



PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

Wednesday, December 11, 2024, Time: 10:00 AM
Committee Room 213, 2nd floor, 74 Ontario Street,
Canandaigua, NY 14424

Committee Members

Lou Guard, Chair
Jack Marren
John Cowley
William Namestnik
Dale Stell
Nancy Yacci

1. Call To Order:

The Public Safety Committee meeting was called to order at 10:00 AM on December 11, 2024 by Chair Lou Guard

Members Present: Supervisor(s) Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. Absent: . Necessarily Absent: Supervisor(s) . A quorum was present.

Others present in addition to committee members:

Todd Campbell, BOS Chair
Chris DeBolt, County Administrator
Alissa Bub, Deputy County Administrator
Holly Adams, County Attorney
Mary Gates, Director, Finance
Undersheriff Mike Rago
Stacy Lambert, Chief Corrections Officer
John Yannotti, Director, Emergency Management
Scott DeCook, Fire Coordinator
Deb Trickey, EMS Coordinator, via WebEx

Carrie Bleakley, Conflict Defender
Jeff Rougeux, Director, Probation
Jimmy Delgado, Probation Supervisor
Clayton Adamescu, Probation Supervisor
Tom Harvey, Director, Planning
Kathleen Dunn, Fiscal Manager
Holly Smith, Grants Coordinator, via WebEx
Stacy Schmitt, Buyer, via WebEx
Peter Ingalsbe, Supervisor, T. of Farmington, via WebEx
Diane Foster, Deputy Clerk to the Board

2. Approval Of Minutes:

Supervisor John Cowley motioned to approve the minutes of the November 27, 2024 Public Safety Committee meeting. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Nancy Yacci. The motion passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None

3. Planning Department:

Tom Harvey, presented a resolution entitled, "Capital Project No. H066-20 700 MHz Seneca County Hillside Project Extension of 2021-2022 Statewide Interoperable Communications Grant".

Supervisor William Namestnik motioned to approve the resolution as presented. The motion was seconded by Supervisor John Cowley. The motion passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

4. Conflict Defender:

Carrie Bleakley, presented a Resolution entitled, "Authorization to Enter into a Contract with Trident Recovery & Investigations Group, LLC for Specialized Services for the Conflict Defender's Office and Assigned Counsel Program 2025".

Supervisor Nancy Yacci motioned to Approve the Resolution as presented. The motion was seconded by Supervisor John Cowley. The motion Passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

5. District Attorney:

On behalf of James Ritts, Mary Gates presented a resolution entitled, "Authorizing Ten-Year Service Agreement with Axon Enterprise for the District Attorney 2025-2035". She explained that this ten-year contract with Axon will allow for about 48.3 % savings.

Supervisor Dale Stell motioned to approve the resolution as presented. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Nancy Yacci. The motion passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

6. Probation:

Jeffrey Rougeux, presented the following resolutions entitled:

- 2025 FLACRA Contract Day Reporting Treatment Groups and Programming Probation Department
- FLACRA Enhanced Jail Services Probation Department 2025
- Raise the Age-FLACRA for the Probation Department 2025
- 2025 FLACRA – Weekend Alternative Contract Probation Department

Supervisor Jack Marren motioned to approve these resolutions, as presented as a block. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Dale Stell. The motion passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

Jeffrey Rougeux, presented the following resolution entitled:

- Raise The Age Authorization Agreement with Family Counseling Services of the Finger Lakes for Juvenile Sexual Behaviors Services 2025

Jimmy Delgado presented the following two resolutions:

- Raise the Age -Cayuga Home For Children (DBA Cayuga Center) Functional Family Therapy (FFT) For 2025
- Raise the Age-Cayuga Home for Children (DBA Cayuga Center) Multi-Systemic Therapy (MST) for 2025

Mr. Delgado gave an explanation of the Functional Family Therapy and the Multi-Systemic Therapy programs. Additional discussion occurred regarding scenarios and follow-up with the "clients".

Supervisor Nancy Yacci motioned to approve the three resolutions, as presented by both Mr. Rougeux and Mr. Delgado, as a block. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Dale Stell. The motion passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

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The following two resolutions were pulled from the agenda:

- Youth Advocate Program For Raise The Age 2025

- Supervision and Treatment Services for Juveniles Program (STSJP) Youth Advocate Program, Inc.- Probation Department 2024-2025

7. Office Of Sheriff:

Sheriff David Cirencione, presented a Resolution entitled, "Authorization for the Ontario County Sheriff to Contract with Eastview Mall, LLC, to Provide Three Full-Time Deputies onsite at Eastview Mall". He noted a typo in the resolution that the amount is \$181,330 thousand, not million.

Supervisor Nancy Yacci motioned to Approve the Resolution with the typo amendment. The motion was seconded by Supervisor John Cowley. The motion Passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

Supervisor Marren noted to the Sheriff that he would like to keep communications open, because the town has some things in the "hopper" and may be in a position for the county and the town to negotiate with Wilmorite for some additional support. Additional discussion took place.

Undersheriff Michael Rago, presented the following four resolutions entitled:

- Intermunicipal Cooperation Agreement for Enhanced Court Security Services with the Town of Manchester - 2025

- Intermunicipal Cooperation Agreement for Enhanced Court Security Services with the Town of Richmond - 2025

- Intermunicipal Cooperation Agreement for Enhanced Court Security Services with the Town of Seneca - 2025

- Intermunicipal Cooperation Agreement for Enhanced Court Security Services with the Village of Clifton Springs - 2025

Supervisor Jack Marren motioned to approve these four resolutions, as presented as a block. The motion was seconded by Supervisor John Cowley. The motion passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

Chief Stacy Lambert, presented a resolution entitled, "Award of RFP R24089 to CBH Medical PC for Mental Health Services for Ontario County Jail".

Supervisor Nancy Yacci motioned to approve the resolution as presented. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Jack Marren. The motion passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

Sheriff Cirencione gave the following updates:

- Jail Population; 97; 74 males, 23 females including tow in on pre-arraignment.

- Thanked all who came to the holiday award ceremony

- A report on a Deputy's condition in a severe accident that occurred recently and how everyone is

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doing as a whole.

9. Addendum:

Alissa Bub, on behalf of the District Attorney, presented a resolution entitled, "Authorization for Ontario County to Participate in Human Trafficking Prevention Month". She explained as part of the participation, they will be light up the court house in blue during the week of January 10th through 17th, 2025.

Supervisor Nancy Yacci motioned to approve the resolution as presented. The motion was seconded by Supervisor John Cowley. The motion passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

On behalf of James Ritts, Mary Gates presented a resolution entitled, "Authorization to Accept SFY2024-2025 Victim and Witness Assistance Program Grant District Attorney's Office". Ms. Gates noted a change in the fund line, rather than appropriated fund balance on the second line in the table, it will be inner fund transfer.

Supervisor Jack Marren motioned to approve the resolution with the change in the chart adjustment. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Dale Stell. The motion passed.

Yes: Supervisor(s): Louis Guard, John Cowley, William Namestnik, Dale Stell, Nancy Yacci, Jack Marren. No: Supervisor(s): None. Abstain: Supervisor(s): None.

10. Next Meeting Date And Time:

Tentatively Wednesday, January 15, 2025

8. Unfinished Business:

Supervisor Marren reminded the committee that a few years ago, The Board authorized CGR to do a countywide EMS and Fire study. He said recently in the City of Canandaigua, there was a devastating fire with a loss of life. He said the City of Canandaigua is dealing with this from a budgetary standpoint, but believes this is not just the City of Canandaigua issue. There is a lack of manpower, whether career or volunteer, through out the county and even more with the fire services. This unfortunate scenario could happen in any community. With the Chairman's consent, he would like to bring this back on their radar and bring the issue before the Board.

Chairman Campbell fully supports taking a broader look at how we deal with the situation. He agrees it is getting more difficult for volunteers with the things the state is putting on them for requirements and training.

Supervisor Yacci supports the idea of looking further into this issue.

Chris DeBolt gave a brief update on the status of the Hurrell Harring case settlement through Indigent Legal Services (ILS). He discussed the significant rate increases through the DA, PD, and CD. ILS is looking to modify the case load standards, which will affect the amount of cases each attorney is allowed. Additional information will be forthcoming.

11. Adjournment:

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On a motion of Supervisor Jack Marren, seconded by Supervisor John Cowley, the Public Safety Committee meeting was adjourned at 10:53 AM.

Respectfully Submitted, Diane R. Foster, Deputy Clerk to the Board