAURA SCHAEFFER

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14 LEGISLATOR KEVAN ABRAHAMS

15 Ranking member

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17 LEGISLATOR DELIA DeRIGGI-WHITTON

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19 LEGISLATOR JUDY JACOBS

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2 LEGISLATOR WALKER: At this time
3 I would call the Health and Social Services
4 Committee to order. I will act as clerk and
5 call the roll.

6 Legislator Kevan Abrahams.

7 LEGISLATOR ABRAHAMS: Here.

8 LEGISLATOR WALKER: Legislator
9 Judy Jacobs.

10 LEGISLATOR JACOBS: Here.

11 LEGISLATOR WALKER: Ranking
12 member Delia DeRiggi-Whitton.

13 LEGISLATOR DeRIGGI-WHITTON:
14 Here.

15 LEGISLATOR WALKER: Michael
16 Venditto.

17 LEGISLATOR VENDITTO: Here.

18 LEGISLATOR WALKER: Legislator
19 Laura Schaeffer.

20 LEGISLATOR VENDITTO: Here.

21 LEGISLATOR WALKER: Vice-chair
22 Francis Becker.

23 LEGISLATOR BECKER: Present.

24 LEGISLATOR WALKER: And myself as
25 chair. We have a quorum. We have two items

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2 on the agenda. They are procedural
3 resolutions number one and two, which I will
4 call together.

5 Procedural resolution 1-2014 is a
6 resolution to adopt the proposed statement of
7 purpose for the Health and Social Services
8 Committee, pursuant to the rules of procedures
9 of the Nassau County Legislature.

10 Procedural resolution 2-2014 is a
11 resolution to adopt the proposed rules of
12 procedure for the Health and Social Services
13 Committee, pursuant to the rules of procedure
14 of the Nassau County Legislature.

15 May I have a motion.

16 Moved by Legislator Becker.

17 Seconded by Legislator Schaeffer.

18 These two items are before us. Any
19 debate or discussion?

20 LEGISLATOR JACOBS: Yes. I would
21 appreciate a moment. Again, I would like to
22 put on the record that especially in this
23 committee, Health and Social Services, I
24 really believe that us having open hearings on
25 certain issues that come before us in the

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2 course of the year is imperative, and I would
3 love to see more of that rather than less than
4 we had in the last two years.

5 LEGISLATOR WALKER: I will work
6 with our majority leader to discuss those.
7 Thank you.

8 Any other debate or comment? Any
9 public comment? The items pass unanimously.
10 All those in favor of adopting those rules
11 signify by saying aye.

12 (All say aye.)

13 LEGISLATOR WALKER: Any opposed?
14 The items pass unanimously.

15 There is no other business in front
16 of this committee. May I have a motion to
17 adjourn. Moved by Legislator Becker.
18 Seconded by Legislator Venditto. All those in
19 favor.

20 (All say aye.)

21 LEGISLATOR WALKER: The committee
22 is now adjourned.

23 (TIME NOTED: 3:44 P.M.)

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CERTIFICATION

I, FRANK GRAY, a Notary
Public in and for the State of New
York, do hereby certify:

THAT the foregoing is a true and
accurate transcript of my stenographic
notes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand this eighth day of
January 2014

FRANK GRAY