PUBLIC SAFETY & EMERGENCY SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES September 8, 2025

The Public Safety & Emergency Services Committee of the Broome County Legislature met on Monday, September 8, 2025 in the Legislative Conference Room.

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

Members Absent:

Others Present: J. Scott, C. Hall, C. French, M. McDonald, Legislature; J. St. Amour, T.

Adams, OMB; P. Battisti, DA; G. Kilmer, Transit; R. Brown, DPW; D.

Smith, DSWM; P. LoPiccolo, Aviation; V. Gialanella, Resident.

The Public Safety & Emergency Services Committee meeting was called to order by the Chair at 4:01 PM. Mr. Pasquale made a motion to move the agenda, seconded by Mr. Weslar.

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

#25 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE BROOME COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY AND BROOME COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES FOR 2025-2029

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#26 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE GUN INVOLVED VIOLENCE ELIMINATION (GIVE) PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2025-2026 Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#27 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY TO ACCEPT AND ALLOCATE BYRNE STATE CRISIS INTERVENTION PROGRAM FUNDING FOR 2025-2026 AND AMENDING THE OPERATING BUDGET

Responding to a question from Mr. Baker, Mr. Battisti stated that this is a new grant they are receiving from the State, Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#38 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY TO APPOINT A SPECIAL ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY UNDER A CERTIFICATE OF NECESSITY FOR THE OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR 2025-2026

Responding to a question from Ms. Ryan, Mr. Battisti stated that this idea came from Rockland County. This will allow a qualified person to act in a mentor type role, while being protected by County liability at no cost to the County.

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. Baldwin, seconded by Ms. Ryan. The meeting adjourned at 4:06 PM.