

NASSAU COUNTY LEGISLATURE

PETER J. SCHMITT,
PRESIDING OFFICER

PUBLIC WORKS & PARKS COMMITTEE

VINCENT MUSCARELLA,
CHAIRMAN

1550 Franklin Avenue
Mineola, New York

June 25, 2012
5:36 p.m.

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

VINCENT MUSCARELLA
Chair

HOWARD KOPEL
Vice-Chair

FRANCIS BECKER

NORMA GONSALVES

DAVID DENENBERG
Ranking

JOSEPH SCANNELL (Not Present)

JUDI BOSWORTH (Sitting in for Joseph Scannell)

CARRIÉ SOLAGES

LIST OF SPEAKERS

JOHN BUTLER. 5

2 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: The Public Works
3 Committee is hereby called to order.

4 I am here.

5 Vice Chairman Kopel?

6 LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Here.

7 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: Francis Becker?

8 LEGISLATOR BECKER: Present.

9 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: Norma Gonsalves?

10 LEGISLATOR GONSALVES: Present.

11 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: David Denenberg,
12 Ranking Member, is here.

13 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: Here.

14 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: I understand that
15 Judi Bosworth is substituting for Joe Scannell.

16 LEGISLATOR BOSWORTH: Here.

17 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: Carrie A. Solages,
18 is here.

19 We have one item. That item is 468-2012,
20 which is an ordinance supplemental to the annual
21 appropriation -- I'm sorry. Motion to suspend
22 the rules, please?

23 CLERK MULLER: Legislator Solages is
24 here.

25 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: Mr. Solages is

2 here.

3 Legislator Gonsalves makes a motion to
4 suspend the rules, seconded by Mr. Kopel.

5 All those in favor signify by saying aye.

6 (Aye.)

7 One item on the addendum is Item 468-
8 2012, an ordinance supplemental to the annual
9 appropriation ordinance in connection with the
10 Department of Public Works.

11 Motion, please?

12 LEGISLATOR GONSALVES: So moved.

13 LEGISLATOR KOPEL: Second.

14 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: Motion by
15 Legislator Gonsalves, seconded by Legislator
16 Kopel.

17 MR. BUTLER: John Butler, Department of
18 Public Works.

19 This item appropriates \$1,064,576 in
20 funds from New York State. The total cost of
21 this project, as reflected on the attached
22 Hurricane Irene cost summary is \$11.9 million.
23 The FEMA portion, or \$10,438,360 was appropriated
24 in November 2011. Clerk Item Number 582-11.

25 Public Works Department is now submitting

2 this supplemental appropriation for the New York
3 State portion of the claim. The expectation is
4 that this claim is 100 percent reimbursable.

5 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: Do we have any
6 questions? Mr. Denenberg.

7 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: Did we have to
8 put in -- is the order you have to go to FEMA
9 first and see how much is reimbursable from FEMA
10 before we could go to the state?

11 MR. BUTLER: It's actually submitted
12 through New York State and it's actually federal
13 pass-through money, so they kind of come
14 together. So you'll get the 75 percent from the
15 feds and the twelve and a half from New York
16 State together. But we usually submit through
17 the state.

18 LEGISLATOR DENENBERG: Okay.

19 CHAIRMAN MUSCARELLA: Any other
20 questions?

21 (No verbal response.)

22 Any public comment?

23 (No verbal response.)

24 Hearing none, all those in favor signify
25 by saying aye.

2 (Aye.)

3 Any opposed?

4 (No verbal response.)

5 The item carries.

6 Mr. Becker makes a motion to adjourn,

7 seconded by Mr. Kopel.

8 All those in favor signify by saying aye.

9 (Aye.)

10 Any opposed?

11 (No verbal response.)

12 We are adjourned.

13 (Whereupon, the Public Works Committee

14 adjourned at 5:38 p.m.)

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C E R T I F I C A T E

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

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FRANK GRAY