

Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Agreement With New York State Division Of Criminal Justice Services – Operation IMPACT V – District Attorney – Sheriff’s – Probation

The Criminal Justice and Safety Committee (Chairman Dart and Legislators Briggs, R.A. Parete, Zimet, Hansut, Maloney and Ronk) offers the following:

WHEREAS, the Ulster County District Attorney has requested that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature be authorized to execute an agreement with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the purpose of participating in a twelve month joint County crime reduction program, from July 1, 2008 thru June 30, 2009, designated as Operation IMPACT V in Ulster County, and

WHEREAS, the Ulster County District Attorney successfully completed Operation IMPACT IV which focused on a crime reduction program partnership with the City of Kingston, Village of Ellenville and some criminal justice sponsored events, and

WHEREAS, Operation IMPACT V is an expanded crime reduction program related to criminal activity pertaining to the use of drugs and gang violence and will involve the Ulster County Offices of the Sheriff, District Attorney and Probation, at approximate costs of \$121,866.00 for year 2008 and \$121,866.00 for year 2009 for a total program cost of \$243,732.00, and

WHEREAS, each County dollar spent under the Operation IMPACT V initiative is 100% reimbursable by the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services, and

WHEREAS, the Criminal Justice and Safety Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of the members voting approval, and

WHEREAS, the Ways and Means Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of the members voting approval.

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to execute an agreement with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the purpose of participating in Operation IMPACT V for the period of July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009, in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney, and

FURTHER RESOLVED, if funding for this program is eliminated, this project will be eliminated as well,

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and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 30 NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislators Aiello, Felicello and Kraft)

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$121,866.00 – BUDGETED APPROPRIATIONS-OPERATION IMPACT 2008

\$121,866.00 – BUDGETED STATE REVENUE DOLLARS 2008

\$121,866.00 – BUDGETED APPROPRIATIONS 2009

\$121,866.00 – BUDGETED STATE REVENUE DOLLARS 2009

\$ 0.00 – ADDITIONAL COUNTY DOLLARS