Resolution No. 49 February 19, 2008

Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute A Contract With The New York State Department Of Health To Accept Funding To Implement A Childhood Overweight And Obesity Prevention Program – Public Health

The Health Services Committee (Chairman R.S. Parete and Legislators Briggs, Stoeckeler, Terpening, Petit, Roberti and Ronk) 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. T-021574) in the amount of $10,876.00, with the New York State Department of Health to implement a Childhood Overweight and Obesity Prevention Program, for the period December 1, 2007 through November 30, 2008, and

WHEREAS, Ulster County Public Health will administer the program; building and maintaining partnerships with the community and after-school based organizations relating to the prevention of overweight and obesity in children ages 5 – 11, providing new skills to youth-based workers to prevent overweight and obesity in children ages 5 – 11, incorporate environmental change at the organizational level within centers that attend the conference, increase parental/guardian involvement with children’s learning progress, improve nutrition of children ages 5 – 11 and increase physical activity by children ages 5 – 11, and

WHEREAS, the Health Services 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. T-022574) in the amount of $10,876.00, with the New York State Department of Health with the New York State Department of Health to implement a Childhood Overweight and Obesity Prevention Program, for the period December 1, 2007 through November 30, 2008, in the 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, County participation will be reviewed by the Ways and Means Committee, and moves its adoption.
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ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 31 NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislators Decker and Maloney)

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
$11,786.00 – BUDGETED 2008 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS
$10,876.00 – BUDGETED 2008 FEDERAL PASS-THRU STATE REVENUE DOLLARS
$ 910.00 – BUDGETED 2008 COUNTY DOLLARS

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