

**Law Enforcement & Public Safety Committee
Regular Meeting Minutes**

DATE & TIME: November 6, 2024 – 5:00 PM
LOCATION(S): KL Binder Library, 6th Floor, County Office Building, Kingston
Livestreamed at <https://www.youtube.com/@UlsterCountyLegislature/streams>
PRESIDING OFFICER: Chair Hansut
LEGISLATIVE STAFF: Lizvett Noriega, Legislative Administrative Assitant; Tyron Rogers, Legislature Technical Support Specialist
MEMBERS PRESENT: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
MEMBERS ABSENT: Deputy Chair Hewitt
QUORUM PRESENT: Yes

OTHER ATTENDEES: Legislator Nolan, Sheriff Juan Figueroa – UC Sheriff’s Office; Chad Storey, UC Sheriff’s Office; Deputy County Executive Jamie Capuano - County Executive’s Office; Administrative Assistant District Attorney, Sajaa Ahmed – District Atty’s Office, Director of Emergency Services, Everett Erichsen, Emergency Services; Valerie Naccarato & Dana Ryan, Probation; Cliff Owens

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Chair Hansut called the meeting to order at 5:01 PM

Chair Hansut had department heads give a quick update on their departments.

Motion No. 1: **Motion to Approve the minutes of the October 2, 2024 Regular meeting**

Motion Made By: Legislator McCollough
Motion Seconded By: Legislator Walls

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Minutes Approved**

Resolutions for the November 19, 2024 Session of the Legislature:

Resolution No. 527 – Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For \$123,341.00 Entered Into By The County – Family Of Woodstock Inc. – Department Of Probation

Resolution Summary – A contract amendment for \$123,341.00 with Family of Woodstock, Inc., to operate and implement the Alternative to Juvenile Detention Program. Term 1/1/25-12/31/25.

Motion No. 2: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 527**
Motion Made By: Legislator Hansut
Motion Seconded By: Legislator Walls

Voting in Favor: Legislators Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: Legislator Clinton
Votes in Favor: 5
Votes Against: 1
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 558 – Appointing Members To The Ulster County Fire Advisory Board

Resolution Summary – This Resolution appoints Tommy O'Brien (Olivebridge) and Dennis Scully (Kingston) to the Ulster County Fire Advisory Board serving a term to expire on December 31, 2025.

Motion No. 3: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 558**
Motion Made By: Legislator Walls
Motion Seconded By: Legislator McCollough

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 588 – Approving Ulster County’s 2025 STOP-DWI Program Plan And Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute All Inter-Municipal Agreements Required Under The Plan – Department Of Probation, STOP-DWI Division

Resolution Summary – This Resolution authorizes the Chair of the Legislature to execute an such Inter Municipal Agreements and any amendments thereto as may be required to carry out the approved 2025 STOP-DWI Program Plan.

Motion No. 4: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 588**
Motion Made By: Legislator Clinton
Motion Seconded By: Legislator McCollough

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 589 – Approving Ulster County’s STOP-DWI Foundation High Visibility Engagement Campaign And Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute All Inter-Municipal Agreements Required Under The Plan – Department Of Probation, STOP-DWI Division

Resolution Summary – This Resolution authorizes the Chair of the Legislature to execute such Inter Municipal Agreements, and any amendments thereto, as may be required to carry out the High Visibility Engagement Campaign in the amount of \$29,000.00.

Motion No. 5: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 589**
Motion Made By: Legislator Walls
Motion Seconded By: Legislator McCollough

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 590 – Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Accept A Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee Grant – Police Services – Ulster County Sheriff

Resolution Summary – This Resolution authorizes the Chair of the Legislature to sign an agreement to accept a Governor's Traffic Safety Committee Grant, secured by New York State Department of Motor Vehicles in the amount of \$15,650.00.

Motion No. 6: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 590**
Motion Made By: Legislator Clinton
Motion Seconded By: Legislator McCollough

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 591 – Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Accept A Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee Grant – Child Passenger Safety – Ulster County Sheriff

Resolution Summary – This Resolution authorizes the Chair of the Legislature to sign an agreement to accept a Governor's Traffic Safety Committee Grant, secured by New York State Department of Motor Vehicles in the amount of \$10,500.00.

Motion No. 7: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 591**
Motion Made By: Legislator Walls
Motion Seconded By: Legislator Clinton

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 592 – Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Agreement With The Department Of Justice (DOJ), Office Of Community Policing Services For Law Enforcement Mental Health And Wellness Act Implementation Projects - Ulster County Sheriff

Resolution Summary – This Resolution authorizes the Chair of the Legislature to execute an agreement and any amendments thereto in the amount of \$200,000.00 with the Department of Justice for Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act (LEMHWA) Implementation Projects for Fiscal Years 2024-2026.

Motion No. 8: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 592**
Motion Made By: Legislator Clinton
Motion Seconded By: Legislator McCollough

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 593 – Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Amended Agreement With The Rondout Valley Central School District To Provide 1 (One) Additional Deputy Sheriff As School Resource Officer – Ulster County Sheriff

Resolution Summary – This Resolution authorizes the Chair of the Legislature to sign an agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the Rondout Valley Central School District to provide a Deputy Sheriff to serve as a School Resource Officer for the term January 1, 2025 through June 30, 2025.

Motion No. 9: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 593**
Motion Made By: Legislator Clinton
Motion Seconded By: Legislator McCollough

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 594 – Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$65,222.41 Entered Into By The County – Black Creek Integrated Systems Corp. – Ulster County Sheriff

Resolution Summary – Contract amendment for \$65,222.41 with Black Creek Integrated Systems Corp. Level three support to, and maintenance and repair of the electronic locking equipment system for all doors at the UC Law Enforcement Center. Term 1/1/25 – 12/31/25.

Motion No. 10: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 594**
Motion Made By: Legislator McCollough
Motion Seconded By: Legislator Walls

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls

Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 595 – Approving The Execution Of A Contract For \$120,240.18 Entered Into By The County – Cook's Direct, Inc. – Ulster County Sheriff

Resolution Summary – Contract amendment for \$120,240.18 with Cook's Direct, Inc., to deliver and install equipment and furniture for the officer's dining room located in the UC Law Enforcement Center. Term 1/1/25 – 3/31/25.

Motion No. 11: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 595**
Motion Made By: Legislator Clinton
Motion Seconded By: Legislator McCollough

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 596 – Approving The Execution Of A Contract Amendment For \$17,500.00, Causing The Aggregate Contract Plus Amendment Amount To Be In Excess Of \$50,000.00, Entered Into By The County – Public Safety Psychology, PLLC – Ulster County Sheriff

Resolution Summary – Contract amendment for \$117,500.00 with Public Safety Psychology, PLLC., to extend the term of agreement for psychological evaluations for pre-employment applicants. Term 1/1/25 – 12/31/25.

Motion No. 12: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 596**
Motion Made By: Legislator McCollough
Motion Seconded By: Legislator Walls

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Resolution No. 599 – Setting A Public Hearing On Proposed Local Law No. 15 Of 2024, A Local Law Amending The Ulster County Charter And The Ulster County Administrative Code By Deleting Article XLIV From Each (Insurance Department), And Amending The Ulster County Charter And The Ulster County Administrative Code With Respect To Article XLIII (Safety Department), To Be Held On Tuesday, December 10, 2024 At 6:05 PM

Resolution Summary – This Resolution sets a Public Hearing on Proposed Local Law No. 15 Of 2024, A Local Law Amending The Ulster County Charter And The Ulster County Administrative Code By Deleting Article XLIV From Each (Insurance Department), And Amending The Ulster County Charter And The Ulster County Administrative Code With Respect To Article XLIII (Safety Department), to be held on Tuesday, December 10, 2024 at 6:05 PM.

Motion No. 13: **Motion to Adopt Resolution No. 599**
Motion Made By: Legislator McCollough
Motion Seconded By: Legislator Walls

Voting in Favor: Legislators Clinton, Criswell, Hansut, Maloney, McCollough and Walls
Voting Against: None
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0
Disposition: **Resolution Adopted**

Adjournment

Motion Made By: Legislator Walls
Motion Seconded By: Legislator McCollough
Votes in Favor: 6
Votes Against: 0

TIME: 5:45 PM
Respectfully Submitted: Lizvett Noriega, Legislative Administrative Assistant
Approved: December 4, 2024

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