Amending The 2024 Ulster County Budget To Adjust The Annual Salary Of The District Attorney As Required By The New York State Judiciary Law – Ulster County District Attorney's Office

Referred to: The Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee (Chairwoman Hansut and Legislators Hewitt, Maloney, McCollough and Walls), and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gavaris and Legislators Collins, Hansut, Kovacs, Nolan, and Roberts)

Chairwoman of the Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee, Gina Hansut, and Deputy Chair Chris Hewitt offer the following:

WHEREAS, effective April 1, 2024, the New York State Legislature increased the annual salary of the Ulster County Court Judge to \$223,700.00; and

WHEREAS, Section 183-A of the New York State Judiciary Law requires the annual salary of the District Attorney for counties with a population greater than one hundred thousand and less than five hundred thousand be determined based on the equivalent of the annual salary of the County Court Judge; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to increase the annual salary of the District Attorney from \$202,800.00 to \$223,700.00, an increase of \$20,900.00; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the annual salary of the Ulster County District Attorney is hereby increased to \$223,700.00 pursuant to the requirement of Section 183-A of the New York State Judiciary Law; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the 2024 Ulster County Budget is hereby amended as follows:

	INCREASE	<u>AMOUNT</u>
AA.1165.1031-1300.1300 (App.#)	Regular Pay	\$20,900.00
AA.1165.1031-8000.8000 (App.#)	Retirement	\$ 3,233.00
AA.1165.1031-8010.8010 (App.#)	Social Security / FICA	\$ 1,599.00

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	DECREASE	<u>AMOUNT</u>
AA.1990.1331-4600.4660 (App.#)	Contractual Expense Other	\$25,732.00

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:22NOES:0(Absent: Legislator Kitchen)

Passed Committee: Law Enforcement and Public Safety as amended on May 1, 2024

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on May 9, 2024

FINANCIAL IMPACT: \$25,732.00 – INCREASE 2024 DISTRICT ATTORNEY PAYROLL APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

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STATE OF NEW YORK

COUNTY OF ULSTER

ss:

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the original resolution adopted by the Ulster County Legislature on the 14th Day of May in the year Two Thousand Twenty-Four, and said resolution shall remain on file in the office of said clerk.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this 15th Day of May in the year Two Thousand Twenty-Four.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this 15th Day of May 2024.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk Ulster County Legislature Approved by the County Executive this 22nd Day of May 2024.

[s] Jen Metzger Jen Metzger, County Executive