

Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Agreement With The New York State Division Of Criminal Justice Services For A Domestic Violence Program Grant, Amending The 2013 Ulster County Budget – District Attorney’s Office

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

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

WHEREAS, the District Attorney has been notified that he has been awarded a grant in the amount of \$37,500.00 from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services; and

WEHREAS, the grant funds will be utilized in investigating and prosecuting instances of domestic violence by hiring a part-time, forensically trained domestic violence outreach coordinator; and

WHEREAS, the domestic violence outreach coordinator will be a part-time, non-benefitted position (up to 910 hours to year end); and

WHEREAS, the domestic violence outreach coordinator will act as a liaison with the various components of the criminal justice system, including the investigative agencies, court system, prosecution and other services; and

WHEREAS, the District Attorney requests the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature be authorized to enter into an agreement with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (NYS Contract #T128292) in order to accept a Domestic Violence Program Grant; and

WHEREAS, the District Attorney requests that the Ulster County Budget be amended accordingly; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized and directed to execute an agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (NYS Contract #T128292) in order to accept a Domestic Violence Program Grant; and, be it further

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RESOLVED, that the 2013 Ulster County Budget is amended as follows:

	<u>INCREASE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
A4-1031-1807	Part-Time Pay	\$34,835.00
A4-3850-8002 (Appr.#)	Social Security	\$ 2,665.00
A3-1031-3034 (Rev. #)	SA, Domestic Violence	\$37,500.00

and, be it further

RESOLVED, that if funding for the position is eliminated or exhausted, then the position will be eliminated as well,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 20 NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislators Briggs and Fabiano)
(Legislator Harris left at 9:25PM/ returned at
9:28PM)

Passed Committee: Law Enforcement and Public Safety on March 5, 2013

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on March 12, 2013

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FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$37,500.00 – ADDITIONAL 2013 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

\$37,500.00 – ADDITIONAL 2013 STATE REVENUE DOLLARS

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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 19th Day of March, 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 21st Day of March in the year Two Thousand and Thirteen.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk
Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this
21st Day of March, 2013.

Approved by the County Executive this
25th Day of March, 2013.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk
Ulster County Legislature

[s] Michael P. Hein
Michael P. Hein, County Executive