Resolution No. 220 April 19, 2016

Approving The Execution Of A Contract In Excess Of $50,000.00 Entered Into By The County – MercyFirst – Department Of Social Services

Referred to: The Public Health and Social Services Committee (Chairman Lopez and Legislators Allen, Belfiglio, Heppner, and Roberts), and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gerentine and Legislators Allen, Bartels, Belfiglio, Briggs, Maio, and Maloney)

Chairman of the Public Health and Social Services Committee, Craig V. Lopez, and Deputy Chairman Chris Allen offer the following:

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section C-11(O) of the Ulster County Charter and Section A2-5(15) of the Administrative Code, the Ulster County Legislature shall have the power to approve the execution of certain contracts and amendments in the amount of $50,000.00 or in excess of $50,000.00 entered into by the County; and

WHEREAS, a contract for execution by the County with MercyFirst has been submitted for approval by the Ulster County Legislature, which is described below:

Department of Social Services	MercyFirst	2016-00000161 - State mandated per diem foster care & related services. The services provided are mandated by New York State (NYS) & are paid through its Welfare Management System (WMS) at State-set rates.	Federal 36% State 29% County 35%	Professional Services	7/1/16 - 6/30/18	$3,000,000.00

WHEREAS, said contract has been reviewed by the Contract Manager, County Attorney's Office, Director of Purchasing, and the County Executive; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, the Ulster County Legislature has examined the contract, and hereby approves the contract in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney and Legislative Counsel,

and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: NOES:

Passed Committee: Public Health and Social Services on _____.

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on _____.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
$3,000,000.00 – 2016/2017/2018 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS