

PUBLIC SAFETY & EMERGENCY SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES  
October 14, 2024

The Public Safety & Emergency Services Committee of the Broome County Legislature met on Monday, October 14, 2024 in the Legislative Conference Room.

Members Present: S. Baker (Chair), M. Pasquale, G. Baldwin, B. Weslar, M. Hilderbrant (Voting Representative for S. Ryan)

Members Absent: None

Others Present: J. Scott, M. McDonald, Legislature; J. Garnar, Executive; J. St. Amour, OMB; R. Brown, DPW; N. Haight, K. Sainclair, OES; P. LoPiccolo, Aviation; P. Battisti, DA; T. Westbrook, Assigned Counsel, A. Rice, D. Rice, V. Gialanella, Resident.

The Public Safety & Emergency Services Committee meeting was called to order by the Chair at 4:00 PM. Mr. Baldwin made a motion to move the agenda, seconded by Mr. Pasquale.

The Committee took the following action with regard to the matters before it:

#6 [RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE ILLEGAL FENTANYL PROSECUTION PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2023-2025](#)

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#7 [RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS FROM THE OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S TRAFFIC DIVERSION RESERVE AND AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE ASTOR D. RICE FOUNDATION FOR FUNDING FOR 2024-2025](#)

Mr. Battisti passed out a letter of support from the Binghamton East Middle School regarding this program.

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#8 [RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF AGREEMENTS WITH SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STOP ARM CAMERA PROGRAM FOR THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES FOR 2025-2029](#)

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#9 [RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE FY21 HAZMAT HOMELAND SECURITY PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2024-2025](#)

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#10 [RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE FY22 HAZMAT HOMELAND SECURITY PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2024-2025](#)

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#11 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE BROOME COUNTY SCHOOL BUS STOP-ARM SAFETY PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2024-2025

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#12 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE HURRELL-HARRING ASSIGNED COUNSEL PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE ASSIGNED COUNSEL PROGRAM AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2024-2025

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#13 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF JAG BRYNE POLICING PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2024-2025

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#14 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A PERSONNEL CHANGE REQUEST FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#36 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING APPOINTMENTS TO MEMBERSHIP ON THE BROOME COUNTY TRAFFIC SAFETY BOARD

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#38 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE PRE-TRIAL RELEASE PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PROBATION AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2024-2025

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

There being no further business to come before the Committee at this time, a motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Hilderbrant, seconded by Mr. Pasquale. The meeting adjourned at 4:07 PM.