

AUTHORIZING THE CHAIRMAN OF THE ULSTER COUNTY LEGISLATURE TO ENTER INTO A RENEWAL AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE UNIFIED COURT SYSTEM – BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

The Highways & Bridges / Buildings & Grounds / Public Works Administration Committee (Chairman Felicello and Legislators Hathaway, McAfee, Meyer, Stock, Berardi, Donaldson, Provenzano and Zimet) offers the following:

WHEREAS, counties and cities are required by law to furnish and maintain adequate court facilities for use by trial courts of the State of New York, and

WHEREAS, Chapter 686 of the Laws of 1996 was enacted to invest the State of New York with the fiscal responsibility of managing the interior cleaning of court facilities and the performance of minor repairs therein, and with the ability to cover the costs thereof, and

WHEREAS, Chapter 686 of the Laws of 1996 requires the State of New York to contract with political subdivisions of the State for the cleaning of court facilities, as well as minor and emergency repairs thereof, and

WHEREAS, the County of Ulster is responsible for furnishing and maintaining the Ulster County Courthouse, Ulster County Family Court, and Ulster County Surrogate's Court, and

WHEREAS, said contract with the New York State Unified Court System provides reimbursement to the County of Ulster for costs expended in the provision of services pursuant to agreement for the term of April 1, 2003 through March 31, 2008, and

WHEREAS, said contract with the New York State Unified Court System requires the establishment of an annual renewal period in the five-year term, to commence on April 1, 2004 and terminate on March 31, 2005, and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Buildings and Grounds has requested the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature to enter into agreement with the New York State Unified Court System, and

WHEREAS, the Highways & Bridges / Buildings & Grounds / Public Works Administration Committee has been polled with a majority of the members approving, and

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

RESOLUTION NO. 306 OCTOBER 14, 2004

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RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to enter into agreement with the New York State Unified Court System, for a term commencing April 1, 2004 through March 31, 2005, as filed with the Clerk of the Legislature or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 32

NOES: 0

(Absent: Legislator Feldmann)

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$324,212.00 – BUDGETED REVENUE