

The New York City Council

*City Hall
New York, NY 10007*



Meeting Minutes

Thursday, June 30, 2022

1:00 PM

HYBRID HEARING - Committee Room - City Hall

Committee on Consumer and Worker Protection

Marjorie Velázquez, Chair

*Members: Shaun Abreu, Erik D. Bottcher, Gale A. Brewer, Amanda Farias,
Shekar Krishnan, Julie Menin, Chi A. Ossé and Julie Won*

Roll Call

Present: Velázquez, Abreu, Bottcher, Brewer, Farías, Krishnan, Menin and Ossé

Maternity: Won

Other Council Members Attending: Lee

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Oversight - Con Edison Price Increases

Attachments: Committee Report, Hearing Testimony, Hearing Transcript

This Oversight was Hearing Held by Committee

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This Oversight was Filed, by Committee

Int 0372-2022

A Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to the creation of an office of the utility advocate

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 372-A, Summary of Int. No. 372, Int. No. 372, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Proposed Int. No. 372-A - 7/7/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 372-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 372-A, Summary of Int. No. 372, Int. No. 372, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Proposed Int. No. 372-A - 7/7/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 372-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

Enactment No: 2022/080

Res 0162-2022

Resolution calling on the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, amendments to article 4 of the Public Service Law to prevent a utility's rate case from exceeding a certain percentage each year.

Attachments: Res. No. 162, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Res. No. 162, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda

This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee

Res 0172-2022

Resolution calling on New York State to increase the number of Commissioners on the Public Service Commission and permit New York City to appoint two of its Commissioners

Attachments: Res. No. 172, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Res. No. 172, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Res 0173-2022

Resolution calling upon the Governor and New York State Legislature to expand financial relief programs to assist City residents struggling to pay their utility bills.

Attachments: Res. No. 173, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Proposed Res. No. 173-A - 7/6/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Res. No. 173, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Proposed Res. No. 173-A - 7/6/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Res 0174-2022

Resolution calling upon Consolidated Edison to improve communication with City residents about increases in utility costs

Attachments: Res. No. 174, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Proposed Res. No. 174-A - 7/7/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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Attachments: Res. No. 174, May 19, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-19-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - May 19, 2022, Committee Report 6/30/22, Hearing Testimony 6/30/22, Hearing Transcript 6/30/22, Proposed Res. No. 174-A - 7/7/22, Committee Report 7/13/22, Hearing Transcript 7/13/22, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, July 14, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda

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