



Onondaga County Legislature

JULIE ABBOTT

County Legislator – 6th District
111 East Lake Street, Skaneateles, New York 13152
Leg (315) 435-2070
julieabbott@ongov.net

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION COMMITTEE AGENDA

**1:00 p.m.
July 15, 2025**

**DOT Marcellus Garage
2540 Pleasant Valley Road
Marcellus, New York 13108**

- A. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.
- B. Presentation of Resolutions and Local Laws:
 - 1. **ONONDAGA COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY (OCWA):**
 - a. Confirming Reappointment to the Onondaga County Water Authority (Douglas R. Wickman)
(Sponsored by Mr. Burtis)
 - 2. **OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENT:**
 - a. INFORMATIONAL: Tully Mudboils
 - b. Tour: Offsite Tour to Tully Mudboils
- C. Adjournment

August 5, 2025

Motion Made By Mr. Burtis, Ms. Gunnip

RESOLUTION NO. _____

CONFIRMING REAPPOINTMENT TO THE ONONDAGA COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of the Public Authorities Law and appointments heretofore made to the Onondaga County Water Authority one vacancy occurs due to the expiration of the term of the individual named herein; and

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Onondaga County Legislature has designated and reappointed such individual to serve as a member of the Onondaga County Water Authority, subject to confirmation of this Legislature; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Onondaga County Legislature hereby confirms the reappointment of the following individual to the Onondaga County Water Authority for the term specified:

REAPPOINTMENT:

Douglas R. Wickman
7121 Totman Drive
Cicero, New York 13039

TERM EXPIRES:

July 1, 2028

1a.



Onondaga County Legislature

Timothy T. Burtis

Chairman

401 Montgomery Street · Court House · Room 407 · Syracuse, New York 13202

Phone (315) 435-2070 · Fax (315) 435-8434

July 3, 2025

TO: Julie Abbott, Environmental Protection Chair

FROM: Tim Burtis, Chairman

RE: Reappointment to the Onondaga County Water Authority

This is to advise that I am reappointing the following individual to the Onondaga County Water Authority for the term indicated:

REAPPOINTMENT:

Douglas R. Wickman
7121 Totman Drive
Cicero, New York 13039

TERM EXPIRES:

July 1, 2028

Mr. Wickman's resume is attached for your review. This reappointment will require confirmation of the full Legislature at its August 5, 2025 session.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

cc: Jamie McNamara, Clerk
All Legislators

DOUGLAS R. WICKMAN

Licensed Professional Engineer

7121 Totman Drive, Cicero N.Y. 13039

EXPERIENCE

Mr. Wickman has managed many public and private infrastructure-related projects for municipal, commercial, and industrial clients. Efforts typically involve planning, feasibility studies, design, cost estimating and construction services. Work on municipal projects has involved design and construction administration services for water distribution systems, sanitary sewers, storm sewers, and stormwater control facilities serving residential and commercial projects and industrial parks for the towns of Clay, Cicero, Tully, Fabius, Skaneateles, Salina and Onondaga, NY, the counties of Onondaga and Oswego, NY, the villages of North Syracuse, Central Square and Liverpool, NY., and the City of Syracuse.

For Onondaga County, work has included a Countywide Drainage Study to evaluate the condition of all inter-municipal water courses in the county. Drainage studies, master planning and design of drainage and flood control improvements for the Ley Creek, Meadowbrook and Bloody Brook watersheds. A drainage study of the Cold Brook watershed covering flooding problems in the City of Syracuse. Study, design, and construction administration of the Harbor Brook flood control facilities were also completed. For the City of Syracuse, work included analysis of the water transmission and distribution facilities. It also included computer modeling of the developing watersheds in the surrounding suburban towns. These models are used to help protect city residents from flooding due to increased rates and volumes of runoff resulting from land development.

Work for the Town of Clay involved general planning services, including masterplans for drainage and stormwater runoff for most of the developing portions of the town. As development has proceeded it has been consistent with the goals of the master plans, involving continual updates of the hydrological computer models that were used. General town board services included management of the repair and updates of all water, sewer, and drainage facilities, and environmental reviews of all significant commercial developments. These services for the Town of Clay spanned more than 35 years.

Work for the Town of Skaneateles primarily involved planning board engineering services. Experience has been primarily water quality related, assisting the town in efforts to protect the character of the community and the water quality of Skaneateles Lake. Skaneateles Lake is the water supply for the City of Syracuse and is unfiltered. These services for the Town of Skaneateles spanned almost twenty years.

Mr. Wickman was employed by C&S Engineers from 1970-2014, as staff engineer for the Town of Salina from 2017-2022 and is currently retired.

Education, BSCE, Syracuse University, 1970.

Registration, Professional Engineer in NY.

315-415-4030 wickmand@gmail.com