Resolution No. 356 July 15, 2025

Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Agreement With The Kingston City School District To Provide One (1) Deputy Sheriff As School Resource Officer – Ulster County Sheriff

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

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

WHEREAS, this resolution has been submitted at the request of the Ulster County Sheriff; and

WHEREAS, the Kingston City School District has requested a Deputy Sheriff be assigned as a School Resource Officer (SRO) at the Miller Middle School as requested by the District; and

WHEREAS, the Kingston City School District will pay Ulster County an amount not less than \$114,278.00 for the services of the Deputy Sheriff assigned as the School Resource Officer; and

WHEREAS, the term of the agreement shall be September 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Chair of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to sign an agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the Kingston City School District to provide a Deputy Sheriff to serve as a School Resource Officer for the term September 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026, in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney,

and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: NOES:

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Passed Committee: Law Enforcement and Public Safety on July 2, 2025

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on July 10, 2025

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$45,712.00 - BUDGETED 2025 REVENUE DOLLARS

\$45,712.00 - BUDGETED 2025 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

\$68,567.00 - ANTICIPATED 2026 REVENUE DOLLARS

\$68,567.00 - ANTICIPATED 2026 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

Legislator Kovacs motioned, seconded by Legislator Maloney, to refer the Resolution back to the Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee.

MOTION ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 22 NOES: 1 (Noes: Legislator Nolan)

REFERRED TO LAW ENFORCEMENT AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE