

**Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Agreement With The New York State Division Of Criminal Justice Services For Participation In The Crimes Against Revenue Program – District Attorney**

Referred to: The Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee (Chairman Briggs and Legislators Fabiano, Lapp, Maio and Rodriguez), and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gerentine and Legislators Allen, Bartels, Belfiglio, Briggs, Maio, and Maloney)

Chairman of the Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee, Thomas J. Briggs, and Deputy Chairman Ronald G. Lapp, Jr. offer the following:

WHEREAS, this resolution has been submitted by the District Attorney; and

WHEREAS, the Ulster County District Attorney has been awarded funding in the amount of \$151,815.00 by the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) for participation in the Crimes Against Revenue Program (CARP) for the term January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the funds will be used exclusively to continue to fund a designated Assistant District Attorney to specialize in the investigation and prosecution of revenue crimes against New York State committed within Ulster County; and forensic accounting services to assess, identify evidence, review documentation and provide testimony if necessary, on a case by case basis during the prosecution of revenue crimes against New York State committed within Ulster County; and

WHEREAS, the District Attorney requests that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature be authorized to execute an agreement (NYS Contract No. C444471) with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for participation in CARP for the term January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016 in the amount of \$151,815.00; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to execute an agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (NYS Contract No. C444471) in the amount of \$151,815.00 for the term January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016, in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature, or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney in consultation with the Chairman of the Legislature and the Chairman and Deputy Chairman of the Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee; and, be it further

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RESOLVED, that if funding for this program is eliminated, the program/position will be eliminated as well,

and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 22                      NOES: 0  
(Legislator Lopez left at 7:19 PM)

No Action Taken in the Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee on February 8, 2016

Passed Committee: Law Enforcement and Public Safety on March 1, 2016

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on March 8, 2016

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

\$151,815.00 – BUDGETED 2016 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

\$151,815.00 – BUDGETED 2016 STATE REVENUE DOLLARS

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STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF ULSTER

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 15<sup>th</sup> Day of March in the year Two Thousand and Sixteen, 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 17<sup>th</sup> Day of March in the year Two Thousand and Sixteen.

|s| Victoria A. Fabella  
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk  
Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this  
17<sup>th</sup> Day of March, 2016.

|s| Victoria A. Fabella  
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk  
Ulster County Legislature

Approved by the County Executive this  
23<sup>rd</sup> Day of March, 2016.

|s| Michael P. Hein  
Michael P. Hein, County Executive