Resolution No. 312    September 11, 2007

Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute A Contract With The New York State Department Of Health To Continue The WIC (Women, Infants and Children) Program – Public Health

The Health Committee (Chairman R.S. Parete and Legislators Liepmann, Sheeley, Stoeckeler, Terpening, Busick and Roberti) offers the following:

WHEREAS, the Director of Public Health requests that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature be authorized to execute a contract (Contract No. C-019387) in the amount of $530,534.00, with the New York State Department of Health to continue the WIC (Women, Infants and Children) Program, for the period October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008, and

WHEREAS, the Ulster County Public Health administers the WIC program to pregnant women, breastfeeding women, postpartum women, infants and children who are receiving supplemental foods or food instruments under the Program, and the breastfed infants of participant breastfeeding women, and

WHEREAS, the Health 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 be authorized to execute a contract (Contract No. C-019387) in the amount of $530,534.00, with the New York State Department of Health to continue the WIC (Women, Infants and Children) Program, for the period October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2008, in form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature or modified with the approval of the County Attorney, and

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

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 30    NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislators Every, Felicello and Kraft)
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FINANCIAL IMPACT:
$530,534.00 – BUDGETED APPROPRIATION DOLLARS
$530,534.00 – BUDGETED FEDERAL PASS-THRU STATE REVENUE DOLLARS

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