

Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Agreement With The New York State Division Of Criminal Justice Services For The Aid To Defense Program – Department Of Public Defender

Referred to: The Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee (Chairman Parete and Legislators Belfiglio, Briggs, Maio, and Ronk) and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gerentine and Legislators Gregorius, Harris, Maio, Maloney, Provenzano and Rodriguez)

The Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee Chairman, Richard A. Parete, and Deputy Chairman Kenneth Ronk, offer the following:

WHEREAS, this Resolution has been submitted by the County Executive on behalf of the Public Defender; and

WHEREAS, the Public Defender has requested that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature be authorized to execute an agreement (NYS Contract# T138125), and any amendments thereto, with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the purpose of Ulster County's participation in the New York State Aid to Defense Program for the term April 1, 2013 through March 31, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the purposes of the Aid to Defense Program are to (1) enhance defense services designed to expedite the processing of violent and serious felony cases through the courts, and (2) ensure thorough case processing and effective defense representation; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to execute an agreement (NYS Contract# T138125), and any amendments thereto, with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the purpose of Ulster County's participation in the New York State Aid to Defense Program for the term April 1, 2013 through March 31, 2014, in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature, or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney, Counsel to the County Legislature, Chairman of the County Legislature, and the Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 23 NOES: 0

(Legislator Robert Parete arrived at 7:45 PM)

Passed Committee: Law Enforcement and Public Safety on July 9, 2013

Resolution No. 196 July 23, 2013

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Passed Committee: Ways and Means on July 16, 2013

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$14,400.00 – BUDGETED 2013 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

\$14,400.00 – BUDGETED 2013 STATE REVENUE DOLLARS

\$ 0.00 – COUNTY DOLLARS

STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF ULSTER

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster have compared the foregoing resolution with the original resolution now on file in the office of said clerk, and which was adopted by said Legislature on the 23rd Day of July, 2013, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this 24th Day of July in the year Two Thousand and Thirteen.

|s| Victoria A. Fabella
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk
Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this
26^h Day of July, 2013.

Approved by the County Executive this
5th Day of August, 2013.

|s| Victoria A. Fabella
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk
Ulster County Legislature

|s| Michael P. Hein
Michael P. Hein, County Executive