

**Confirming The Reappointment Of The Medical Examiner For The County Of Ulster**

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-43 of the Ulster County Charter and Section A5-4 of the Administrative Code: *“The Health Department shall assure the provision of medical examiner services that promote the public health by or under the supervision of qualified Medical Examiner(s), accountable to the Commissioner of Public Health or Public Health Director. The Medical Examiner shall be appointed by the County Executive, on the advice of the Commissioner of Health or Public Health Director, for a term of four years, subject to confirmation by the Legislature”*, and

WHEREAS, the Medical Examiner shall be a resident of the County of Ulster and shall be a physician duly licensed to practice his or her profession in the State of New York, and

WHEREAS, the County Executive has reappointed Douglas Heller, M.D., to the position of Medical Examiner for the County of Ulster to serve for a four-year term; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Ulster County Legislature confirms the reappointment of Douglas Heller, M.D., to the position of Medical Examiner for the County of Ulster, and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:    23                      NOES:    0

Passed Committee: Public Health and Social Services on January 20, 2016

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on January 26, 2016

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$38,997.00 - 2016 ANNUAL SALARY/ BUDGETED COUNTY DOLLARS

