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Monroe County, New York

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Committee Assignment

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To The Honorable Monroe County Legislature 407 County Office Building Rochester, New York 14614

Subject:

Amend the 2025–2030 Capital Improvement Program and the 2025 Capital Budget to Expand the Scope of and Increase Funding for the Project Entitled "Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance;" Amend Bond Resolution 416 of 2022 to Increase Funding for the Project; and Authorize a Contract with M.L. Caccamise Electric Corp. for General Construction Services for the Project

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body amend the 2025–2030 Capital Improvement Program and the 2025 Capital Budget to expand the scope of and increase funding for the project entitled "Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance" by \$175,000, from \$570,000 to \$745,000; amend Bond Resolution 416 of 2022 to expand the scope and increase financing for the project by \$175,000; and authorize a contract with M.L. Caccamise Electric Corp. in the amount of \$440,721.90 for general construction services for the project.

The Monroe Community College Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance project includes improvements to roadways, sidewalks and surface features at, and adjacent to, the entrance to the Downtown Campus to enhance pedestrian and vehicular safety. This project was identified in the 2021 Facilities Master Plan project as being necessary to address the safety of pedestrians crossing from various parking lots to the main entrance of the downtown campus. The master plan has identified an urgent need for traffic calming measures to reduce the hazard of crossing the adjacent streets. The first phase of this project, the installation of state-of-the-art traffic light enhancements referred to as "resting red" and intended as a traffic calming feature, has been completed. These devices were installed by Monroe County Department of Transportation. The design of the second phase, physical improvements to the curb lines at North Plymouth Avenue and Morrie Silver Way, has been completed and bids have been received to execute this work. The goal is to install these improvements prior to the start of the Fall 2025 Semester.

The request to increase capital fund 2018 is twofold. The project scope in 2021 was further refined to achieve the highest degree of safety for pedestrians. Further refinement of the requirements during design caused a modest increase in the anticipated budget. In addition, contemporary construction escalation from the original project budget was identified by the Department of Environmental Services during the design phase. The decision to request the increase in funding at this time was made to account for the current bidding atmosphere and ensure bid-certainty of the costs of construction.

Partial reimbursement of 50% for project costs will be provided from the State University of New York (SUNY).

The following bids were received on June 20, 2025:

M.L. Caccamise Electric Corp. \$440,721.90 Millennium Construction, Inc. \$448,879.00

The bids have been reviewed and M.L. Caccamise Electric Corp. has been determined to be the lowest responsible bidder pursuant to General Municipal Law § 103.

The specific legislative actions required are:

- 1. Amend the 2025–2030 Capital Improvement Program to expand the scope of the project entitled "Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance", from \$570,000 to \$745,000, for a total authorization of \$745,000.
- 2. Amend the 2025 Capital Budget to increase funding for the project entitled "Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance" by \$175,000, from zero to \$175,000, for a total project authorization of \$745,000.
- 3. Amend Bond Resolution 416 of 2022 to increase financing for the "Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance" project, by \$175,000, from \$570,000 to \$745,000.
- 4. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract with M.L. Caccamise Electric Corp., 721 Portland Avenue, Rochester, New York 14621 in the amount of \$440,721.90 for general construction services for the Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance project, and any amendments necessary to complete the project within the total capital fund(s) appropriation.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5 (c) (22) ("installation of traffic control devices on existing streets, roads and highways;") (23) ("mapping of existing roads, streets, highways, natural resources, land uses and ownership patterns;") (24) ("information collection, including basic data collection and research; water quality and pollution studies, traffic counts, engineering studies; surveys; subsurface investigations; and soils studies that do not commit the agency to undertake, fund or approve any Type I or Unlisted action;") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for this project, consistent with authorized uses, will be available in capital fund 2018 once the additional financing authorization requested herein is approved, and in any capital fund(s) created for the same intended purpose. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

The records in the Office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that neither M.L. Caccamise Electric Corp., nor its sole principal officer, Michael Caccamise, President, owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes.

I recommend that this matter receive favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

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Monroe County Executive

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AL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

AMENDING 2025–2030 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM; AUTHORIZING CONTRACT WITH M.L. CACCAMISE ELECTRIC CORP. FOR GENERAL CONSTRUCTION SERVICES FOR PROJECT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, as follows: The 2025-2030 Capital Improvement Program is hereby amended to expand the scope of the project entitled "Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance", from \$570,000 to \$745,000, for a total authorization of \$745,000. The County Executive, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute a contract with Section 2. M.L. Caccamise Electric Corp. in the amount of \$440,721.90 for general construction services for the Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance project, and any amendments necessary to complete the project within the total capital fund(s) appropriation. Funding for this project, consistent with authorized uses, will be available in capital fund 2018 once the additional financing authorization requested herein is approved, and in any capital fund(s) crated for the same intended purpose. This resolution shall take effect in accordance with Section C2-7 of the Monroe Section 4. County Charter. Matter of Urgency File No. 25-0246 ADOPTION: Date: _____ Vote: ____ ACTION BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE APPROVED: _____ VETOED: ____

SIGNATURE: DATE: ____

EFFECTIVE DATE OF RESOLUTION: _____

Intro. No	
RESOLUTION NO.	OF 2025

SUPERSEDING BOND RESOLUTION DATED JULY 8, 2025

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$745,000 BONDS OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, NEW YORK, TO FINANCE THE COST OF IMPROVE SAFETY OF DOWNTOWN CAMPUS ENTRANCE, IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY, AT AN ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST OF \$745,000 AND SUPERSEDING THE BOND RESOLUTION ADOPTED ON DECEMBER 13, 2022 (RESOLUTION NO. 416 OF 2022)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE AFFIRMATIVE VOTE OF **NOT LESS THAN TWO-THIRDS OF THE TOTAL VOTING STRENGTH** OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, as follows:

Section 1. For the object or purpose of financing the cost of Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance, in and for the County of Monroe, New York (the "County"), there are hereby authorized to be issued \$745,000 bonds of the County, pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law. The duly adopted current Capital Budget of the County, to the extent inconsistent herewith, is hereby amended to provide for the appropriation of an additional \$175,000 to pay the cost of the aforesaid specific object or purpose (\$570,000 having been heretofore appropriated from one or more Capital Budgets). The period of probable usefulness of the aforesaid object or purpose is five (5) years, pursuant to subdivision 35 of paragraph a of Section 11.00 of the Local Finance Law.

Section 2. The maximum estimated cost thereof is \$745,000, and the plan for the financing thereof is by the issuance of \$745,000 bonds of said County herein authorized, provided, however, that to the extent any state and/or federal aid and/or grant and/or gift is received for the aforesaid purpose, the County Executive, or his designee, is hereby authorized to accept and shall use such funds to redeem any outstanding indebtedness incurred for such purpose or apply it, dollar for dollar, to reduce the amount of bonds to be issued for such purpose.

Section 3. The faith and credit of the County are hereby irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of and interest on such obligations as the same respectively become due and payable. An annual appropriation shall be made in each year sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such obligations becoming due and payable in such year. There shall annually be levied on all the taxable real property of said County a tax sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such obligations as the same become due and payable.

Section 4. Subject to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, the power to authorize the issuance of and to sell the bonds and bond anticipation notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of the bonds herein authorized, including renewals of such notes, is hereby delegated to the Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer, the chief fiscal officer of the County under the Local Finance Law. The Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer may sell such bonds or notes at public or private sale, at a discount or premium, at fixed or variable rates of interest or at no interest whatsoever, or as capital appreciation bonds, and with such amortization of principal as the Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer shall determine is most favorable to the County, and in compliance with any rules of the State Comptroller applicable thereto. Such bonds or notes shall be of such terms, form and contents, and shall be sold in such manner, as may be prescribed by said Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer, consistent with the provisions of the Local

Finance Law. The Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer may, in the event it is determined to issue variable rate bonds or notes, enter into such agreements as said officer finds reasonable to facilitate the issuance, sale, resale and repurchase of such bonds or notes, as authorized under Section 54.90 of the Local Finance Law. The Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer is also authorized to enter into such agreements and take such other action as may be necessary or appropriate and lawful to assure that, to the extent possible, (i) interest on the bonds and notes authorized hereby will not be includable in the gross income, for federal income tax purposes, of the recipients thereof, and (ii) to enable the purchaser thereof to comply with Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12. The Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer is hereby further delegated all powers of this County Legislature with respect to agreements for credit enhancement, derived from and pursuant to Section 168.00 of the Local Finance Law, for such bonds or notes, including, but not limited to the determination of the provider of such credit enhancement facility or facilities and the terms and contents of any agreement or agreements related thereto.

Section 5. All other matters, except as provided herein, relating to such bonds or notes, including prescribing whether manual or facsimile signatures shall appear on said bonds or notes, prescribing the method for the recording of ownership of said bonds or notes, appointing the fiscal agent or agents for said bonds or notes, providing for the printing and delivery of said bonds or notes (and if said bonds or notes are to be executed in the name of the County by only facsimile signatures, providing for the manual countersignature of a fiscal agent or of a designated official of the County), the date, form, denominations, maturities, interest rate or rates, terms of and manner of sale and interest payment dates, place or places of payment, and also including the consolidation with other issues, shall be determined by the Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer. The Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer may elect to become the fiscal agent for the bonds or notes, or may contract on behalf of the County for this service pursuant to the Local Finance Law. Such bonds or notes shall contain substantially the recital of validity clause provided for in Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals, in addition to those required by Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law, as the Director of Finance - Chief Financial Officer shall determine.

Section 6. The validity of such bonds and bond anticipation notes, as authorized by this resolution, may be contested only if:

- such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which said County is not authorized to expend money, or
- 2) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of publication of this resolution are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty (20) days after the date of such publication, or
- 3) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 7. This resolution shall supersede Resolution No. 416 of 2022, being a bond resolution dated December 13, 2022, except to the extent that any indebtedness shall have been contracted or encumbrances made thereunder. The purpose of this superseding bond resolution is to effect the following: to increase the maximum estimated cost of the purpose to \$745,000, and to provide \$745,000 bonds therefor, an increase of \$175,000 over the \$570,000 bonds authorized under Resolution No. 416 of 2022.

Section 8. This resolution shall constitute a statement of official intent for purposes of Section 1.150-2 of the Treasury Regulations. Other than as specified in this resolution, no monies are, or are reasonably expected to be, reserved, allocated on a long-term basis, or otherwise set aside with respect to the permanent funding of the objects or purposes described herein.

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a summary hereof to be prescribed by Section 81			stantially the form and in the manner	
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LEGAL NOTICE OF ESTOPPEL

The bond resolution, a summary of which is published herewith, has been adopted on July 8, 2025 and the validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the County of Monroe, New York, is not authorized to expend money, or if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice, or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

A complete copy of the resolution summarized herewith is available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Office of the Clerk of the County Legislature of the County of Monroe, New York, for a period of twenty days from the date of publication of this Notice.

Dated: July 8, 2025

Rochester, New York

David Grant Clerk, Monroe County Legislature

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Object or Purpose: Improve Safety of Downtown Campus Entrance

Maximum estimated cost: \$745,000

Period of probable usefulness: 5 years

Amount of obligations to be issued: \$745,000 bonds

File No. 25-0246.br