Resolution No. 241   September 19, 2012

Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Agreement With New York State Division Of Criminal Justice Services For A Domestic Violence Program – District Attorney

Referred to:  The Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee (Chairman Parete and Legislators Belfiglio, Ronk, Briggs 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 received a notice of award for a grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Domestic Violence Program; and

WHEREAS, the funds from this grant will be used to assign and train an Assistant District Attorney to specialize in and focus on the prosecution and investigation of domestic violence offenses, including within the specialized Domestic Violence Court, to provide training and raise community awareness as to the impact of domestic violence; and

WHEREAS, the District Attorney is requesting that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature be authorized to execute an agreement (NYS # T118267), and any amendments thereto, in the amount of $50,000.00 with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Domestic Violence Program; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to execute an agreement (NYS # T118267), and any amendments thereto, in the amount of $50,000.00 for the Domestic Violence Program with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services, in the form as filed with the Clerk of the 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, be it further

RESOLVED, if funding for this program is eliminated, the program will be eliminated as well;

and moves its adoption.
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ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 21    NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislators Donaldson and Harris)

Passed Committee: Law Enforcement and Public Safety on September 4, 2012
Passed Committee: Ways and Means on September 11, 2012

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
$37,500.00 – 2012 BUDGETED APPROPRIATION DOLLARS
$37,500.00 – 2012 BUDGETED STATE REVENUE DOLLARS
$12,500.00 – ANTICIPATED 2013 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS
$12,500.00 – ANTICIPATED 2013 STATE REVENUE DOLLARS

STATE OF NEW YORK
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 September, 2012, 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 September in the year Two Thousand and Twelve.

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

Submitted to the County Executive this 21st Day of September, 2012.

Approved by the County Executive this _____ Day of September, 2012.

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

Michael P. Hein, County Executive