

Public Safety Committee Minutes
November 2, 2022 – 3:00 p.m.

Present: Chairman John Lant; Committee Members Phil Barrett, Mark Hammond, Scott Ostrander, Kevin Veitch and Mo Wright; Steve Bulger, Ridge Harris, Matt Rose, Stephanie Hodgson, County Administrator; Michael Hartnett, Michelle Granger, Andy Proler, County Attorney;; Michael Zurlo, Rick Castle, Sheriff; Mike Stanley, Emergency Services; Andrew Blumenberg, Public Defender; Penelope Heritage, Animal Shelter; Craig Hayner, County Clerk; Sue Costanzo, Probation.

Chairman Lant called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance.

On a motion made by Mr. Hammond, seconded by Mr. Veitch, the minutes of the October 5, 2022 meeting were approved unanimously.

A motion was made by Mr. Barrett, seconded by Mr. Hammond, to authorize the acceptance of a New York State Supervision and Treatment Services for Juveniles Program (STSJP) grant, and authorizing provider contracts through December 31, 2023. Unanimous.

This grant is in the amount of \$119,550.26.

A motion was made by Mr. Wright, seconded by Mr. Ostrander, to authorize the acceptance of a County Pretrial Services Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services. Unanimous.

This grant is in the amount of \$409,280.

A motion was made by Mr. Barrett, seconded by Mr. Veitch, to authorize the acceptance of an Indigent Legal Services Grant (Distribution #13) from the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services. Unanimous.

This grant is in the amount of \$211,602 over a three year period starting January 1, 2023.

A motion was made by Mr. Barrett, seconded by Mr. Hammond, to authorize a 2023 contract for police services with the Town of Clifton Park. Unanimous.

This agreement is in the amount of \$608,134.57.

A motion was made by Mr. Hammond, seconded by Mr. Ostrander, to authorize a 2023 contract for police services with the Town of Halfmoon. Unanimous.

This agreement is in the amount of \$235,480.66.

A motion was made by Mr. Barrett, seconded by Mr. Veitch, to authorize the acceptance of aid from the New York State STOP-DWI Foundation, Inc. for DWI High Visibility Engagement Campaign (HVEC) patrols and activities. Unanimous.

This aid is in the amount of \$28,000.

On a motion made by Mr. Wright, seconded by Mr. Veitch, the meeting was adjourned unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Bridget Rider
Deputy Clerk of the Board