



MONROE COUNTY

Public Safety Committee

July 22, 2025 5:30 PM

AGENDA

- A. ROLL CALL
- B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- C. PUBLIC FORUM
- D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

June 23, 2025

- E. NEW BUSINESS

25-0232

Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the Churchville-Chili Central School District for Reimbursement to the Monroe County Sheriff's Office School Resource Program - County Executive Adam J. Bello

25-0233

Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the Rush-Henrietta Central School District for the Purchase of Fuel for Vehicles of the Monroe County Sheriff's Office - County Executive Adam J. Bello

25-0234

Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services Pursuant to Raise the Age Legislation - County Executive Adam J. Bello

25-0235

Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the District Attorney's Office, the Office of the Sheriff, and the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation - Community Corrections, for the Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence Initiative - County Executive Adam J. Bello

25-0238

Amend Resolution 74 of 2022 to Accept Additional Funding from the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services and Extend the Time Period for the Upstate Family Defense (Child Welfare) Quality Improvement and Caseload Reduction Grant - County Executive Adam J. Bello

25-0239

Authorize Change of Classification in the Sheriff's Table of Organization of one (1) Full Time Officer Wellness Clinician (group 16) to two (2) Part Time Wellness Clinicians - County Executive Adam J. Bello

25-0240

Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the Town of Greece for Police Tactical Team Cooperation with the Monroe County Sheriff's Office - County Executive Adam J. Bello

25-0241

Authorize the Creation of a Radiological and Chemical Officer in the Department of Public Safety - County Executive Adam J. Bello

25-0242

Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester for Support of the Rochester School Bus Safety Program - County Executive Adam J. Bello

F. OTHER MATTERS

G. ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the Public Safety Committee is Scheduled for Tuesday, August 26, 2025 at 5:30 P.M.



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Summary of Minutes
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
June 23, 2025
5:30 p.m.

Chairman Long called the meeting to order at 5:59 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dave Long (Chair), Howard Maffucci (Vice Chair), Susan Hughes-Smith, Mercedes Vazquez Simmons, Santos Cruz, Paul Dondorfer (RMM), Robert Colby, Tracy DiFlorio, Richard B. Milne, Jackie Smith, Yversha Román (Ex Officio)

MEMBERS ABSENT: William Burgess (Excused)

OTHER LEGISLATORS PRESENT: Steve Brew, Blake Keller, Virginia McIntyre, Frank Ciardi, Kirk Morris, Rachel Barnhart, Albert Blankley, Michael Yudelson, Lystra Bartholomew McCoy, Ricky Frazier, Linda Hasman

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Jeff McCann (Deputy County Executive), Anthony Plonczynski-Figueroa (Assistant County Executive), Robert Franklin (CFO), Brendon Fleming (Sr. Deputy County Attorney), Miguel Munoz (Deputy County Attorney), Tim Henry (Public Safety Deputy Director), Adrienne Green (Legislative Liaison), Sean Murphy (Chief of Engineering & Facilities), Jennifer Curley (Sheriff's Admin), Richard Tantalo (Public Safety Director), Clement Chung (DES Deputy Director), Dawn Staub (DA Admin), Jennifer Cesario (Controller), Ana Liss (Planning Director), Pat Gooch (Senior Planner), Tom Frys (Transportation Director)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Led by Chairman Dave Long

PUBLIC FORUM: There were no speakers.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of May 20, 2025 were approved as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS:

(President Román Voted on the Following Referrals.)

25-0216 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Crimes Against Revenue Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Maffucci, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.

ADOPTED: 11-0

25-0218 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Canal Corporation for the New York State Canal Corporation Marine Patrol Matching Grant Program - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Maffucci, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.

ADOPTED: 11-0

25-0219 - Authorize the Creation of a Probation Supervisor and a Senior Probation Officer in the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation – Community Corrections - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Maffucci, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.
ADOPTED: 11-0

OTHER MATTERS:

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no other matters, Chairman Long adjourned the meeting at 6:12 p.m.

The next Public Safety Committee Meeting **will be held on Tuesday, July 22, 2025 at 5:30 p.m.**

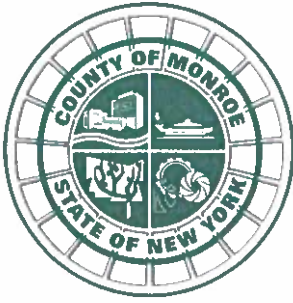
Respectfully submitted,
David Grant
Clerk of the Legislature



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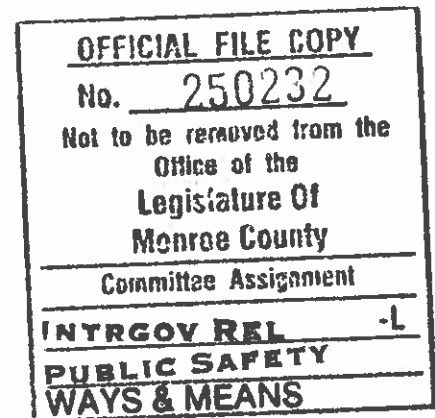


Office of the County Executive

Monroe County, New York

Adam J. Bello
County Executive

July 3, 2025



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

Subject: Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the Churchville-Chili Central School District for Reimbursement to the Monroe County Sheriff's Office School Resource 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 authorize an intermunicipal agreement with Churchville-Chili Central School District ("District") in an amount not to exceed \$132,415 for reimbursement to the Monroe County Sheriff's Office School Resource Program for the period of September 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms at amounts to be agreed to by the parties, but in no case less than \$132,415 per year.

The District will be provided a full-time Monroe County Sheriff's School Resource Officer ("SRO") during the 180-day school year, plus an additional 8 administrative days and overtime deemed necessary by the request and approval of the District and Sheriff's Office. The SRO's primary duty is to promote an atmosphere where students, teachers, and staff feel safe. The SRO may assist in the investigation of suspected criminal activity occurring on District property and/or related to the District. This assistance shall be provided in consultation with school administrators, in accordance with New York State Law and District policy. As an educator, working with classroom teachers and other District personnel, the SRO may present information and answer questions on a variety of topics, such as the law, drugs, safety, crime prevention, and violence prevention, concepts of safety, traffic laws, general law, and crime prevention techniques. The goal of the presentations is to increase student, staff, and community awareness and understanding of laws and personal safety. The SRO shall also perform such other security and/or law enforcement services as may be reasonably assigned by the District Superintendent, in consultation with the Sheriff, as appropriate.

The District will fund the salary and fringes associated with the Sheriff's Office SRO assigned during the 180-day school year, plus an additional 8 administrative days.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Churchville-Chili Central School District in an amount not to exceed \$132,415 for reimbursement to the Monroe County Sheriff's School Resource Program for the period of September 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms at amounts to be agreed to by the parties, but in no case less than \$132,415 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.

This agreement is 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.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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

Subject: Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the Rush-Henrietta Central School District for the Purchase of Fuel for Vehicles of the Monroe County Sheriff's Office

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 authorize an intermunicipal agreement with the Rush-Henrietta Central School District for the purchase of fuel for vehicles of the Monroe County Sheriff's Office for the period of October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one-year periods, at the rate of ten cents (\$0.10) per gallon above the New York State contract price.


The Sheriff's Office has purchased gasoline from the Rush-Henrietta Central School District in the past in an effort to reduce the time spent driving vehicles to fueling sites, thus increasing patrol coverage. This agreement is consistent with other fueling arrangements negotiated by the Sheriff's Office.

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 Rush-Henrietta Central School District for the purchase of fuel for vehicles of the Monroe County Sheriff's Office for the period of October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one-year periods, at the rate of ten cents (\$0.10) per gallon above the New York State contract price.

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 this contract is included in the 2025 operating budget of the Sheriff's Office, general fund 9001, funds center 3803030000, Sheriff Road Patrol B Zone, and will be requested in future years budgets. 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.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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To The Honorable
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Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services Pursuant to Raise the Age Legislation

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body accept a grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services in the amount of \$3,117,673 pursuant to Raise the Age legislation for the period of April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025.

Raise the Age legislation was enacted with a number of objectives. It aims to reduce crime victimization; provide meaningful opportunity for a life without the stigma of a criminal record for adolescents who turn away from crime; eliminate the disproportionate incarceration of 16- and 17-year-olds of color in adult jails and prisons; reserve the juvenile placement system for only those young people who present a risk to public safety; and create therapeutic out-of-home placement settings for young people who do not present a risk to public safety.

In order to achieve these objectives, the Monroe County Office of Probation – Community Corrections has developed a Comprehensive Plan that utilizes a combination of increased staff resources, specialized training, and expanded community programs and services.

Implementation of the Comprehensive Plan will reduce the reliance on out-of-home placement, reduce the reliance on detention, reduce the need for family court adjudication, increase the adjustment rate of diversion cases, reduce the rate of probation violations, reduce the rate of long-term recidivism, and arrange for community-based services to improve outcomes for youth.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept a \$3,117,673 grant from, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services pursuant to Raise the Age legislation for the period of April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025.

2. Amend the 2025 operating budget of the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation and Community Corrections, by appropriating the sum of \$597,398 into general fund 9300, funds center 2403020100, Juvenile Services Family Division.
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 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 included 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 New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services. 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.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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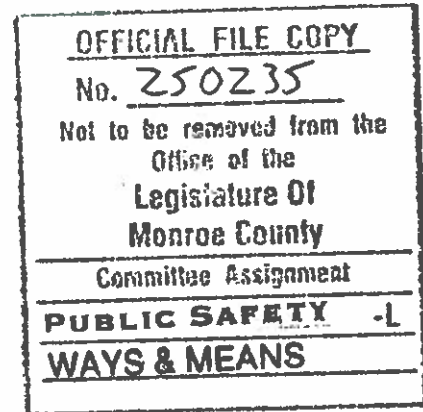


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Office of the County Executive
Monroe County, New York

Adam J. Bello
County Executive

July 14, 2025



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

Subject: Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the District Attorney's Office, the Office of the Sheriff, and the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation – Community Corrections, for the Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence Initiative

Honorable Legislators:

This matter is being referred to Your Honorable Body at the request of District Attorney Sandra Doorley and Sheriff Todd K. Baxter.

I recommend that Your Honorable Body accept a grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services in the amount of \$794,999 for the District Attorney's Office, the Office of the Sheriff, and the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation – Community for the Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence ("STRIVE") Initiative for the period of March 1, 2025 through March 31, 2026.

This project provides resources enabling the Monroe County law enforcement community to implement a coordinated community response approach to addressing domestic violence in Monroe County. The STRIVE initiative is part of a greater, statewide plan that emphasizes the use of evidence-based models to prevent, predict, and respond to incidents of domestic violence. In addition to supporting a coordinated community response, this initiative creates and staffs a High Risk Response Team to address the most dangerous cases of intimate partner violence. The Monroe County District Attorney's Office, the Office of the Sheriff, and the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation – Community Corrections will partner with the Rochester Police Department and the Willow Domestic Violence Center in an effort to reduce domestic violence cases, address survivor safety and ensure offender accountability. This is the first year the County has received this grant.

Funds will be used specifically to help support the following programs in the following departments:

- District Attorney's Office: Supports one (1) new Special Assistant District Attorney (100%) and one (1) new District Attorney Investigator (100%) to participate in joint domestic violence high-risk team efforts and aggressively prosecute offenders.
- Sheriff's Office: Supports one (1) new Deputy Sheriff Investigator (at 90%), and underwrites part of the expenses of a current Deputy Sheriff Investigator (at 30%) and overtime costs of the Office of the Sheriff's participation in joint domestic violence high-risk team efforts.
- Office of Probation – Community Corrections: Supports the cost of one (1) existing Probation Officer (100%) and one (1) existing Probation Officer/Survivor Advocate and underwrites the overtime costs of the Office of Probation – Community Correction's participation in joint domestic violence high-risk team efforts.

The funding amounts are as follows: \$264,999 for the District Attorney's Office, \$290,000 for the Office of the Sheriff, and \$240,000 for the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation – Community Corrections.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept a \$794,999 grant from, and to execute contracts and any amendments thereto with, the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence Initiative for the District Attorney's Office, the Office of the Sheriff, and the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation – Community Corrections, for the period of March 1, 2025 through March 31, 2026.
2. Amend the 2025 operating budget of the District Attorney's Office by appropriating the sum of \$264,999 into general fund 9300, funds center 2505020000, Domestic Violence Bureau.
3. Amend the 2025 operating budget of the Office of the Sheriff by appropriating the sum of \$290,000 into general fund 9300, funds center 3803010000, Police Bureau Administration.
4. Amend the 2025 operating budget of the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation – Community Corrections by appropriating the sum of \$240,000 into general fund 9300, funds center 2403050000, Special Services Intensive Supervision.
5. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to create one (1) new Special Assistant District Attorney position, Group 21 and one (1) new Deputy Sheriff Investigator position, Group 72.
6. 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.
7. 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.

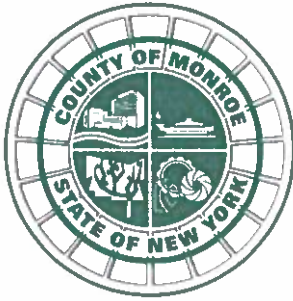
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Partial funding for this grant is included in the 2025 operating budget of the Monroe County Sheriff's Office, general fund 9001, funds center 3803010000, Police Bureau Administration. The appropriated amount will adjust the current funding to that established by the grant. 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.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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The funding amounts are as follows: \$264,999 for the District Attorney's Office, \$290,000 for the Office of the Sheriff, and \$240,000 for the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation – Community Corrections.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept a \$794,999 grant from, and to execute contracts and any amendments thereto with, the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Violence Initiative for the District Attorney's Office, the Office of the Sheriff, and the Department of Public Safety, Office of Probation – Community Corrections, for the period of March 1, 2025 through March 31, 2026.
2. Amend the 2025 operating budget of the District Attorney's Office by appropriating the sum of \$264,999 into general fund 9300, funds center 2505020000, Domestic Violence Bureau.
3. Amend the 2025 operating budget of the Office of the Sheriff by appropriating the sum of \$290,000 into general fund 9300, funds center 3803010000, Police Bureau Administration.
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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.

Partial funding for this grant is included in the 2025 operating budget of the Monroe County Sheriff's Office, general fund 9001, funds center 3803010000, Police Bureau Administration. The appropriated amount will adjust the current funding to that established by the grant. 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.

Sincerely,



Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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County Executive

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To The Honorable
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Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Amend Resolution 74 of 2022 to Accept Additional Funding from the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services and Extend the Time Period for the Upstate Family Defense (Child Welfare) Quality Improvement and Caseload Reduction Grant

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body amend Resolution 74 of 2022 to accept additional funding from the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services in the amount of \$750,000 for the Upstate Family Defense (Child Welfare) Quality Improvement and Caseload Reduction grant for the Office of the Monroe County Conflict Defender, and to extend the time period for three (3) years through December 31, 2027.

This additional funding will allow the Office of the Conflict Defender to fund existing Family Court personnel and expand community outreach and education surrounding our early defense program for legal assistance prior to court involvement in Child Protective cases.

The specific legislative actions required are:


1. Amend Resolution 74 of 2022 to accept an additional \$750,000 from and to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract and any amendments thereto, with the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services for the Upstate Family Defense (Child Welfare) Quality Improvement and Caseload Reduction Grant for the Office of the Monroe County Conflict Defender, bringing the total award to \$1,250,000, and extending the time period for three (3) years through December 31, 2027.

2. Amend the 2025 operating budget of the Department of Public Safety, Office of the Conflict Defender, by appropriating the sum of \$750,000 into general fund 9300, funds center 2402010000, Conflict Defender.
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, and 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.

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 New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services. 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.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive

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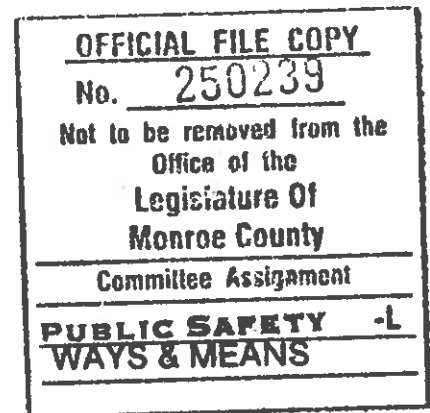


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County Executive

July 3, 2025



To The Honorable
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Subject: Authorize Change of Classification in the Sheriff's Table of Organization of one (1) Full Time Officer Wellness Clinician (group 16) to two (2) Part Time Wellness Clinicians

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 authorize a change of classification in the Sheriff's Table of Organization of one (1) full time Officer Wellness Clinician position to two (2) part time Officer Wellness Clinician (group 16) positions.

Sheriff Baxter desires to enhance the MCSO's mental health wellness program to support deputies by providing services to build their resilience as they respond to stressful events daily in their workplace. Such stressors negatively affect a deputy's ability to cope and respond on the job and at home. The wellness program will be led by an Officer Wellness Clinician professionally trained in counseling and mental health support.

Effective police reform will involve various initiatives, one of which is addressing the mental health and wellness of MCSO deputies. Sworn and civilian staff that participate in wellness programs shows commitment to their work, families, and the community. A formalized wellness program will demonstrates to MCSO staff that their mental health and wellness are leadership priorities and essential resources within the department.

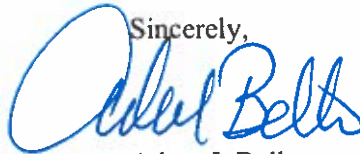
As the workforce has been canvassed for wellness positions in hours not typically associated with clinicians (early evenings and/or late evenings), the Sheriff's Office has found candidates are more conducive to non-traditional hours if working in a part-time capacity. Therefore the Sheriff can accommodate those non-traditional hours by utilizing part time Officer Wellness Clinicians.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to authorize a change of classification in the Sheriff's Table of Organization from one (1) full time Officer Wellness Clinician position to two (2) part time Officer Wellness Clinician (group 16) positions.

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 position is included in the 2025 operating budget of the Sheriff’s Office, fund 9001, funds center 3801010000, and will be requested in future years budgets. 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.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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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 Town of Greece for Police Tactical Team Cooperation with the Monroe County Sheriff's Office

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 authorize an intermunicipal agreement with the Town of Greece for police tactical team cooperation with the Monroe County Sheriff's Office to formalize a relationship between the Greece Police Department and Monroe County Sheriff's Office SWAT units for the period of August 13, 2025 through August 12, 2028, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one-year terms.

This agreement will provide for more efficient utilization of law enforcement resources and services, making tactical team resources available to each participating entity from the other participating entity in the event of an emergency, and eliminate the need to follow the formal procedure set forth in General Municipal Law §209-m to request assistance from the other party in the form of personnel or equipment.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to enter into an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the Town of Greece for police tactical team cooperation with the Monroe County Sheriff's Office for the period of August 13, 2025 through August 12, 2028, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one-year terms.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not included 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 intermunicipal agreement will have no impact on the revenues or expenditures 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.

Sincerely,

Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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

Subject: Authorize the Creation of a Radiological and Chemical Officer in the Department of Public Safety

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize the creation of one (1) Radiological and Chemical Officer, Group 17, in the Department of Public Safety.

Monroe County has radiological response responsibilities necessary to serve and protect our community due to our proximity to the Ginna Nuclear Power Plant. As a condition of radiological funding, Monroe County is obligated to employ or contract with a radiological officer. This is a critical position given the State and Federal mandates imposed on the County to maintain the required equipment, supplies, plans, and procedures to implement radiological emergency preparedness programs.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the creation of one (1) Radiological and Chemical Officer, Group 17, in the Department of Public Safety.

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 this position is included in the 2025 operating budget of the Department of Public Safety, general fund 9300, funds center 2408030200, Radiological / Shelter. 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.

Sincerely,

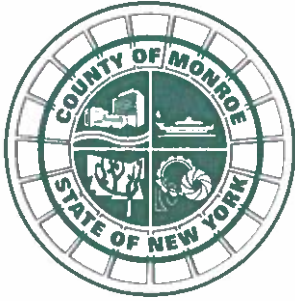
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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester for Support of the Rochester School Bus Safety Program

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize an intermunicipal agreement with the City of Rochester to support the City's school bus safety program.

Pursuant to Local Law No. 3 of 2022, Your Honorable Body enacted the Monroe County School Bus Stop Arm Demonstration Program, which imposed monetary liability on the owners of vehicles for failing to stop at school buses displaying red visual signs and stop arms. Thereafter, the County Legislature adopted Resolution 364 of 2022, which authorized the County Executive to enter into a contract with BusPatrol America, LLC to provide and implement a comprehensive school bus stop program ("Monroe County School Bus Safety Program").

Since 2023, the County has implemented the Monroe County School Bus Safety Program, with four school districts participating and a fifth expected to join this fall. On October 22, 2024, the City of Rochester passed an ordinance to establish its own school bus safety program and later executed an agreement with BusPatrol America, LLC to implement its program. During the past year, Monroe County Public Safety staff have engaged with the City of Rochester's Public Safety team to discuss how the County and City might work together to advance student safety.

Monroe County currently employs two full-time enforcement technicians to review video evidence regarding potential violations and to certify or deny whether violations have occurred under its School Bus Safety Program. Given the County's experience with the program and to avoid the hiring of additional personnel, the City has requested that the County permit its Public Safety technicians to review the video evidence for the City's school bus safety program. BusPatrol, LLC has committed to reimburse the County fully for the additional time that the County's enforcement technicians will devote to reviewing the City's video evidence.

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 to support the review and certification of video evidence for the City's school bus safety program.

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 agreement is revenue generating. 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.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive

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