Resolution No. 204 June 14, 2006

Establishing The Ulster County Handicapped Parking Education Program In Accordance With New York State Vehicle And Traffic Law – Authorizing The County Treasurer To Establish A Reserve For The Program – Amending The 2006 Ulster County Budget – Human Rights Commission

The Human Development Committee (Chairman Kraft and Legislators Distel, Liepmann, Loughran, Provenzano, Harris and Noonan) offers the following:

WHEREAS, Chapter 497 of the Laws of 1999 amends the Vehicle and Traffic Law to mandate that every county shall establish a handicapped parking education program for the purpose of providing education advocacy and increased public awareness of handicapped parking laws, and

WHEREAS, funding for such program will be made available from the imposition of a \$30.00 mandatory surcharge for violations related to handicapped parking spaces, of which \$15.00 for each offense will be distributed by the New York State Comptrollers Office in collaboration with the New York State Unified Courts System, and paid to the County Treasurer on a quarterly basis, and by the City of Kingston Court on a monthly basis, and

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby requesting that the handicapped parking education program be monitored and administered by the Ulster County Human Rights Commission, and

WHEREAS, the Human Development Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of the members voting approval, and

WHEREAS, the Ways and Means Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of the members voting approval.

RESOLVED, that the 2006 Ulster County Budget be amended as follows:

CREATE

A4-1760-4724 (App. #)	Handicapped Parking Education Program
A3-1760-2610 (Rev. #)	Handicapped Parking Fines

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	INCREASE	AMOUNT
A4-1760-4724 (App. #)	Handicapped Parking Education Program	\$7,000.00
A3-1760-2610 (Rev. #)	Fines and Forfeited Bail	\$7,000.00
, and		

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Ulster County Treasurer be authorized to established an Operating Reserve for handicapped parking education program, as recommended by the New York State Office of State Comptroller,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 32 NOES: 0 (Absent: Legislator Liepmann)

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$7,000.00 – ADDITONAL APPROPRIATIONS \$7,000.00 – ADDITONAL REVENUES – FINES \$ 0.00 – COUNTY DOLLARS

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