



Public Safety Committee

Wednesday, October 4, 2023 2:30PM
40 McMaster Street, Ballston Spa, NY

Minutes

Present: Chairman John Lant; Committee Members C. Eric Butler, Joe Grasso, Mark Hammond, Jean Raymond, Kevin Veitch.

Absent: Kevin Tollisen

Steve Bulger, Ridge Harris, Stephanie Hodgson, Matt Rose; County Administrator; Michelle Granger, County Attorney; Jeff Brown, Sheriff; Sue Costanzo, Probation; Craig Hayner, County Clerk.

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

On a motion made by Mr. Grasso, seconded by Mr. Butler, the minutes of the September 6, 2023 meeting were approved unanimously.

A motion was made by Mr. Hammond, seconded by Mr. Kevin Veitch, to authorize an agreement with the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services to accept a 2023 Emergency Management Performance Grant and amending the 2023 budget in relation thereto. Unanimous.

The grant is in the amount of \$87,906 and will run from October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2025.

A motion was made by Mr. Hammond, seconded by Mrs. Raymond, to authorize an agreement with Public Safety Psychology, PLLC to provide evaluations of Public Safety employees. Unanimous.

This will cover required testing to new hire employees as well as fit for duty evaluations for current employees.

Mr. Lant and Mr. Bulger thanked the Sheriff, Emergency Services and Probation Departments for their roles in the safe return of the little girl that was abducted this past weekend.

On a motion made by Mrs. Raymond, seconded by Mr. Hammond, the meeting was adjourned unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Therese Connolly
Clerk of the Board