

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

DATE & TIME: October 21, 2014 - - 6:55 PM
LOCATION: COB, 6th Floor, Karen Binder Library
PRESIDING OFFICER: Chairman TJ Briggs
LEGISLATIVE STAFF: Jay Mahler, Deputy Clerk/Confidential Secretary
PRESENT: Legislators Gregorius, Loughran, Maio and Ronk
ABSENT: None
QUORUM PRESENT: Yes
OTHER ATTENDEES: Legislators Litts, III and Wishnick.

Chairman Briggs called the meeting to order at 6:55 PM.

Motion No. 1: Resolution No. 355 – October 21, 2014

Text of Motion: **Resolved to approve Resolution No. 355** - Appropriating Funds From The District Attorney Forfeiture Account - Amending The 2014 Ulster County Budget – Ulster County District Attorney’s Office

Motion Made By: Legislator Ronk
Motion Seconded By: Legislator Loughran

Resolution No. 355 Summary: This Resolution is requesting that \$30,000.00 be appropriated from the District Attorney’s Fund Balance Forfeiture Account for the purpose of purchasing law enforcement equipment, as defined in Article 13A of the N.Y.C.P.L.R., United States Department of Justice Guidelines for Equitable Sharing, Title 18 U.S.C. §981, Title 21 U.S.C. §881, and Title 19 U.S.C. §164.

Discussion:

Chairman Briggs read the email received from Mr. Weishaupt at the District Attorney’s Office explaining what the forfeiture money would be used to purchase.

Legislator Loughran expressed his feeling that the Committee should continue to take no action on resolutions presented without satisfactory explanations.

Legislator Ronk explained that Mr. Weishaupt's email was sent the evening of the Committee's regularly scheduled October meeting but was not received in time for the meeting.

Roll Call Vote:	No
Voting In Favor:	Legislators Briggs, Gregorius, Loughran, Maio and Ronk
Voting Against:	None
No. of Votes in Favor:	5
No. of Votes Against:	0
Disposition:	Carried

Adjournment

Motion Made By:	Legislator Ronk
Motion Seconded By:	Legislator Loughran
No. of Votes in Favor:	5
No. of Votes Against:	0

TIME: 6:57 PM

Respectfully submitted this 3rd day of November, 2014

Jay Mahler, Deputy Clerk

Minutes Approved: November 3, 2014