By Legislators Lee, LaMar, Keophetlasy, Felder and Flagler-Mitchell
Intro. No
MOTION NO OF 2021
PROVIDING THAT RESOLUTION (INTRO NO OF 2021), ENTITLED "ADOPTING POLICIES TO ADDRESS RACIAL INEQUITIES IN MONROE COUNTY," BE ADOPTED A AMENDED
BE IT MOVED, that Resolution (Intro. No of 2021), entitled, "ADOPTING POLICIES TO
ADDRESS RACIAL INEQUITIES IN MONROE COUNTY," be adopted as amended.
File No. 21-0475
ADOPTION: Date: Vote:

By Legislators Lee, LaMar, Keophetlasy, Felder and Flagler-Mitchell Intro No. _____ RESOLUTION NO. ____ OF 2021 (As Amended by Motion No. _____ of 2021) ADOPTING POLICIES TO ADDRESS RACIAL INEQUITIES IN MONROE COUNTY BE IT RESOLVED THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, as follows: The County Executive, or his designee, is hereby directed to create a local process allowing businesses to become MWBE certified in lieu of the process laid out by New York State; to redesign civil service functions to ensure equitable and unobstructed access to qualified applicants; to create a process that ensures all potential contractors have diversity, equity, and inclusion policies in place; to create a community-based program for youth facing criminal charges that includes counseling and mentorship, restorative justice circles, case managers who create a comprehensive plan with parents and youth, respite services, and a forensic psychiatric specialist equipped to handle youth with complex mental health issues; to make a good faith effort to decentralize Monroe County Department of Public Health services and put locations in neighborhoods with high populations of BIPOC; and to create a racial justice task force comprised of the major players in the criminal justice system and community members to meet quarterly to review local criminal justice data and identify additional strategies to eliminate racial disparities. The County Executive shall provide a plan, process, and implementation timeline to the Monroe County Legislature on or before December 23, 2021 as to the status of the directives outlined in this resolution as well as other recommendations from the Commission of Racial and Structural Equality. Section 3: This resolution shall take effect in accordance with Section C2-7 of the Monroe County Charter. Public Safety Committee; November 22, 2021 = CV: 9-0 Human Services Committee; November 23, 2021 - CV: 9-0 File No. 21-0475 ADOPTION: Date: _____ Vote: ACTION BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE APPROVED: ____ VETOED: _____ SIGNATURE: ___ ____DATE:

EFFECTIVE DATE OF RESOLUTION: ____