Resolution No. 264 September 9, 2009

Authorizing The Chairman Of The Ulster County Legislature To Enter Into An Agreement With The New York State Division Of Criminal Justice Services For The Aid To Defense Program – Department Of Public Defender

The Criminal Justice and Safety Committee (Chairman Dart and Legislators Briggs, Richard Parete, Zimet, Hansut, Maloney and Ronk) offers the following:

WHEREAS, the Public Defender has requested that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature be authorized to enter into an agreement (NYS Contract No. T099126), and any amendments thereto, with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the purpose of Ulster County's participation in the New York State Aid to Defense Program (Project No. AD09-1027-D00), for the period April 1, 2009 through March 31, 2010, and

WHEREAS, the purposes of the Aid to Defense Program are (1) to enhance defense services designed to expedite the processing of violent and serious felony cases through the courts and (2) to ensure thorough case processing and effective defense representation, and

WHEREAS, the Criminal Justice and Safety Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of members voting approval, and

WHEREAS, the Ways and Means Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of the members voting approval, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, Contract No. T099126, and any amendments thereto, with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the purpose of Ulster County's participation in the New York State Aid to Defense Program (Project No. AD09-1027-D00), for the period April 1, 2009 through March 31, 2010, in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 29 NOES: 0

(Absent: Legislators Aiello, Decker, Felicello

and Shapiro)

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FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$17,400.00 – BUDGETED APPROPRIATION DOLLARS \$17,400.00 – BUDGETED STATE REVENUE DOLLARS \$ 0.00 – ADDITIONAL COUNTY DOLLARS

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STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF ULSTER

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster have compared the foregoing resolution with the original resolution now on file in the office of said clerk, and which was adopted by said Legislature on the 9th Day of September, 2009, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this $10^{\rm th}$ Day of September in the year Two Thousand and Nine.

|s| Mary L. Carey Mary L. Carey, Clerk Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this

11th Day of September, 2009.

|s| Mary L. Carey Mary L. Carey, Clerk Ulster County Legislature Approved by the County Executive this

16th Day of September, 2009.

|s| Michael P. Hein

Michael P. Hein, County Executive