

MONROE COUNTY

Intergovernmental Relations Committee

November 27, 2023 5:30 PM

AGENDA

- A. ROLL CALL
- B. PUBLIC FORUM
- C. <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</u>

October 24, 2023

D. NEW BUSINESS

23-0383

Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Other Counties for Services Provided by the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner - County Executive Adam J. Bello

23-0389

Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Municipalities for Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau Programs in 2024 - County Executive Adam J. Bello

23-0394

Amend Resolution 305 of 2020, as Amended by Resolution 410 of 2021, to Extend the Time Period of the Grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services for the Operation Stonegarden Program and to Permit the Town of Irondequoit to Seek Reimbursement for Equipment Pursuant to an Intermunicipal Ageement with Monroe County for the Operation Stonegarden Program - County Executive Adam J. Bello

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Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Other Counties for Forensic Laboratory Services Provided by the Monroe County Crime Laboratory - County Executive Adam J. Bello

23-0402

Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester for a Firearms Instructor - County Executive Adam J. Bello

23-0409

Amend the 2024-2029 Capital Improvement Program and 2024 Capital Budget to Add a Project Entitled "PSTF Fire Training Grounds Expansion" Authorize Financing for the Project; Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester; and Acceptance of a Gift from the Monroe Community College Foundation - County Executive Adam J. Bello

23-0412

Authorize Grant Contracts, Appropriation Transfers, and Intermunicipal Agreements Pursuant the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) for Broadband Infrastructure - As a Matter of Importance - County Executive Adam J. Bello

23-0414

Acceptance of a Grant from the United States Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, for the Improving Criminal Justice Responses Grant Program also known as the Arrest Program, and Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester and Contracts with the Legal Aid Society of Rochester, New York, Planned Parenthood of Central and Western New York, Inc., and Willow Domestic Violence Center of Greater Rochester, Inc. - As a Matter of Importance - County Executive Adam J. Bello

E. OTHER MATTERS

F. ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the Intergovernmental Relations Committee will be Announced





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November 9, 2023

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

Subject:

Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Other Counties for Services Provided by the Monroe

County Office of the Medical Examiner

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize intermunicipal agreements with various counties in New York State for the provision of comprehensive medicolegal death investigative and forensic pathology services by the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner for a one-year period to commence on or after January 1, 2024, with the option to renew for up to two (2) additional one-year terms of up to one year each, with any such renewals billed at the Monroe County Budget Public Health – Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule for the corresponding year.

Under the terms of the intermunicipal agreements, the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner performs autopsies and investigative field services, and conducts a variety of tests on an as-needed basis. The Office of the Medical Examiner will charge each county listed below a flat fee based on the prevailing rate, as established by Your Honorable Body and listed in the proposed 2024 Monroe County Budget Public Health – Medical Examiner 2024 Fees and Charges Schedule, for services up to a specified number of cases. Cases above the specified number will be on a percase basis, as will the provision of any additional special services excluded from the standard services. The agreement provides for a fixed number of case referrals for the contract amount. The amount paid for each agreement covers certain specified included services. Excluded services, as well as any cases referred over the fixed number of agreed to cases, are billed to the referring county separately. Fixed rates will be adjusted if extensions are accepted based on prevailing rates for the corresponding year.

County	2024 Amount
Genesee (52 cases)	\$100,200
Livingston (33 cases)	\$52,925
Ontario (16 cases)	\$26,100
Orleans (19 cases)	\$37,400
Wyoming (36 cases)	\$58,100

Those counties not currently under contract with Monroe County seeking these services will be billed at the prevailing rate, as established by Your Honorable Body and listed in the proposed 2024 Monroe County Budget Public Health – Medical Examiner 2024 Fees and Charges Schedule, with any such renewals billed at the Monroe County Budget Public Health – Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule for the corresponding year.

The specific legislative actions required are:

- 1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designce, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Genesee County for the provision of medicolegal death investigative services and forensic pathology services by the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner in an amount not to exceed \$100,200 for up to 52 cases per year for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with services excluded from the standard services and cases above the contracted number to be billed on a per-case basis pursuant to the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule, and with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms, with any such renewals billed at the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule for the corresponding year.
- 2. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Livingston County for the provision of medicolegal death investigative services and forensic pathology services by the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner in an amount not to exceed \$52,925 for up to 33 cases per year for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with services excluded from the standard services and cases above the contracted number to be billed on a per-case basis pursuant to the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule, and with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms, with any such renewals billed at the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule for the corresponding year.
- 3. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Ontario County for the provision of medicolegal death investigative services and forensic pathology services by the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner in an amount not to exceed \$26,100 for up to 16 cases per year for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with services excluded from the standard services and cases above the contracted number to be billed on a per-case basis pursuant to the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule, and with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms, with any such renewals billed at the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule for the corresponding year.
- 4. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Orleans County for the provision of medicolegal death investigative services and forensic pathology services by the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner in an amount not to exceed \$37,400 for up to 19 cases per year for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with services excluded from the standard services and cases above the contracted number to be billed on a per-case basis pursuant to the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule, and with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms, with any such renewals billed at the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule for the corresponding year.
- Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Wyoming County for the provision of medicolegal death investigative services and forensic pathology services by the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner in an amount not to exceed \$58,100 for up to 36 cases per year for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with services excluded from the standard services and cases above the contracted number to be billed on a per-case basis pursuant to the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule, and with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms, with any such renewals billed at the Monroe County Budget Public Health Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule for the corresponding year.

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Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with various other counties in New York State not currently under contract with Monroe County, for the provision of medicolegal death investigative services and forensic pathology services by the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner on an as-needed basis, invoiced at the prevailing rate as specified in the proposed 2024 Monroe County Budget, for a one-year period to commence on or after January 1, 2024, with the option to renew for up to two (2) additional terms of up to one year each, with any such renewals billed at the Monroe County Budget Public Health – Medical Examiner Fees and Charges Schedule for the corresponding year.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

These intermunicipal agreements are revenue generating and no additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Adam J. Bello

Monroe County Executive

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Adam J. Bello County Executive

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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:

Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Municipalities for Rochester-Monroe County Youth

Bureau Programs in 2024

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize intermunicipal agreements with municipalities for Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau Programs related to the currently approved Child and Family Services Plan in a total amount not to exceed \$184,056 for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2024. The list of municipalities, along with a description of the youth services each will provide, and the breakdown of funding to each, is in Attachment A.

The Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau enters into fifteen (15) intermunicipal agreements each year. New York State Office of Children and Family Services makes available recreation and youth services funds for all towns and villages via a pass through to local counties. Allocation ceilings are determined through a formula, based on the youth population of each town or village, provided by the state. The recreation and youth services programs to be provided are available to all youth that reside in the respective towns and villages. Recreational programs include a variety of athletic, social, artistic, and cultural events. Youth services programs include youth and family counseling, after-school programs, leadership development, and employment readiness workshops. This year's funding represents no change from last year's funding.

Programs will be evaluated consistently and continually through three methods utilized by the Youth Bureau, documented in its Monitoring and Evaluation Systems Procedures Manual. These methods include: 1) self-report, requiring agency submission of three (3) different self-report instruments; 2) yearly outcome evaluation assessment of contract outcomes; and 3) expenditure review. These contracts will allow for the provision of a comprehensive range of youth services and programs by the municipalities specified in Attachment A.

The specific legislative actions required are:

- 1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute intermunicipal agreements, and any amendments thereto, with each municipality listed in Attachment A for Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau Programs related to the currently approved Child and Family Services Plan in a total amount not to exceed \$184,056 for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2024.
- 2. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute any applications, contracts, agreements and amendments thereto with New York State and/or the municipalities listed in Attachment A to increase or decrease the agreement amount and to extend the length of the agreement(s) in order to maximize state reimbursements for these purposes.

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- 3. Authorize the County Executive to appropriate any subsequent years of the grant award in accordance with the grant terms, to reappropriate any unencumbered balances during the grant period according to the grantor requirements, to make any necessary funding modifications within the grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments, and to enter into any amendments to extend the time period of the grant.
- 4. Should funding of this program be modified or terminated for any reason, the County Executive is hereby authorized to terminate or modify the program and where applicable, to terminate or abolish some or all positions funded under such program. Any termination or abolishment of positions shall be in accordance with the New York State Civil Service Law, and when applicable, the terms of any labor agreement affecting such positions.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for these agreements is included in the proposed 2024 operating budget of the Department of Human Services, Monroe County Youth Bureau, general fund 9001, funds centers 5603010000, Youth Contracts.

Funding for these agreements is 100% reimbursable by the Office of Children and Family Services. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Adam J. Bello

Monroe County Executive

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ATTACHMENT A

MUNICIPALITIES CONTRACTS 2024

1. Town of Brighton \$7,085

This program works with teens in the community to develop and implement the Brighton asset building initiative. A Youth Board will work throughout the community in promoting awareness, support and opportunities for asset building in Brighton. The Youth Board, under the direction of the recreation supervisor, will work closely with Brighton Asset Network in developing and achieving this Initiative.

2. Town of Chili \$6,118

This program is designed to promote the constructive use of leisure time to address youth problems in our community. Opportunities for youth, ages 10-19, to participate in leisure and social activities are provided throughout the year.

3. Village of East Rochester

\$1,409

To provide homework assistance, tutoring, and education presentations. Youth are provided opportunities to become involved in community service projects and leadership development through the East Rochester Youth Activity Center. .

4. Town of Greece \$38,345

The programs provide youth under 21 years of age with recreational, social, educational, physical, and self-help opportunities to help mold them into responsible young adults, including diversion program to divert youth from Family Court and a counseling program for the general youth population.

5. Town of Hamlin \$2,101

To serve youth from ages 18 months to 16 years on how to get along and work with others of all ages through play group, playground and youth groups. These programs offer social, education, leisure and community service opportunities.

6. Town of Henrietta \$23,413

Services for youth, age 20 and under (and their families), who are experiencing problems in the areas of relationships, communication, personal, career planning, and substance abuse. Youth will be referred by schools, family, community sources and word of mouth. Services will primarily be individual and group counseling experiences, including recreational activities for youth and families. Programs include arts and crafts, field trips, educational activities, special events and youth/adult partnership opportunities.

7. Town of Irondequoit \$9,689

The program serves juveniles with police contact in the Town of Irondequoit and assists in preventing juvenile delinquency. Specialized programs, counseling and referrals to appropriate agencies are used to reach the primary goal of diversion from the Juvenile system, supervised summer playground through town recreation.

8. Town of Hilton-Parma \$3,458

The program will provide year-round recreational activities, both active and passive, for school age youth including: individual sports, team sports, instructional programs and open drop-in type programs.

9. Town of Penfield \$7,550

The Penfield Recreation Department will provide a creative and constructive program of leisure time activities and asset building opportunities to aid in the positive mental and physical development of the town's youth population.

10. Town of Perinton \$8,909

A comprehensive youth services program offered to youth 20 and under that are residents of Perinton. Programs require a registration form or sign-in, depending on the activity, and include youth-adult partnership opportunities; adventure based programming, social competency development groups and recreation opportunities.

11. Town of Pittsford \$7,309

Pittsford Youth Services, Inc. is a private, not-for-profit agency, providing crisis intervention, counseling, prevention programming, information and referral services to Pittsford youth and families. Examples of concerns youth bring to the agency include drug and alcohol abuse, school problems, depression/suicide, and family and peer relationships. This program also provides crisis intervention, counseling, prevention programming, information and referral services to Pittsford youth and families. Such services include drug and alcohol abuse, school problems, depression/suicide, and family and peer relationships. This is a joint program with the Village of Pittsford.

12. Town of Riga \$784

Provide a year round recreation program to youth, ages up to 20, in the Riga area. Athletics, aquatics, art and special event programs will be offered. Participants will meet new people, experience new activities and enjoy constructive use of leisure time.

13. Town of Sweden \$5,591

This is a joint program with the Town of Sweden, Town of Clarkson and Village of Brockport. The program provides a variety of recreational events for youth and their families to give youth a sense of community and to build and enhance developmental assets.

14. Town of Webster \$7,994

To provide after-school activities that promotes health lifestyles. These programs include development of recreational, problem-solving and social skills. Leadership development is also offered through a youth volunteer program.

15. City of Rochester \$54,301

Prepare youth for economic success and encourage improved academic success through BIZ Kids I and II, which involves them in junior achievement type opportunities. Youth Councils at each of the twelve major City Recreation sites develop leadership skills in youth. Youth provided with life-long learning experiences, future career expectations and employment potential through the Junior Recreation program.



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

Subject:

Amend Resolution 305 of 2020, as amended by Resolution 410 of 2021, to Extend the Time Period of the Grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services for the Operation Stonegarden Program and to Permit the Town of Irondequoit to Seek Reimbursement For Equipment Pursuant to an Intermunicipal Agreement with Monroe County for the Operation Stonegarden Program

Honorable Legislators:

This matter is being referred to Your Honorable Body at the request of Sheriff Todd K. Baxter.

I recommend that Your Honorable Body amend Resolution 305 of 2020, as amended by Resolution 410 of 2021, to extend the time period of the grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services for the Operation Stonegarden Program through August 31, 2024, and to permit the Town of Irondequoit to seek reimbursement for equipment pursuant to an Intermunicipal Agreement with Monroe County for the Operation Stonegarden Program.

This grant continues to provide funding for law enforcement to enhance preparedness and operation readiness along United States land and water borders. No additional funding is required.

The specific legislative actions required are:

- 1. Amend Resolution 305 of 2020, as amended by Resolution 410 of 2021, to extend the time period of the grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services for the Operation Stonegarden Program through August 31, 2024.
- 2. Amend Resolution 305 of 2020, as amended by Resolution 410 of 2021, to permit the Town of Irondequoit to seek reimbursement for equipment pursuant to an Intermunicipal Agreement with Monroe County for the Operation Stonegarden Program.

This is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR §617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and (31) ("purchase or sale of furnishings, equipment or supplies, including surplus government property, other than the following: land, radioactive material, pesticides, herbicides, or other hazardous materials") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

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This grant is 100% funded by the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services for Operation Stonegarden Program.

No net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

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November 9, 2023

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

Subject:

Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Other Counties for Forensic Laboratory

Services Provided by the Monroe County Crime Laboratory

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize intermunicipal agreements with Genesee and Livingston counties for an annual flat fee amount for the provision of comprehensive forensic laboratory services by the Monroe County Crime Laboratory for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024.

Under the terms of the intermunicipal agreements, the Monroe County Crime Laboratory will perform forensic laboratory examinations and provide testimony as needed.

CountyContract AmountGenesee\$ 173,496Livingston\$ 137,951

The specific legislative actions required are:

- 1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Genesee County for the provision of comprehensive forensic laboratory services by the Monroe County Crime Laboratory in the amount of \$173,496 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024.
- 2. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Livingston County for the provision of comprehensive forensic laboratory services by the Monroe County Crime Laboratory in the amount of \$137,951 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024.

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This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

These intermunicipal agreements are revenue generating and no net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

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

Subject: Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester for a Firearms Instructor

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize an intermunicipal agreement with the City of Rochester in an amount not to exceed \$55,675 for a Firearms Instructor for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms in an amount not to exceed \$55,675 per year.

Under the terms of this agreement, the City of Rochester will provide a Firearms Instructor to train Monroe County police officers in the use of firearms. The amount of the agreement is the same as last year.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the City of Rochester for a Firearms Instructor in an amount not to exceed \$55,675 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms in an amount not to exceed \$55,675 per year.

This is a Type II action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for this agreement is included in the proposed 2024 operating budget of the Department of Public Safety, general fund 9001, funds center 2408010200, Central Police Services, Firearms Training. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

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

Subject:

Amend the 2024-2029 Capital Improvement Program and 2024 Capital Budget to Add a Project Entitled "PSTF Fire Training Grounds Expansion;" Authorize Financing for the Project; Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester; and Acceptance of a Gift from the Monroe Community College Foundation

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body amend the 2024-2029 Capital Improvement Program and 2024 Capital Budget to add a project entitled "PSTF Fire Training Grounds Expansion" authorize financing for the project in the amount of \$4,000,000; authorize an intermunicipal agreement with the City of Rochester; and acceptance of gift(s) from the Monroe Community College Foundation in the amount of \$1,160,000.

The project will expand the Public Safety Training Facility ("PSTF") to support the efforts of Monroe Community College ("MCC"), the City of Rochester, and Monroe County in their cooperative efforts to provide world-class Fire Safety Training to local first responders. The project will involve the design and construction of expanded space at the PSTF. The project is estimated to cost \$4,000,000.

Funding for the project has been secured through the State University of New York (\$2,000,000), MCC (\$1,160,000), City of Rochester (\$360,000) and Monroe County (\$480,000) for total project funding of \$4,000,000.

The specific legislative actions required are:

- 1. Amend the 2024-2029 Capital Improvement Program to add a project entitled "PSTF Fire Training Grounds Expansion" in the amount of \$4,000,000.
- 2. Amend the 2024 Capital Budget to add a project entitled "PSTF Fire Training Grounds Expansion" in the amount of \$4,000,000.
- 3. Authorize financing for the project entitled "PSTF Fire Training Grounds Expansion" in the amount of \$4,000,000.
- 4. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement with the City of Rochester and any amendments necessary for the PSTF Fire Training Grounds Expansion project.

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5. Accept a gift(s) from the Monroe Community College Foundation in the amount of \$1,160,000 and any amendments necessary for the "PSTF Fire Training Grounds Expansion" project.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(2) ("replacement, rehabilitation or reconstruction of a structure or facility, in kind, on the same site, including upgrading buildings to meet building, energy, or fire codes, unless such action meets or exceeds any of the thresholds in section 617.4 of this Part"); (9) ("construction or expansion of a primary or accessory/appurtenant, non-residential structure or facility involving less than 4,000 square feet of gross floor area and not involving a change in zoning or a use variance and consistent with local land use controls, but not radio communication or microwave transmission facilities"); and (10) ("routine activities of educational institutions, including expansion of existing facilities by less than 10,000 square feet of gross floor area and school closings, but not changes in use related to such closings") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for this project, consistent with authorized uses, will be included in the capital fund to be created and any other capital fund(s) created for the same intended purpose.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

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Monroe County Executive

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Subject:

Authorize Grant Contracts, Appropriation Transfers, and Intermunicipal Agreements Pursuant the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) for Broadband

Infrastructure

Honorable Legislators:

To The Honorable

Monroe County Legislature

407 County Office Building Rochester, New York 14614

We recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize grant contracts with Spectrum Northeast, LLC in a total amount not to exceed \$1,817,176 and CBN Geneva LLC, d/b/a Community Broadband Networks-FLX, in a total amount not to exceed \$4,211,816 pursuant to the American Rescue Plan Act ("ARPA") for broadband infrastructure for terms to commence on or after November 1, 2023 and terminate on or before December 31, 2026; authorize appropriation transfers; and authorize intermunicipal agreements to facilitate the deployment of and access to high-speed internet services.

The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 was signed into law on March 11, 2021. ARPA allocated \$1.9 trillion in emergency relief and recovery, of which \$350 billion was designated to support state, local, territorial, and Tribal governments. Monroe County is the recipient of \$144,080,127 in State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds through ARPA. As part of its ARPA response, Monroe County designated a portion of its funds to support broadband infrastructure, digital equity, and inclusion.

On June 2, 2023, Monroe County issued a Request for Proposals to fund broadband infrastructure projects within Monroe County. The County's top priority was to work with a partner or partners to serve areas that are currently unserved and underserved. Additional consideration was given to respondents that were at the forefront of technology capabilities, provided a competitive advantage to Monroe County businesses, and provided affordable service options. The County received three (3) proposals. In addition to the selection committee's review, the County engaged Hunt Engineers, Architects, Land Surveyors & Landscape Architect, D.P.C. to provide technical assistance with reviewing and evaluating proposals. Ultimately, Spectrum Northeast, LLC was selected as the most qualified for Target Area A (Hamlin, Clarkson, Sweden, Parma); Target Area B (Riga, Wheatland, Ogden); Target Area C (Rush, Mendon); and Target Area E (Remainder of Monroe County). CBN Geneva LLC, d/b/a Community Broadband Networks-FLX was selected as the most qualified for Target Area D (Portions of the City of Rochester [14604, 14605, 14608, 14611, 14613, 14614, and 14621]).

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute grant contracts, and any amendments thereto, with Spectrum Northeast, LLC, 100 Town Centre Drive, Rochester,

New York 14623, in a total amount not to exceed \$1,817,176 for terms to commence on or after November 1, 2023 and terminate on or before December 31, 2026.

- 2. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute grant contracts, and any amendments thereto, with CBN Geneva LLC, d/b/a Community Broadband Networks-FLX, 1 Franklin Square, Suite 213, Geneva, New York 14456, in a total amount not to exceed \$4,211,816 for terms to commence on or after December 1, 2023 and terminate on or before December 31, 2026
- 3. Authorize an appropriation transfer in the amount of \$6,048,575 from the Monroe County Legislature, general fund 9301, funds center 1001030000, Local Recovery Fund to the Department of Environmental Services, general fund 9301, funds center 8301010000 Engineering Administration.
- 4. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute intermunicipal agreements, and any amendments thereto, with the City of Rochester, towns, villages, and/or school districts to facilitate the deployment of and access to high-speed internet services.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(6) ("street openings and right-of-way openings for the purpose of repair or maintenance of existing utility facilities"); (7) ("installation of telecommunication cables in existing highway or utility rights of way utilizing trenchless burial or aerial placement on existing poles"); (9) ("construction or expansion of a primary or accessory/appurtenant, non-residential structure or facility involving less than 4,000 square feet of gross floor area and not involving a change in zoning or a use variance and consistent with local land use controls, but not radio communication or microwave transmission facilities"); and (13) ("extension of utility distribution facilities, including gas, electric, telephone, cable, water and sewer connections to render service in approved subdivisions or in connection with any action on this list") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for these grant contracts will be included in the 2023 operating budget of the Department of Environmental Services, general fund 9301, funds center 8301010000 Engineering Administration once the appropriation transfers are authorized. 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 Spectrum Northeast, LLC, CBN Geneva LLC, d/b/a Community Broadband Networks-FLX, nor any of its principal officers, owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes. The principal officers of the firm are:

Spectrum Northeast, LLC

Mark Fitchett, Regional Vice President for Field Operations

Timothy Hodge, Regional Vice President, Engineering

John Cunico, Vice President, Regional Engineering

James Goodfellow, Area Vice President, Western New York

Alex Camarda, Senior Director, State Government Affairs

Lauren Kelly, Director of Government Affairs, Finger Lakes

CBN Geneva LLC, dba Community Broadband Networks-FLX

Thomas Magg, President

James Orioli, COO, Project Director

Ben Sheppard, CTO

Matt Asaro, CRO

Gabriel Freeman, Director - Strategic Initiatives

Michael Nicotra, Field Operations

We recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Monroe County, New York

Adam J. Bello County Executive

November 27, 2023

No. 230414

Not to be removed from the Office of the Legislature Of Monroe County

Committee Assignment

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

Subject:

Acceptance of a Grant from the United States Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, for the Improving Criminal Justice Responses Grant Program also known as the Arrest Program, and Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester and Contracts with the Legal Aid Society of Rochester, New York, Planned Parenthood of Central and Western New York, Inc., and Willow Domestic Violence Center of Greater Rochester, Inc.

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body accept a grant from the United States Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, in the amount of \$800,000 for the Improving Criminal Justice Responses Grant Program; authorize an intermunicipal agreement with the City of Rochester in an amount not to exceed \$82,208 for a part-time Domestic Violence Specialist, part-time Social Worker, and a Domestic Abuse Response Team; a contract with the Legal Aid Society of Rochester, New York in an amount not to exceed \$240,000 for legal representation of domestic violence victims; a contract with Planned Parenthood of Central and Western New York, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$88,080 for a domestic violence advocate; and a contract with Willow Domestic Violence Center of Greater Rochester, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$131,386 for enhanced victim services, all for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026.

This program is a collaborative of partnerships among criminal justice agencies, victim service providers, and community organizations which respond to domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence and stalking in Monroe County. This grant will fund the following:

- Rochester Police Department ("RPD") Crisis Intervention Services Unit/PIC Team ("PIC Team"):
 RPD will provide services through the Domestic Abuse Response Team. This team is comprised of
 officers who will respond to residences with domestic violence warrants and conduct house checks on
 residences for violations of orders of protection. PIC will respond to domestic violence and sexual
 assault occurrences and provide immediate crisis intervention services on the scene. This will include
 counseling, relocation services, transportation, and resources on a case-by-case basis.
- The Monroe County Office of Probation Community Corrections will continue to employ an Intensive Supervision Probation Officer for the dedicated Domestic Violence Intensive Supervision Program.
- The Legal Aid Society will employ a part-time Domestic Violence Consortium ("DVC") Assistant to provide continued administrative support to the DVC and its Executive Committee, and assist in the implementation of the Lethality Assessment Protocol, and continue to employ .25 ("FTE") civil attorneys to provide legal services to victims of Intimate Partner Violence, particularly representation for victims seeking orders of protection and immigration matters in Family Court and the Integrated Domestic Violence Court.

- The contract with Planned Parenthood will fund a Court Advocate through "RESTORE" Sexual
 Assault Services, who will provide victims of sexual assault with crisis intervention and support
 through the medical examination/evidence kit collection process, treatment, advocacy, and support
 during interactions with law enforcement, court accompaniment and information and referrals for
 additional services as needed.
- Willow Domestic Violence Center will employ one full-time and one part-time Domestic Violence Court Advocate to provide counseling, case management, safety planning, and on-going support services.

This will be the twenty-fifth year that the County has received this grant. This year's funding represents a decrease of \$200,000 from the previous award.

Requests for qualifications were issued with the Legal Aid Society of Rochester, New York, Planned Parenthood of Central and Western New York, Inc., and Willow Domestic Violence Center of Greater Rochester, Inc. rated the most qualified to provide these services.

The specific legislative actions required are:

- 1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept an \$800,000 grant from, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the United States Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women, for the Improving Criminal Justice Responses Grant Program for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026.
- 2. Amend the 2023 operating grant budget of the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation and Community Corrections, by appropriating the sum of \$800,000 into general fund 9300, funds center 2403040000, Supervision General.
- 3. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the City of Rochester for services through the Domestic Abuse Response Team and the Crisis Intervention Services Unit/PIC Team for the Improving Criminal Justice Responses Grant Program in an amount not to exceed \$82,208 for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026.
- 4. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with the Legal Aid Society of Rochester, New York, One West Main Street, Suite 800, Rochester, New York 14614, for legal representation of domestic violence victims for the Improving Criminal Justice Responses Grant Program in an amount not to exceed \$240,000 for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026.
- 5. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with Planned Parenthood of Central and Western New York, Inc., 114 University Avenue, Rochester, New York 14605, for crisis intervention and support services to victims for the Improving Criminal Justice Responses Grant Program in an amount not to exceed \$88,080 for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026.
- 6. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with Willow Domestic Violence Center of Greater Rochester, Inc., 693 East Avenue, Rochester, New York 14607, for collaborative-enhanced victim services for the Improving Criminal Justice Responses Grant Program in an amount not to exceed \$131,386 for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2026.

- Authorize the County Executive to appropriate any subsequent years of the grant award in accordance with the grant terms, to reappropriate any unencumbered balances during the grant period according to the grantor requirements, to make any necessary funding modifications within the grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments, and to enter into any amendments to extend the time period of the grant.
- 8. Should funding of this program be modified or terminated for any reason, the County Executive is hereby authorized to terminate or modify the program and, where applicable, to terminate or abolish some or all positions funded under such program. Any termination or abolishment of positions shall be in accordance with New York State Civil Service Law and, when applicable, the terms of any labor agreement affecting such positions.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

This grant is 100% funded by the United States Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women. No net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

The Legal Aid Society of Rochester, New York, Planned Parenthood of Central and Western New York, Inc., and Willow Domestic Violence Center of Greater Rochester, Inc. are not-for-profit agencies, and the records in the Office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that they do not owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Adam J. Bello

Monroe County Executive

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