# County of Nassau

## Corporate Lobbyist Annual Report

## For the reporting year 2015

1. Name, address and telephone number of corporation and of each lobbyist lobbying on behalf of organization:

Nassau Community College, One Education Drive, Garden City, N.Y. 11530, 516-572-7811

2. A description of the subject or subjects on which each lobbyist retained, employed or designated by such group has lobbied:

Nassau Community College: activities related to the passage by the County of the College budget; legislation to allow the County to borrow money on behalf of the College so that the College can pay the costs associated with the retirement incentive offered to members of the full time faculty as per the collective bargaining agreement between the college and the full time faculty union (the Nassau Community College Federation of Teachers); seeking to fill a vacancy on the College's Board of Trustees; activities related to capital projects at the College.

Thomas P. Dolan: activities related to passage of legislation to allow the County to borrow money on behalf of the College so that the College can pay the costs associated with the retirement incentive offered to members of the full time faculty as per the collective bargaining agreement between the College and the full time faculty union (the Nassau Community College Federation of Teachers); seeking to fill a vacancy on the College's Board of Trustees.

Kenneth Saunders: activities related to the passage by the County of the College budget; activities related to passage of legislation to allow the County to borrow money on behalf of the College so that the College can pay the costs associated with the retirement incentive offered to members of the full time faculty as per the collective bargaining agreement between the College and the full time faculty union (the Nassau Community College Federation of Teachers); seeking to fill a vacancy on the College's Board of Trustees; activities relating to the College's capital projects. (Note, this final item relating to capital projects took place prior to June 1 and, therefore, was not included in the June 1 to August 31 periodic report, but did take place during 2015 and is, therefore, included in this year-end report for 2015.)

Inna Reznik: activities related to passage by the County of the College's budget; activities related to legislation to allow the County to borrow money on behalf of the College so that the College can pay the costs associated with the retirement incentive offered to members of the full time faculty as per the collective bargaining agreement between the College and the full time faculty union (the Nassau Community College Federation of Teachers).

Joseph Muscarella: activities relating to the College's capital projects.

Frank (Chuck) Cutolo: activities related to passage by the County of the College's budget; activities related to

legislation to allow the County to borrow money on behalf of the College so that the College can pay the costs associated with the retirement incentive offered to members of the full time faculty as per the collective bargaining agreement between the College and the full time faculty union (the Nassau Community College Federation of Teachers); seeking to fill a vacancy on the College's Board of Trustees.

Carol Friedman: activities relating to the College's capital projects.

Jorge Gardyn (uncompensated Board member): activities related to passage by the County of the College's budget; activities related to legislation to allow the County to borrow money on behalf of the College so that the College can pay the costs associated with the retirement incentive offered to members of the full time faculty as per the collective bargaining agreement between the College and the full time faculty union (the Nassau Community College Federation of Teachers); seeking to fill a vacancy on the College's Board of Trustees.

Kathy Weiss (uncompensated Board member): engaged in no lobbying activities during this time period.

3. Names of persons and agencies before which such lobbyist has lobbied:

Nassau Community College: County Executive's Administration, County Legislature and the Nassau Interim Finance Authority were the entities lobbied.

Thomas P. Dolan: County Executive's Administration, County Legislature and the Nassau Interim Finance Authority were the entities lobbied.

Kenneth Saunders: County Executive's Administration, County Legislature and the Nassau Interim Finance Authority were the entities lobbied. Inna Reznik: County Executive's Administration, County Legislature and Nassau Interim Finance Authority were the entities lobbied.

Joseph Muscarella: County Executive's Administration was the entity lobbied.

Frank (Chuck) Cutolo: County Executive's Administration, County Legislature and the Nassau Interim Finance Authority were the entities lobbied.

Carol Friedman: County Executive's Administration was the entity lobbied.

Jorge Gardyn (uncompensated Board member): County Executive's Administration, County Legislature and the Nassau Interim Finance Authority were the entities lobbied.

Kathy Weiss (uncompensated Board member): engaged in no lobbying activities during this time period.

4. List below amounts for any compensation paid or owed to the employees and/or outside lobbyists during the prior year for the purposes of lobbying. Such amounts shall be detailed as to amount, to whom paid and for what purpose. (Note: the individuals referred to in this report lobbied both the State and the County. As I did with the periodic reports, I am making the assumption that the amounts referred to lobbying activities conducted in Nassau County. I am making the further assumption, as I did in the periodic reports, that these individuals' lobbying activities were split evenly between the County and the State. Therefore, the amounts below for each College employee equal the portion of their salaries that can be reasonably assigned to lobbying activities, divided by 2. Finally, the subjects on which these individuals lobbied are already listed in question 2 of this year- end report in detail. Therefore, in combination with that response already provided to question 2, the phrase listed below "for the purpose of promoting Nassau Community College's interests as they are affected by the actions of the entities listed in response to question 3 of this report next to the name of this

individual" is, I believe, responsive to that portion of question 4 that asks "for what purpose" was this lobbying.)

### Amount Details

- \$1,994 Thomas P. Dolan, for the purpose of promoting Nassau Community College's interests as they are affected by the actions of the entities listed in response to question 3 of this report next to the name of this individual.
- \$8,923 Kenneth Saunders, for the purpose of promoting Nassau Community College's interests as they are affected by the actions of the entities listed in response to question 3 of this report next to the name of this individual.
- \$4,004 Inna Reznik, for the purpose of promoting Nassau Community College's interests as they are affected by the actions of the entities listed in response to question 3 of this report next to the name of this individual.
- \$4,108 Joseph Muscarella, for the purpose of promoting Nassau Community College's interests as they are affected by the actions of the entities listed in response to question 3 of this report next to the name of this individual.
- \$11,350 Frank (Chuck) Cutolo, for the purpose of promoting Nassau Community College's interests as they are affected by the actions of the entities listed in response to question 3 of this report next to the name of this individual.
- \$2,964 Carol Friedman, for the purpose of promoting Nassau Community College's interests as they are affected by the actions of the entities listed in response to question 3 of this report next to the name of this individual.
- \$0 Jorge Gardyn, for the purpose of promoting Nassau Community College's interests as they are affected by the actions of the entities listed in response to question 3 of this report next to the name of this individual.
- \$0 Kathy Weiss, engaged in no lobbying activities during this period.

- 5. List below the cumulative total amounts earned by such employees and/or lobbyists as a result of lobbying throughout the year: (NOTE, this response as to the cumulative is based on the same assumptions that I articulated in response to question 4.) \$33,343.
- 6. List below amounts for any expenses expended or incurred by the lobbyist for the purpose of lobbying. Such amounts shall be detailed as to amount, to whom paid and for what purpose.

### Amount

### Details

\$33,343

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\$0 Thomas P. Dolan \$0 Kenneth Saunders \$0 Inna Reznik \$0 Joseph Muscarella \$0 Frank (Chuck) Cutolo \$0 Carol Friedman \$0 Jorge Gardyn \$0 Kathy Weiss

7. List below the cumulative total amounts expended for lobbying throughout the year: \$33,343

I understand that copies of this form will be sent to the Nassau County Department of Information Technology ("IT") to be posted on the County's website.

I also understand that upon termination of retainer, employment or designation, I must give written notice to the County Attorney within thirty (30) days of termination.

VERIFICATION: I certify that all statements on this statement are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that the willful making of any false statement of material fact herein will subject me to the provisions of law relevant to the making and filing of false instruments and will render such statement null and void.

Dated: 1/8/2016	Signed: / Not (Cheel) Cates
	Print Name: Frank (Chuck) Cutolo
	Title: General Counsel for Governmenta & Media Relations
STATE OF NEW YORK	) ) SS:
COUNTY of NASSAU	
Sworn before me this 8th	
Day of January	, 20 <u>16</u> .
anne E. Brando	ANNE E. BRANDI Notary Public, State of New York No. 01BR6104733 Qualified in Nassau County
NOTARY PUBLIC	January 26, 2016