MEMORANDUM

TO:    Legislators, Directors, Staff and Media
FROM:  Jack Moffitt, Clerk of the Legislature
DATE:  September 19, 2019
RE:    Substitution of Referral No. 19-0230

At the request of President Dr. Joe Carbone, referral no. 19-0230 entitled, “Amend the 2019 Capital Budget and Bond Resolution 324 of 2018 to Provide an Increase in Funding for the Weights & Measures Flatbed Truck Replacement Project and Authorize an Appropriation Transfer - County Executive Cheryl Dinolfo” has been replaced with the attached document.

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

Subject: Amend the 2019 Capital Budget and Bond Resolution 324 of 2018 to Provide an Increase in Funding for the Weights & Measures Flatbed Truck Replacement Project and Authorize an Appropriation Transfer

Honorable Legislators:

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Sincerely,

Cheryl Dinolfo
Monroe County Executive

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