

HOST COMMUNITIES STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, January 22, 2025

12:00 p.m.

Lee Wallace, Chairperson / Robert Restaino, Vice Chairperson

Town of Niagara Community Center - 7000 Lockport Road, Niagara Falls NY

Representative:

_____ Mark Laurrie, - City of NF School District
_____ Paul Casseri – Lewiston-Porter School District
_____ Robert M. Restaino – City of Niagara Falls
_____ Lee Wallace – Town of Niagara
_____ Allison Davis - Niagara Wheatfield School District
_____ Rebecca J. Wydysh - Niagara County
_____ Steve Broderick - Town of Lewiston
_____ Lou Paonessa – New York Power Authority

Alternate:

_____ Angelo Massaro, Esq.
_____ Donna L. Hill
_____ TBD
_____ Jackie Siegmann
_____ Scott Hapeman, Esq.
_____ Thomas Burgasser, Esq.
_____ TBD
_____ Carol Sampson

AGENDA

1. **Call to Order – L. Wallace**
2. **Roll Call – M. Melloni**
3. **Pledge of Allegiance – L. Wallace**
4. **Introductions – L. Wallace**
5. **Approval of Meeting Minutes of September 17, 2024 – L. Wallace**
6. **Town of Niagara**
 - 6.1 **Niagara County Welcome Mural – Sylvia Virtuoso, Supervisor, Town of Niagara**
(Approved for funding in the amount of \$108,000 by Town of Niagara Board on November 19, 2024; Consultation with NRCG on November 12, 2024)
7. **City of Niagara Falls**
 - 7.1 **Transformation Investment in City of Niagara Falls Community Greenspace, Water and Ecological Resources – Sandy Smith, Buffalo Niagara Riverkeepers; Kevin Forma, City of Niagara Falls**
(Consultation with NRCG on November 12, 2024; Approved for funding by the City of Niagara Falls Council on November 20, 2024 in the amount of \$3,054,067.80)
8. **Niagara Wheatfield School District**
 - 8.1 **Niagara Wheatfield Outdoor Instruction Project – Dr. Allison Davis, Assistant Superintendent of Finance & Management**
(Consultation with NRCG on January 15, 2025; Approved for funding by the Niagara Wheatfield Board of Education On November 6, 2024 in the amount not to exceed \$2,500,000)
9. **Any Other Matters**
10. **Next Meeting: March 19, 2025 – 12:00 p.m.**
11. **Adjournment**