

Honorable Andrew Joyce and Members of the Albany County Legislature:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

The Public Safety Committee of the Albany County Legislature met on October 30, 2019. Chairperson Miller, Messrs. Clay, Ward, Bullock, Tunny, Mss. Willingham and Lockart were present. Messrs. Frainier and Stevens were excused. The following items were discussed and/or acted upon:

Approving Previous Meeting Minutes: Unanimously approved.

1. Local Law No. "G" for 2018: A Local Law of the County of Albany, New York to limit the length of time that canines may be restrained outdoors to no more than two hours in any continuous twelve-hour period: Tabled at the request of the Sponsor.
2. Local Law No. "R" for 2018: A Local Law of the County of Albany, New York prohibiting Albany County Government from assisting in the investigation of citizenship or immigration status of any person: Tabled at the request of the Sponsor.
3. Resolution No. 376: Public hearing on proposed Local Law No. "R" for 2018. Tabled at the request of the Sponsor.
4. Authorizing an Agreement with the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services Regarding the 2018 Technical Rescue and Urban Search and Rescue Program and Amending the 2019 Sheriff's Office Budget: The Albany County Sheriff had requested authorization to enter into an agreement with the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) regarding grant funding for the 2018 Technical Rescue and Urban Search and Rescue Program in the amount of \$149,973 with no County match, for a term commencing October 1, 2019 and ending August 31, 2021. After further discussion, the Committee voted unanimously to move the proposal forward for legislative action with a favorable recommendation.
5. Authorizing an Agreement with New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services Regarding the 2019 Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness Grant Program and Amending the 2019 Sheriff's Office Budget: The Albany County Sheriff had requested authorization to enter into an agreement with the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) regarding funding for the 2019 Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness Grant Program in the amount of \$15,516 for a term commencing October 1, 2019 and ending September 30, 2020. After further discussion, the Committee voted unanimously to move the proposal forward for legislative action with a favorable recommendation.

6. Authorizing an Agreement with New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services Regarding the 2018 Cyber Security Grant Program and Amending 2019 Sheriff's Office Budget: The Albany County Executive had requested authorization to enter into an agreement with the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) regarding funding for the 2018 Cyber Security Grant Program in the amount of \$28,950, with no County match, for a term commencing October 1, 2019 and ending September 30, 2021. After further discussion, the Committee voted unanimously to move the proposal forward for legislative action with a favorable recommendation.
7. Authorizing an Agreement with the New York State Stop-DWI Foundation, Inc. Regarding the Stop-DWI Statewide Crackdown High Visibility Enforcement Grant: The Albany County Sheriff had requested authorization to enter into an agreement with the New York State Stop-DWI Foundation, Inc. regarding the Stop-DWI Statewide Crackdown High Visibility Enforcement Grant in an amount of \$30,000 for a term commencing October 1, 2019 and ending September 30, 2020. After further discussion, the Committee voted unanimously to move the proposal forward for legislative action with a favorable recommendation.
8. Authorizing an Agreement with New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC Regarding Wireless Communications Operations at 28 Jansen Lane in the Town of Berne: The Albany County Sheriff had requested authorization to enter into a sublease agreement with New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC regarding wireless communications operations at 28 Jansen Lane in the Town of Berne. The Sheriff indicated that the proposed agreement shall be at an annual rent of \$15,000 to be paid in equal monthly installments of \$1,250 for the initial five year term, followed by four five-year renewals options with a 7.5% price escalator for each subsequent term, subject to the authorization of the Albany County Legislature. After further discussion, the Committee voted unanimously to move the proposal forward for legislative action with a favorable recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,  
THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

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