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5 **FIRE, RESCUE, EMS & EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS COMMITTEE**  
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7 **OF THE**  
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9 **SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE**  
10 **MINUTES**  
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16 A meeting of the Fire, Rescue, EMS & Emergency Preparedness  
17 Committee of the Suffolk County Legislature was held in the Rose Y.  
18 Caracappa Legislative Auditorium of the William H. Rogers  
19 Legislature Building, 725 Veterans Memorial Highway, Smithtown, New  
20 York on June 1, 2021 via in-person and Zoom conference.  
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23 **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

24 Leg. Thomas Cilmi, Chairperson  
25 Leg. Tom Donnelly, Vice Chair  
26 Leg. Kara Hahn, DPO  
27 Leg. Susan A. Berland  
28 Leg. Samuel Gonzalez  
29 Leg. Leslie Kennedy  
30 Leg. Rudy Sunderman  
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33 **ALSO IN ATTENDANCE:**

34 Presiding Officer Robert Calarco, 7th Legislative District  
35 Sarah E. Simpson, Counsel to the Legislature  
36 Dan Dubois, Chief Deputy Clerk/Legislature  
37 Thomas Corcoran, Budget Review Office  
38 Patrick Beckley, Deputy Commissioner/FRES  
39 And all other interested parties  
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43 **MINUTES TAKEN BY:**

44 Diana Flesher, Court Stenographer  
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1 THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 10:01 AM

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3 **CHAIRPERSON CILMI:**

4 Welcome to the June 1st edition of the Fire, Rescue, and Emergency  
5 Services Preparedness Committee. If I can ask everyone to rise for  
6 the Pledge of Allegiance led by Legislator Berland.

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8 **SALUTATION**

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10 Thank you very much. Please be seated. Okay. Today's meeting is  
11 being held in hybrid fashion as we've become accustomed to. Mr.  
12 Clerk, we do not have any speakers?

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14 **MR. DUBOIS:**

15 That's correct.

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17 **CHAIRPERSON CILMI:**

18 Or any correspondence, to my knowledge.

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20 **MR. DUBOIS:**

21 No, sir.

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23 **CHAIRPERSON CILMI:**

24 Thank you very much. Likewise, we have no appointments, no  
25 presentations, no tabled resolutions; therefore, we will go  
26 directly introductory resolutions.

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28 **IR 1378, Accepting and appropriating 100% federal pass-through**  
29 **grant funds from the NYS Division of Homeland Security and**  
30 **Emergency Services in the amount of \$102,000 for the "FY2019**  
31 **Hazardous Materials (Hazmat) Grant Program" administered by the**  
32 **Suffolk County Department of Fire, Rescue & Emergency Services.**  
33 **(Co. Exec.).**

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35 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

36 Motion.

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38 **LEG. GONZALEZ:**

39 Second.

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41 **CHAIRPERSON CILMI:**

42 I'll take a motion by Legislator Donnelly to approve and place on  
43 the consent calendar. Seconded by Legislator Gonzalez. Any  
44 questions? Mr. Clerk, please call the roll.

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46 (Roll call by Mr. Dubois, Chief Deputy Clerk of the Legislature)

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48 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

49 Yes.

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51 **LEG. GONZALEZ:**

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54 **CHAIRPERSON CILMI:**

55 Yes.

1 LEG. HAHN:

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4 LEG. KENNEDY:

5 Yes.

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7 LEG. BERLAND:

8 Yes.

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10 P.O. CALARCO:

11 Yes.

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13 MR. DUBOIS:

14 Seven. (VOTE: 7-0-0-0/PO CALARCO INCLUDED IN VOTE/PLACED ON  
15 CONSENT CALENDAR)

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17 CHAIRPERSON CILMI:

18 It's approved.

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20 IR 1402, Accepting and appropriating 100% federal pass-through  
21 grant funds from the NYS Division of Homeland Security and  
22 Emergency Services in the amount of \$50,000 for the "FY2019 Cyber  
23 Security Grant Program" administered by the Suffolk County  
24 Department of Fire, Rescue & Emergency Services and to execute  
25 grant related agreements. (Co. Exec.). I'll take a motion by  
26 Legislator Berland to approve and place on the Consent Calendar;  
27 seconded by Legislator Donnelly. Any questions? Mr. Clerk, please  
28 call the roll.

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30 (Roll call by Mr. Dubois, Chief Deputy Clerk of the Legislature)

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32 LEG. BERLAND:

33 Yes.

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35 LEG. DONNELLY:

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38 CHAIRPERSON CILMI:

39 Yes.

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41 LEG. HAHN:

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44 LEG. GONZALEZ:

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47 LEG. KENNEDY:

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50 P.O. CALARCO:

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53 MR. DUBOIS:

54 Seven. (VOTE: 7-0-0-0/PO CALARCO INCLUDED IN VOTE/PLACED ON  
55 CONSENT CALENDAR)

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1 **CHAIRPERSON CILMI:**

2 It's approved.

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4 Deputy Commissioner, anything from you.

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6 **DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BECKLEY:**

7 No, sir. Appreciate the opportunity to be here. I hope everybody  
8 had a peaceful Memorial Day weekend.

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10 **CHAIRPERSON CILMI:**

11 Thank you very much for being here.

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13 Seeing no further business, we're adjourned. Thanks very much,  
14 everyone.

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17 (THE MEETING CONCLUDED AT 10:04 AM)

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