

# The Legislature of Rockland County



**ANEY PAUL  
LEGISLATOR-DISTRICT 14  
CHAIR, GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS COMMITTEE**

**MINUTES  
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS COMMITTEE  
WEDNESDAY MARCH 25, 2015  
5:30 PM**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

LEG. A. PAUL, CHAIR  
LEG. M. GRANT, VICE CHAIR  
LEG. H. CORNELL, 2nd VICE (Late)  
LEG. J. HOOD

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

LEG. A. WIEDER  
LEG. P. MORONEY  
LEG. C. CAREY

**OTHERS PRESENT:**

LEG. N. LOW-HOGAN  
LEG. D. JOBSON  
J. BIRNBAUM, ESQ.  
S. POWERS  
P. PIPERITO

CHAIR PAUL CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 5:35 PM.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES OF MAY 28, JUNE 25, SEPTEMBER 08, 2014 MEETING.

**MOTION TO ADOPT:**

**NO QUORUM**

1. REF.# **8850**

**DISCUSSION ITEM - DIGITAL IMAGING OF RECORDS (COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE)  
(HON. ANEY PAUL LEGISLATURE)**

**DISCUSSED**

Leg. Paul requested a moment of silence in memory of the 150 passengers who died in the terrible plane crash in Germany

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Leg. Paul informed the members that this was the Committee's first meeting and presented Leg. Michael Grant as first Vice Chair and Leg. Harriet Cornell as second Vice Chair.

Mr. Paul Piperito, County Clerk, stated that the County Clerk system allows customers to search and use digital imaging to enhance productivity, provide greater access to certain types of information, and also as a preservation option. Digital imaging offers many advantages, including improved distribution and publication, increased access, streamlined workflows, and a greatly reduced need for physical storage space. Digital files made available over the web allow Rockland County Clerk to provide information to partners or the public quickly and efficiently. Mr. Piperito added as they use the new system, On-line over 78,000 files are available to assist in finding the information and that documents they need 24 hours days/ 7 days a week

Leg. Low Hogan asked the cost for printing

Mr. Piperito answered that the image may be viewed on-line free-of-charge. To download or print documents there is a \$0.15/page charge.

Mr. Piperito added that as they use the new system, an on-line help section is available to assist in finding information and documents. If they encounter any technical issues, they can contact internet support. If they have questions about the actual data they can contact the County Clerk.

Leg. Paul thanked County Clerk Paul Piperito for the great job being done, not only is it saving money, but also contributing in the fight to save the environment.

**MOTION TO ADJOURN:5:46PM  
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**Respectfully, Submitted**

**Lesly Senatus, Committee Clerk**