Resolution No. 364 December 16, 2009

Amending Personnel Policy Manual For Ulster County And Ulster County Employee Handbook To Offer Eligibility To Purchase "Family Coverage" Of Health Insurance Benefits To All Retirees Of Ulster County Government When He/She Carried "Family Coverage" During The Course Of Their Employment And Retirement With The County Of Ulster Consistent With Family Plan Fees/Premiums

The Health Services Committee (Chairman Robert Parete and Legislators Briggs, Donaldson, Stoeckeler, Petit, Roberti and Ronk) and co-sponsors: The Human Development and Personnel Committee (Chairman Gregorius and Legislators Donaldson, Loughran, Provenzano, Hansut, Noonan and Terrizzi) offer the following:

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Ulster County Legislature to direct the County Personnel Officer to adhere to the following policy: "A policy to offer eligibility to purchase "family coverage" of health insurance benefits to all retirees of Ulster County Government, past and present, when he/she carried "family coverage" during the course of their employment and retirement with the County of Ulster consistent with family plan fees/premiums," and

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

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

RESOLVED, that the <u>Personnel Policy Manual for Ulster County</u> and the <u>Ulster County Employee Handbook</u> are hereby amended to offer eligibility to purchase "family coverage" of health insurance benefits to all retirees of Ulster County Government when he/she carried "family coverage" during the course of their employment and retirement with the County of Ulster consistent with family plan fees/premiums, and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County officials,

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and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: NOES:

Legislator Provenzano motioned, seconded by Legislator Lomita to refer the resolution back to the Ways and Means Committee.

MOTION ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 26 NOES: 2

(NOES: Legislators Dart and Robert Parete)

(Absent: Legislators Aiello, Felicello, Richard Parete

and Roberti)

FINANCIAL IMPACT: UNKNOWN

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REFERRED BACK TO COMMITTEE