MONROE COUNTY

Public Safety Committee

October 25, 2021 5:30 PM

AGENDA

A. ROLL CALL
B. PUBLIC FORUM
C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
   September 27, 2021
D. NEW BUSINESS

21-0367
Accept Funding from the New York State Office of Addiction Services and Supports and Amend Resolution 405 of 2017, as Amended by Resolution 88 of 2020, Resolution 254 of 2020, Resolution 409 of 2020, and Resolution 224 of 2021 to Amend and Increase the Contract with PrimeCare Medical of New York, Inc. - County Executive Adam J. Bello

21-0368
Amend the 2022-2027 Capital Improvement Program to Advance the Sheriff's Incident Command Post Vehicle from 2023 to 2022 - County Executive Adam J. Bello

21-0369
Authorize a Contract with Lawrence Kloner for Professional Services for Law Enforcement Subject Matter Expert Team Lead for Public Safety/Law Enforcement Technology Systems - County Executive Adam J. Bello
21-0383
Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the Niagara County Sheriff's to House a High-Risk Inmate at the Niagara County Jail - County Executive Adam J. Bello

21-0384
Authorize a Contract with Public Safety Psychology, PLLC for Occupational Psychiatric and Psychological Testing - County Executive Adam J. Bello

21-0394
Amend Resolution 314 of 2021, "Authorizing Intermunicipal Agreement with Spencerport Fire District for Purchase of LUCUS Automated Chest Compression Device," to Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with All Local Fire Districts for Reimbursement of COVID-19 Related Expenses in Accordance with the CARES Act - As a Matter of Importance - County Executive Adam J. Bello

E. OTHER MATTERS

F. ADJOURNMENT
The next meeting of the Public Safety Committee is scheduled for Monday, November 22, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.
ATTACHMENTS:

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Chairwoman Boyce called the meeting to order at 5:32 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Karla F. Boyce (Chair), Paul Dondorfer (Vice Chair), Frank X. Allkofer, Jennifer S. Wright, Sabrina A. LaMar (RMM), Ernest S. Flagler-Mitchell, Frank Keophetlasy, Yversha M. Roman, Dr. Joe Carbone (Ex-Officio)

MEMBERS ABSENT: Sean M. Delehanty (Excused), Yversha M. Roman (Excused), Ernest S. Flagler-Mitchell

OTHER LEGISLATORS PRESENT: Robert J. Colby, George J. Hebert, Blake Keller, Calvin Lee, Jr., Howard Maffucci, John B. Baynes, Joshua Bauroth

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Jeff McCann (Deputy County Executive), Dawn Staub (District Attorney’s Admin.), Robert Franklin (CFO), John Bringewatt (County Attorney), Laura Smith (Chief Deputy County Attorney), Richard Tantalo (Public Safety Director), Jennifer Curley (Sheriff’s Admin.), Paul Ciminelli (Sheriff’s Counsel), Don Crumb (Legislative Liaison)

PUBLIC FORUM: There were no speakers.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of August 23, 2021 were approved as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS: (President Carbone Voted on the Following Referrals)

21-0327 - Authorization of Intermunicipal Agreement with the Spencerport Fire District for the Purchase of a LUCUS Automated Chest Compression Device – County Legislator Robert J. Colby

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Allkofer.
ADOPTED: 7-0

21-0329 - Authorize the Allocation of Emergency Grant Funding to the Gates Volunteer Ambulance Service to Reimbursable Expenditures Incurred During the COVID-19 Pandemic – County Legislator Frank X. Allkofer

MOVED by Legislator Allkofer, SECONDED by Legislator Wright.
ADOPTED: 7-0

21-0331 - Appointments to the Criminal Justice Council – County Executive Adam J. Bello and President Dr. Joe Carbone

MOVED by Legislator Wright, SECONDED by President Carbone.
ADOPTED: 7-0

21-0336 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee for the Child Passenger Safety Program (Department of Public Safety) – County Executive Adam J. Bello
MOVED by President Carbone, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.
ADOPTED: 7-0

(Legislator Flagler-Mitchell Entered the Chambers at 5:46 p.m. and was Present for the Remainder of the Meeting.)

21-0337 - Amend Resolution 224 of 2019 to Accept Additional Funding from the New York State Office of Victim Services for the Victim and Witness Assistance Grant Program for the District Attorney’s Office – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Allkofer.
ADOPTED: 8-0

21-0338 - Amend Resolution 225 of 2019 to Accept Additional Funding from the New York State Office of Victim Services for the Sheriff’s Victim Assistance Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Allkofer, SECONDED by Legislator Wright.
ADOPTED: 8-0

21-0339 - Authorize a Contract with Matrix Consulting Group to Conduct a Staffing Analysis Study for the Monroe County Sheriff’s Office – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Wright, SECONDED by President Carbone.
ADOPTED: 8-0

21-0340 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee for the Police Traffic Services Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by President Carbone, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.
ADOPTED: 8-0

21-0341 - 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 Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Allkofer.
ADOPTED: 8-0

OTHER MATTERS:

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no other matters, Chairwoman Boyce adjourned the meeting at 6:04 p.m.

The next Public Safety Meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 25, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
David Grant
Clerk of the Legislature
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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Accept Funding from the New York State Office of Addiction Services and Supports and Amend Resolution 405 of 2017, as Amended by Resolution 88 of 2020, Resolution 254 of 2020, Resolution 409 of 2020, and Resolution 224 of 2021 to Amend and Increase the Contract with PrimeCare Medical of New York, Inc.

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 accept funding from the New York State Office of Addiction Services and Supports in the amount of $50,000 for the Jail Medication Assisted Treatment Program for the period of January 14, 2021 through January 13, 2022, and amend Resolution 405 of 2017, as amended by Resolution 88 of 2020, Resolution 254 of 2020, Resolution 409 of 2020, and Resolution 224 of 2021 to amend and increase the contract with PrimeCare Medical of New York, Inc., from an amount not to exceed $11,741,012 to an amount not to exceed $11,791,012 for inmate medical and mental health care for the period of January 14, 2021 through January 13, 2022.

The funding will allow the Monroe County Sheriff’s Office Jail MAT Program to offer Sublocade (once a month extended release buprenorphine injections) instead of Subutex (buprenorphine tablets) during an inmate’s stay. With previous Federal funding, the Sheriff’s Office offered Subutex to eligible inmates through its medical provider, PrimeCare Medical of New York, Inc. PrimeCare Medical of New York, Inc. will oversee the jail medication treatment of Sublocade.

A request for proposals was issued previously by the Monroe County Sheriff’s Office with PrimeCare Medical of New York, Inc. selected as the most qualified to provide this service.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept funding in the amount of $50,000, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the New York State Office of Addiction Services and Supports, for the Jail Medication Assisted Treatment Program, for the period of January 14, 2021 through January 13, 2022.
2. 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 grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments.

3. 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.

Funding for this contract is included in the 2021 operating budget of the Office of the Sheriff, general fund 9001, funds center 3804030000, Prisoner Services.

This program is 100% funded by the New York State Office of Addiction Services and Supports. 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,

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Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive
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Subject: Amend the 2022-2027 Capital Improvement Program to Advance the Sheriff’s Incident Command Post Vehicle from 2023 to 2022

Honorable Legislators:

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

I am requesting that Your Honorable Body amend the 2022-2027 Capital Improvement Program to advance the Sheriff’s Incident Command Post Vehicle from 2023 to 2022 in the amount of $750,000.

The current 2022-2027 Capital Improvement Program includes the Sheriff’s Incident Command Post Vehicle project; however, the Sheriff has requested that the project be advanced from 2023 to 2022. The Sheriff’s current Command Post is a converted 1998 40’ Featherlite racing trailer originally purchased for events such as golf tournaments and community festivals. The current Command Post lacks mobility and was not designed to be positioned close to critical incidents. The existing trailer’s size makes it difficult to transport which limits the Sheriff’s Office’s ability to deploy quickly and respond to emergency situations. Moreover, the trailer’s technology is out of date and not operational.

This project is scheduled to be considered by the Monroe County Planning Board on October 28, 2021.

The specific legislative action required is to amend the 2022-2027 Capital Improvement Program to advance the Sheriff’s Incident Command Post Vehicle from 2023 to 2022 in the amount of $750,000.
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.

Advancing this capital project from 2023 to 2022 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 T. Bello
Monroe County Executive
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Subject: Authorize a Contract with Lawrence Kloner for Professional Services for Law Enforcement Subject Matter Expert Team Lead for Public Safety/Law Enforcement Technology Systems

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize a contract with Lawrence Kloner in an amount not to exceed $35,000 for professional services for Law Enforcement Subject Matter Expert Team Lead for Public Safety/Law Enforcement Technology Systems for the period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms.

The highly regulated law enforcement records and specialized interfaces require a subject matter expert to serve as a central resource for the various multi-agency, high-impact, high-visibility Public Safety/Law Enforcement technology systems, including but not limited to the Law Enforcement Records Management System and the Fingerprint and Mugshot Capture and Data Exchange Software System. The new Law Enforcement Records Management System went live in July 2021. However, user go-live support, including training and process analysis for additional system functionality, are needed to meet agency needs and federal and New York State reporting requirements. Also, the County’s new Fingerprint and Mugshot Capture and Data Exchange Software System will soon be implemented and requires extensive training as well as coordination with New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services. All local law enforcement agencies will share information utilizing the systems. Other federal and state law enforcement agencies will also be able to share information on the systems.

A Request for Qualification was issued for this contract with Lawrence Kloner being the sole responder.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract with Lawrence Kloner, 208 Northfield Road, Rochester, New York 14617, in an amount not to exceed $35,000 for professional services for Law Enforcement Subject Matter Expert Team Lead for Public Safety/Law Enforcement Technology Systems for the period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms, 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)(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, consistent with authorized, uses, is included in capital fund 1929 and in any other 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 Lawrence Kloner does 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.

Sincerely,

Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive

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To The Honorable
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Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the Niagara County Sheriff’s Office to House a High-Risk Inmate at the Niagara County Jail

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 Niagara County in an amount not to exceed $283,000 to house a high-risk inmate at the Niagara County Jail for the period of April 16, 2021 through April 15, 2022.

Under this agreement, Niagara County will house a high-risk inmate at the Niagara County Jail. The Niagara County Sheriff’s Office will assume the care and custody of the inmate as well as transport the inmate to and from routine and/or emergency medical and dental visits.

The Monroe County Sheriff’s Office will pay for overtime costs incurred by the Niagara County Sheriff’s Office at an overtime rate per deputy hour of $48.78 with an estimated 482.25 hours required per month.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Niagara County to house a high-risk inmate at the Niagara County Jail in an amount not to exceed $283,000 for the period of April 16, 2021 through April 15, 2022.

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 2021 operating budget of the Sheriff’s Office, general fund 9001, funds center 3804050000, Security Unit, 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. I request that this referral be considered in Executive Session, pursuant to Public Officer’s Law § 105(1)(a).

Sincerely,

Adam J. Bello
County Executive
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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Authorize a Contract with Public Safety Psychology, PLLC for Occupational Psychiatric and Psychological Testing

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 contract with Public Safety Psychology, PLLC in an amount not to exceed $80,000 for the period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms.

Under this agreement, Public Safety Psychology, PLLC will perform psychiatric and psychological testing and evaluation for potential Monroe County Sheriff's Office employees and provide a professional evaluation of the candidate's fitness for the position to ensure the Sheriff's Office is hiring the best candidates for the job.

A Request for Qualifications was issued and Public Safety Psychology, PLLC was selected as the most qualified to provide this service.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with Public Safety Psychology, PLLC, 18 Corporate Woods Boulevard, Suite 120, Albany, New York 12211, to perform occupational psychiatric and psychological testing in an amount not to exceed $80,000 for the period of October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022, with the option to renew for two (2) 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 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 2021 operating budget of the Sheriff’s Office, general fund 9001, funds center 3806010000, Staff Services Administration and will be requested in future years budgets. 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 Public Safety Psychology, PLLC, nor its principal officer, David Kelley, 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.

Sincerely,

Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive
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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
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Subject: Amend Resolution 314 of 2021, "Authorizing Intermunicipal Agreement with Spencerport Fire District for Purchase of LUCUS Automated Chest Compression Device," to Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with All Local Fire Districts for Reimbursement of COVID-19 Related Expenses in Accordance with the CARES Act

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body amend Resolution 314 of 2021, "Authorizing Intermunicipal Agreement with Spencerport Fire District for Purchase of LUCUS Automated Chest Compression Device," to authorize intermunicipal agreements with all local fire districts and fire protection districts for reimbursement of COVID-19 related expenses in accordance with the CARES Act. These agreements will support all Monroe County fire districts by reimbursing expenses they have incurred in providing emergency medical responses to COVID-19 or purchasing medical or personal protective equipment to respond to COVID-19.

These expenses may be reimbursed to our community’s first responders using Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (“CARES”) Act funds. As you may recall, Your Honorable Body authorized intermunicipal agreements with fire districts last year to cover costs related to the COVID-19 pandemic incurred in 2020. This amendment will provide similar relief to all fire districts, rather than just one particular district, for the current year. Eligible expenses under the CARES Act include emergency medical response expenses, including emergency medical transportation, related to COVID-19 and the acquisition and distribution of medical and protective supplies in connection with COVID-19.

Once Your Honorable Body adopts the specific legislative actions below, I will enter into similar agreements with non-profit emergency medical services providers in Monroe County to reimburse eligible expenses in an amount not to exceed $20,000 so that all fire districts, fire protection districts, and non-profit emergency medical services that serve our community have the same opportunity to recover expenditures related to the COVID-19 virus.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Amend the title of Resolution 314 of 2021 to “Authorizing Intermunicipal Agreements with All Local Fire Districts for Reimbursement of COVID-19 Related Expenses in Accordance with the CARES Act.”
2. Amend Section 1 of Resolution 314 of 2021 to read: “The County Executive, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute intermunicipal agreements with all fire districts and fire protection districts located in Monroe County for the purpose of reimbursing necessary expenditures related to the COVID-19 virus for which they have not previously been reimbursed in accordance with the requirements of the CARES Act, for the period January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021, with the reimbursement under each agreement not to exceed $20,000.”

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 these agreements is included in the 2021 operating budget, general fund 9001, funds center 1209070100, State of Emergency.

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