

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Ways and Means

Sponsor:

Co-Sponsor:

Agenda No. 1

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING AND CONFIRMING THE REPORT OF THE APPORTIONMENT OF THE MORTGAGE TAX FOR THE PERIOD OCTOBER 1, 2020 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2021, AS COMPUTED FROM STATEMENT FILED BY THE COUNTY CLERK.

RESOLVED, that the report of the apportionment of the Mortgage Tax for the period October 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021, as computed from the statement filed by the County Clerk, pursuant to the provisions of Section 261 of the Tax Law, be accepted and confirmed and that a certified copy thereof be furnished to the Commissioner of Finance, which shall be his warrant to pay the same as specified.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 2

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION REVIEWING AND AFFIRMING THE ORANGE COUNTY DEBT MANAGEMENT POLICY.

WHEREAS, the primary objective of the Debt Management Policy is to establish conditions for the use of debt and to create procedures and policies that minimize the County's debt service and issuance costs, maintain the highest practical credit rating, and provide full and complete financial disclosure and reporting. This policy applies to all general obligation debt issued by the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that this Legislature does hereby accept and affirm the Orange County Debt Management Policy, Appendix A and Appendix B, as presented by the Orange County Commissioner of Finance and as reviewed by the Orange County Legislature.

APPENDIX A

The following table sets forth the debt limit for the County:

COMPUTATION OF DEBT CONTRACTING LIMITATION ASSESSED VALUE AS OF JULY 1 OF THE PRIOR YEAR

<u>Tax Year</u>	<u>Assessed Valuation (a)</u>	<u>State Equalization Rate (b)</u>	<u>Full Valuation</u>
2017	\$12,579,410,119	0.41	\$ 31,035,437,609
2018	\$13,885,407,716	0.44	\$ 31,885,407,716
2019	\$13,275,586,002	0.40	\$ 33,046,847,847
2020	\$13,444,107,081	0.38	\$ 35,052,312,654
2021	\$13,804,145,601	0.37	\$ 37,765,381,395
Total Five-Year Full Valuation			\$168,785,381,221
Average Five-Year Full Valuation			\$ 33,757,076,244
Debt Limit - 7% of Average of Full Valuation			\$ 2,362,995,337

(a) Assessed valuations are determined by the city and town governments comprising the County.

(b) State equalization rates presented represent the weighted average of State equalization rates established for each city and town in the County.

Source: Office of the Real Property Tax Services

APPENDIX B

The following table presents the debt-incurring power of the County and shows that the County is well within its Constitutional Debt Limit at March 1, 2021.

STATEMENT OF DEBT CONTRACTING POWER

	<u>Amount as of March 1, 2021</u>	<u>Percentage of Debt Limit</u>
Debt Contracting Limitation: Seven Per centum of Five Year Average Full Valuation	\$2,362,995,337	100.00%

Gross Direct Debt:		
Serial Bonds	\$ 260,462,000	11.02%
Bond Anticipation Notes	<u>0</u>	0.00%
Total Gross Direct Debt	\$ 260,462,000	11.02%

Exclusions and Deductions:		
Excludable Sewer Debt (a)	\$ 11,130,000	0.47%
Current Budget Appropriations	<u>\$ 29,262,875</u>	1.24%
Total Exclusions and Deductions	\$ 40,392,875	1.71%

Total Net Direct Debt \$ 220,069,125 9.31%

Debt-Contracting Margin \$2,142,926,212 90.69%

(a) Excluded pursuant to Section 124.10 of the New York State Local Finance Law and ordered by the State Comptroller on January 20, 1978.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Ways and Means

Sponsors:

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Agenda No. 3

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING AND AFFIRMING THE ORANGE COUNTY INVESTMENT POLICY, PURSUANT TO ARTICLE III, SECTION 3.02(d) OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER, AND SECTION 39 OF THE NEW YORK STATE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW.

WHEREAS, the purpose of establishing a comprehensive investment policy for Orange County is to develop operating principles under the guidelines of current legislation relating to investment activity; and

WHEREAS, Orange County's Investment Policy was last accepted and affirmed by Resolution No. 146 of 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that this Legislature does accept and affirm the Orange County Investment Policy.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 4

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PRIVATE SALE AND CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN COUNTY OWNED LANDS ACQUIRED BY REASON OF A FAILURE TO REDEEM SAID LANDS FROM A TAX SALE TO ORANGE COUNTY, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1018(4) OF THE REAL PROPERTY TAX LAW AND ORANGE COUNTY AMENDED LOCAL LAW NO. 2 OF 2010.

WHEREAS, this Legislature has enacted Local Law No. 9 of 1979 (as last amended by Local Law No. 2 of 2010), authorizing the sale of certain lands owned by the County by reason of default in taxes and a subsequent failure to redeem from a resulting tax sale to Orange County; and

WHEREAS, the parcels not sold at said sale were to be offered at a private sale, subject to the confirmation of this Legislature; and

WHEREAS, offers for several said parcels have been accepted by the Commissioner of Finance; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Finance has recommended that the sales be confirmed by this Legislature.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the parcels hereinafter listed be sold to the offering parties, upon receipt by the Commissioner of Finance of Orange County of the amounts set forth in either cash or good certified check by 5:00 p.m., June 7, 2021, as indicated below.

2. That upon the receipt of said sums, the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute a Quitclaim Deed of Conveyance of the properties listed below and deliver the same to the offering party.

<u>PARCEL</u>	<u>BIDDER</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF BID NET TO COUNTY</u>
Blooming Grove 26-4-6	Abraham Malik 10 Israel Zupnick Dr. #201 Monroe, NY 10950	\$11,500.00

Blooming Grove 28-3-5	Susan G. Connolly 166 W. 87 th St. Apt. 7P New York, NY 10024	\$ 7,000.00
Blooming Grove 28-5-1 28-5-19.1	Rocky Top Holdings LLC c/o Scott Wintrow 23 Masker Lane Pine Island, NY 10969	\$ 7,100.00
Blooming Grove 30-3-25	Abraham Malik 10 Israel Zupnick Dr. #201 Monroe, NY 10950	\$27,500.00
Hamptonburgh 13-1-13.1	Kenneth B. Alvarado 46 Fort Putnam Street Highland Falls, NY 10928	\$ 5,100.00
New Windsor 55-1-86	Douglas M. Reyes 46 Fort Putnam Street Highland Falls, NY 10927	\$ 1,100.00
Wallkill 6-1-59	Rex Land LLC 172 Center Street, Suite 202 Jackson, WY 83001	\$ 3,000.00
Warwick 8-1-28.1 8-2-1	City First Capital Inc. 368 New Hempstead Road, Suite 226 New City, NY 10956	\$ 2,000.00
Wawayanda 21-1-42.1	Robert W. Klopchin 100 County Route 12 New Hampton, NY 10958	\$ 360.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 5

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

BOND RESOLUTION DATED MAY 6, 2021

BOND RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF COMPUTER HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE AND TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES, STATING THE ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST THEREOF IS \$4,507,658; APPROPRIATING SAID AMOUNT THEREFOR; AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$4,507,658 BONDS OF THE COUNTY TO FINANCE SAID APPROPRIATION.

RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK (by the affirmative vote of not less than two thirds of the voting strength of said Legislature), **AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. The County of Orange, New York (herein called "County"), is hereby authorized to establish a new capital project for the Department of General Services for the acquisition of computer hardware and software and technology upgrades, all as more particularly described in the County's 2021 Capital Plan, as amended. The estimated maximum cost of said object or purpose, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and to the financing thereof, is \$4,507,658, and said amount is hereby appropriated therefor. The plan of financing includes the issuance of \$4,507,658 bonds of the County and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of such bonds to finance said appropriation, the levy and collection of taxes on all the taxable real property in the County to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds and notes.

Section 2. Bonds of the County in the principal amount of \$4,507,658 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, constituting Chapter 33-a of the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York (herein called "Law"), to finance said appropriation.

Section 3. The period of probable usefulness of the class of objects or purposes for which said \$4,507,658 bonds herein authorized are to be issued, within the limitations of Section 11.00 a. 32 of the Law, is five (5) years.

Section 4. The County intends to finance, and the Commissioner of Finance of the County is hereby authorized to advance such amounts as are necessary to pay the costs of the objects or purposes described in Section 1 hereof prior to the issuance of the bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized out of any available funds of the County, on an interim basis, which amounts are reasonably expected to be reimbursed with the proceeds of debt to be incurred by the County, pursuant to this Resolution, in the total amount of bonds herein authorized. This Resolution is a declaration of official intent adopted pursuant to the requirements of Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 5. Each of the bonds authorized by this Resolution and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale thereof shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by §52.00 of said Local Finance Law and said bonds and any notes issued in anticipation of said bonds shall be general obligations of the County of Orange, payable as to both principal and interest by general tax upon all the taxable real property within the County. The faith and credit of the County are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds and any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds or the renewals of said notes, and provision shall be made annually in the budgets of the County by appropriation for (a) the amortization and

redemption of the notes and bonds to mature in such year and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 6. Subject to the provisions of this Resolution and of the Law, and pursuant to the provisions of §30.00 relative to the authorization of the issuance of bond anticipation notes or the renewals thereof, and of §§50.00, 56.00 to 60.00 and 168.00 of said Law, the powers and duties of the County Legislature relative to authorizing the issuance of any notes in anticipation of the sale of the bonds herein authorized, or the renewals thereof, relative to providing for substantially level or declining annual debt service, relative to prescribing the terms, form and contents and as to the sale and issuance of the respective amounts of bonds herein authorized, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds or the renewals of said notes, and relative to executing agreements for credit enhancement, are hereby delegated to the Commissioner of Finance of the County, as the chief fiscal officer of the County.

Section 7. The validity of the bonds authorized by this Resolution, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds, may be contested only if:

- (a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the County is not authorized to expend money, or
- (b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Resolution, or a summary hereof, are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of such publication, or
- (c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 8. The Clerk of the Orange County Legislature is hereby directed to publish the foregoing bond resolution in summary, in The Orange County Post published in Vails Gate, New York; the Warwick Advertiser-Photo News, published in Chester, New York; the Warwick Valley Dispatch, published in Warwick, New York; News of the Highlands, Inc., published in Cornwall, New York; Times Community Newspapers, published in Newburgh, New York; and Hudson Valley Press, published in Newburgh, New York, the official newspapers of the County for such publication, together with a notice in substantially the form prescribed in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law of the State of New York.

Section 9. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Ways and Means
Sponsors:
Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 6

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

BOND RESOLUTION DATED MAY 6, 2021

BOND RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE RECONSTRUCTION AND/OR REHABILITATION OF VARIOUS STRUCTURES AT COUNTY PARKS, STATING THE ESTIMATED TOTAL COST THEREOF IS \$150,000; APPROPRIATING SAID AMOUNT THEREFOR; AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$150,000 BONDS OF THE COUNTY TO FINANCE SAID APPROPRIATION.

RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK (by the affirmative vote of not less than two thirds of the voting strength of said Legislature), **AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. The County of Orange, New York (herein called "County"), is hereby authorized to establish a new capital project for the Department of Parks for the reconstruction and/or rehabilitation of various structures at County parks, including reconstruction and/or rehabilitation of broken walls, foundations and other appurtenances thereto on historic buildings, sites and monuments at County parks, all as more particularly described in the County's 2021 Capital Plan, as amended. The estimated total cost of said class of objects or purposes, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and to the financing thereof, is \$150,000, and said amount is hereby appropriated therefor. The plan of financing includes the issuance of \$150,000 bonds of the County and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of such bonds to finance said appropriation, the levy and collection of taxes on all the taxable real property in the County to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds and notes.

Section 2. Bonds of the County in the principal amount of \$150,000 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, constituting Chapter 33-a of the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York (herein called "Law"), to finance said appropriation.

Section 3. The period of probable usefulness of the class of objects or purposes for which said \$150,000 bonds herein authorized are to be issued, within the limitations of Section 11.00 a. 19(c) of the Law, is fifteen (15) years.

Section 4. The County intends to finance, and the Commissioner of Finance of the County is hereby authorized to advance such amounts as are necessary to pay the costs of the objects or purposes described in Section 1 hereof prior to the issuance of the bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized out of any available funds of the County, on an interim basis, which amounts are reasonably expected to be reimbursed with the proceeds of debt to be incurred by the County, pursuant to this Resolution, in the total amount of bonds herein authorized. This Resolution is a declaration of official intent adopted pursuant to the requirements of Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 5. Each of the bonds authorized by this Resolution and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale thereof shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by §52.00 of said Local Finance Law and said bonds and any notes issued in anticipation of said bonds shall be general obligations of the County of Orange, payable as to both principal and interest by general tax upon all the taxable real property within the County. The faith and credit of the County are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds and any

notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds or the renewals of said notes, and provision shall be made annually in the budgets of the County by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the notes and bonds to mature in such year and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 6. Subject to the provisions of this Resolution and of the Law, and pursuant to the provisions of §30.00 relative to the authorization of the issuance of bond anticipation notes or the renewals thereof, and of §§50.00, 56.00 to 60.00 and 168.00 of said Law, the powers and duties of the County Legislature relative to authorizing the issuance of any notes in anticipation of the sale of the bonds herein authorized, or the renewals thereof, relative to providing for substantially level or declining annual debt service, relative to prescribing the terms, form and contents and as to the sale and issuance of the respective amounts of bonds herein authorized, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds or the renewals of said notes, and relative to executing agreements for credit enhancement, are hereby delegated to the Commissioner of Finance of the County, as the chief fiscal officer of the County.

Section 7. The validity of the bonds authorized by this Resolution, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds, may be contested only if:

- (a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the County is not authorized to expend money, or
- (b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Resolution, or a summary hereof, are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of such publication, or
- (c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 8. The Clerk of the Orange County Legislature is hereby directed to publish the foregoing bond resolution in summary, in The Orange County Post published in Vails Gate, New York; the Warwick Advertiser-Photo News, published in Chester, New York; the Warwick Valley Dispatch, published in Warwick, New York; News of the Highlands, Inc., published in Cornwall, New York; Times Community Newspapers, published in Newburgh, New York; and Hudson Valley Press, published in Newburgh, New York, the official newspapers of the County for such publication, together with a notice in substantially the form prescribed in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law of the State of New York.

Section 9. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Physical Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION MAKING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION TO THE 2021 COUNTY BUDGET FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION AND CONSERVATION, PURSUANT TO SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks and Recreation is requesting approval for an appropriation to the Capital Projects budget in the amount of \$150,000.00 for the Parks Historic Structures Initiative. This project has been approved under the 2021 Capital Project Plan as Project No. 100. Upon approval, the funds will increase existing Capital Project No. 742; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to provide said funds to the Department of Parks, Recreation and Conservation as indicated above.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the 2021 budget for the Department of Parks, Recreation and Conservation is hereby supplemented as stated above and indicated below, to be used for the Parks Historic Structures Initiative; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance is hereby authorized to make such modifications forthwith.

Revenue:

1100	719701	457101	Serial Bonds	\$150,000.00
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Expense:

1100	719701	577010	Capital Budget	\$150,000.00
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ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Physical Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 8

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION OF THE ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE TO THE GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK STATE REGARDING A RETURN TO NORMAL OPERATIONS AND ACTIVITIES FOLLOWING THE EXPIRATION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 202.1 DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 pandemic has been a disruptive force on all activities of County government, but especially on the operations and activities of County boards and committees under Article 7 of the Public Officers Law, also known as, the Open Meetings Law; and

WHEREAS, the legislative activities of boards and public bodies during the COVID-19 pandemic have been dramatically impacted and have required major shifts in operations and standards to ensure the safety of elected officials, staff, and the public; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 202.1 facilitated these safety actions by temporarily suspending and modifying certain requirements of the Open Meetings Law and allowing attendance of meetings by telephonic or other similar means; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is currently still a national pandemic and continues to be a threat to all those that participate in these legislative activities when Executive Order 202.1 expires in totality; and

WHEREAS, the Orange County Legislature desires to return to normal activities as soon as possible including in-person meetings in conjunction with the participation of the general public in all deliberations; and

WHEREAS, the Orange County Legislature has adapted its proceedings to comply with Executive Order 202.1 since it was issued on March 12, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Orange County continues to work towards the overall reduction of the infection rate and hospitalizations from COVID-19 and increasing the vaccination rate, it is the desire of the Orange County Legislature to begin the planned and orderly process of return to normal legislative work; and

WHEREAS, it is expected that this return to normal operations and activities may take months and must be guided by the data and monitoring of our success in reducing the infection rate and hospitalizations as well as increasing the vaccination rate of our County residents as the County approaches "Herd Immunity", as defined by the Centers for Disease Control;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY

RESOLVED, that the Orange County Legislature requests that the Governor extend and continue Executive Order 202.1, specifically pertaining to Article 7 of the Public Officers Law, suspending in-person access and permitting public bodies to continue to meet and take such actions authorized by the law, and for such meetings to be held remotely provided the public has the ability to view or listen to such proceedings and that such meetings are recorded and later transcribed until such time that it is deemed safe by the New York Commissioner of Health that such in-person access is gradually restored based on County specific data relating to a decrease in the infection and hospitalization rate and increase in the number of vaccinations administered; and

BE IT HEREBY FURTHER

RESOLVED, that the Leadership of the Orange County Legislature is directed to formulate a plan which would permit for an orderly reopening of legislative meetings in a manner which provides

for adequate safety precautions prior to or upon the expiration or modification of Executive Order 202.1 as it pertains to Article 7 of the Public Officers Law.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Physical Services; Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsor:

Agenda No. 9

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION AND CONSERVATION, TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE NEW YORK STATE HUDSON RIVER VALLEY GREENWAY FOR THE GREENWAY CONSERVANCY TRAIL GRANT.

WHEREAS, the Orange County Department of Parks, Recreation and Conservation is requesting authorization to submit an application to the New York State Hudson River Valley Greenway for funds in the amount of \$20,000.00 under the Greenway Conservancy Trail Grant Program. Said grant funds will be used for a project entitled Heritage Trail Parking Lot and Trail Paving Project, to be located in Chester. A 50% match is required and the cost to the County will be \$20,000.00.

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the County Executive, in conjunction with the Orange County Department of Parks, Recreation and Conservation, is hereby authorized to submit an application to the New York State Hudson River Valley Greenway for a grant in the amount of \$20,000.00 under the Greenway Conservancy Trail Grant Program, to be used for a project entitled Heritage Trail Parking Lot and Trail Paving Project; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to execute any and all other papers and agreements in connection with such application, subject to the review thereof by the County Attorney for purposes of form and content.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Physical Services; Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 10

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

BOND RESOLUTION DATED MAY 6, 2021

BOND RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF VARIOUS MACHINERY AND APPARATUS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS (FLEET REPLACEMENT), STATING THE ESTIMATED TOTAL COST THEREOF IS \$800,000; APPROPRIATING SAID AMOUNT THEREFOR, INCLUDING \$700,000 EXPECTED TO BE RECEIVED FROM THE STATE OF NEW YORK; AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$100,000 BONDS OF THE COUNTY TO FINANCE THE BALANCE OF SAID APPROPRIATION.

RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK (by the affirmative vote of not less than two thirds of the voting strength of said Legislature), **AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. The County of Orange, New York (herein called "County"), is hereby authorized to establish a new capital project for the acquisition of various machinery and apparatus for the Department of Public Works (fleet replacement), all as more particularly described in the County's 2021 Capital Plan, as amended. The estimated total cost of said class of objects or purposes, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and to the financing thereof, is \$800,000, and said amount is hereby appropriated therefor, including \$700,000 expected to be received from the State Consolidated Local Street and Highway Improvement Program (CHIPS) of New York (the "Grant Funds"). The plan of financing includes the expenditure of said Grant Funds and the issuance of \$100,000 bonds of the County and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of such bonds to finance the balance of said appropriation, the levy and collection of taxes on all the taxable real property in the County to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds and notes.

Section 2. Bonds of the County in the principal amount of \$100,000 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, constituting Chapter 33-a of the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York (herein called "Law"), to finance a portion of said appropriation.

Section 3. The period of probable usefulness of the class of objects or purposes for which said \$100,000 bonds herein authorized are to be issued, within the limitations of Section 11.00 a. 28 of the Law, is ten (10) years.

Section 4. The County intends to finance, and the Commissioner of Finance of the County is hereby authorized to advance such amounts as are necessary to pay the costs of the objects or purposes described in Section 1 hereof prior to the issuance of the bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized out of any available funds of the County, on an interim basis, which amounts are reasonably expected to be reimbursed with the proceeds of debt to be incurred by the County, pursuant to this Resolution, in the total amount of bonds herein authorized. This Resolution is a declaration of official intent adopted pursuant to the requirements of Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 5. Each of the bonds authorized by this Resolution and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale thereof shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by §52.00 of said Local Finance Law and said bonds and any notes issued in anticipation of said bonds shall be general obligations of the County of Orange, payable as to both principal and interest by general tax upon all the taxable real property within the County. The faith and credit of the County are hereby

irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds and any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds or the renewals of said notes, and provision shall be made annually in the budgets of the County by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the notes and bonds to mature in such year and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 6. Subject to the provisions of this Resolution and of the Law, and pursuant to the provisions of §30.00 relative to the authorization of the issuance of bond anticipation notes or the renewals thereof, and of §§50.00, 56.00 to 60.00 and 168.00 of said Law, the powers and duties of the County Legislature relative to authorizing the issuance of any notes in anticipation of the sale of the bonds herein authorized, or the renewals thereof, relative to providing for substantially level or declining annual debt service, relative to prescribing the terms, form and contents and as to the sale and issuance of the respective amounts of bonds herein authorized, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds or the renewals of said notes, and relative to executing agreements for credit enhancement, are hereby delegated to the Commissioner of Finance of the County, as the chief fiscal officer of the County.

Section 7. The validity of the bonds authorized by this Resolution, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds, may be contested only if:

- (a) such obligations are authorized for an class of objects or purposes for which the County is not authorized to expend money, or
- (b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Resolution, or a summary hereof, are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of such publication, or
- (c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 8. The Clerk of the Orange County Legislature is hereby directed to publish the foregoing bond resolution in summary, in The Orange County Post published in Vails Gate, New York; the Warwick Advertiser-Photo News, published in Chester, New York; the Warwick Valley Dispatch, published in Warwick, New York; News of the Highlands, Inc., published in Cornwall, New York; Times Community Newspapers, published in Newburgh, New York; and Hudson Valley Press, published in Newburgh, New York, the official newspapers of the County for such publication, together with a notice in substantially the form prescribed in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law of the State of New York.

Section 9. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Rules, Enactments and Intergovernmental Relations

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

LOCAL LAW INTRODUCTORY NO. 3 OF 2021

A LOCAL LAW TO DESIGNATE ORANGE COUNTY AS AN "ELIGIBLE AREA" PURSUANT TO SECTION 11-0935 OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION LAW IN RELATION TO A DEER HUNTING PILOT PROGRAM.

Be it enacted by the County Legislature of the County of Orange as follows:

Section One. Legislative Intent.

The New York State Legislature, through the passage of Assembly Bill 3005-C, being the same as Senate Bill 2505-C, as part of the 2021-2022 State Budget has authorized various Counties to pass local laws declaring such County to be an "eligible area" for the purpose of permitting deer hunting by hunting license holders who are twelve or thirteen years old with a crossbow, rifle, shotgun, or muzzle-loading firearm under certain circumstances. Such circumstances are delineated in Section 11-0935 of the Environmental Conservation Law.

Section Two. Declaration of Orange County as an Eligible Area.

The County Legislature of the County of Orange hereby declares Orange County an eligible area pursuant to Section 11-0935 of the Environmental Conservation Law and authorizes participation in the pilot program described in such law.

Section Three. Notice to the Department of Environmental Conservation.

Upon this local law's taking effect, the Clerk of the County Legislature shall notify the Commissioner of the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation of the passage of this local law.

Section Four. Effective Date.

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the New York State Secretary of State.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Rules, Enactments and Intergovernmental Relations

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION APPOINTING BENJAMIN OSTRER TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CATSKILL REGION OFF-TRACK BETTING CORPORATION, PURSUANT TO SECTION 502 OF THE RACING, PART-MUTUEL WAGERING AND BREEDING LAW.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 12 of 2002, adopted by the Orange County Legislature on February 7, 2002, James E. Townsend was appointed to the Board of Directors of the Catskill Region Off-Track Betting Corporation to serve at the pleasure of the Orange County Legislature; and

WHEREAS, the Orange County Legislature now wishes to appoint a new representative to fill said office;

NOW, be it hereby

RESOLVED, that Benjamin Ostrer of Chester, New York, be and he hereby is appointed to the Board of Directors of the Catskill Region Off-Track Betting Corporation to replace James E. Townsend and to serve at the pleasure of the Orange County Legislature, and it is further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Legislature is directed to transmit certified copies of this resolution to the following: Catskill Region Off-Track Betting Corporation, Legislative Body of each County participating in the Catskill Region Off-Track Betting Corporation.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Rules, Enactments and Intergovernmental Relations

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsor:

Agenda No. 13

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING, TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO HUDSON RIVER GREENWAY FOR THE HUDSON RIVER VALLEY GREENWAY COMMUNITIES PLANNING GRANT.

WHEREAS, the Orange County Department of Planning is requesting authorization to submit an application to Hudson River Greenway for funds in the amount of \$25,000.00 under the Hudson River Valley Greenway Communities Planning Grant. Said grant funds will be used to update the County Open Space Plan.

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the County Executive, in conjunction with the Orange County Department of Planning, is hereby authorized to submit an application to Hudson River Greenway for a grant in the amount of \$25,000.00 under the Hudson River Valley Greenway Communities Planning Grant, to be used to update the County Open Space Plan; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to execute any and all other papers and agreements in connection with such application, subject to the review thereof by the County Attorney for purposes of form and content.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-sponsors:

Agenda No. 14

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION ALLOWING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES, TO AMEND RESOLUTION NO. 63 OF 2021 TO REAPPROPRIATE PREVIOUSLY ACCEPTED GRANT FUNDING.

WHEREAS, this Legislature did, on March 30, 2021, approve Resolution No. 63 of 2021, in which the Orange County District Attorney's Office accepted grant funds from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services in the amount of \$1,685,928.00 for the Criminal Justice Discovery Reform Grant; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Emergency Services hereby requests to reappropriate said grant funds from the District Attorney's budget to Capital Funding in conjunction with the Emergency Services funding to finance the Law Records Data Sharing project.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that Resolution No. 63 of 2021 is hereby amended to reappropriate the Criminal Justice Discovery Reform Grant funds in the amount of \$1,685,928.00 from the District Attorney's budget to Capital Funding in conjunction with the Emergency Services funding to finance the Law Records Data Sharing project, which is Project No. 71 on the 2021 proposed Capital Plan, as shown below, and it is further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance is hereby authorized to make such modifications forthwith.

Revenue:

1010	116501	430891	State Aid	-\$1,685,928.00
1100	399701	430891	State Aid	\$1,685,928.00

Expenses:

1010	116501	585116	Capitalized Computer Equip. and Software	-\$1,685,928.00
1100	399701	577010	Capital Expense	\$1,685,928.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Public Safety and Emergency Services; Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 15

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

BOND RESOLUTION DATED MAY 6, 2021

BOND RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF COMPUTER HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES, STATING THE ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST THEREOF IS \$750,000; APPROPRIATING SAID AMOUNT THEREFOR; AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$750,000 BONDS OF THE COUNTY TO FINANCE SAID APPROPRIATION.

RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK (by the affirmative vote of not less than two thirds of the voting strength of said Legislature), **AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. The County of Orange, New York (herein called "County"), is hereby authorized to establish a new capital project for the Department of Emergency Services for the acquisition of computer hardware and software and licenses, all as more particularly described in the County's 2021 Capital Plan, as amended. The estimated maximum cost of said object or purpose, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and to the financing thereof, is \$750,000, and said amount is hereby appropriated therefor. The plan of financing includes the issuance of \$750,000 bonds of the County and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of such bonds to finance said appropriation, the levy and collection of taxes on all the taxable real property in the County to pay the principal of and interest on said bonds and notes.

Section 2. Bonds of the County in the principal amount of \$750,000 are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, constituting Chapter 33-a of the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York (herein called "Law"), to finance said appropriation.

Section 3. The period of probable usefulness of the class of objects or purposes for which said \$750,000 bonds herein authorized are to be issued, within the limitations of Section 11.00 a. 89 of the Law, is five (5) years.

Section 4. The County intends to finance, and the Commissioner of Finance of the County is hereby authorized to advance such amounts as are necessary to pay the costs of the objects or purposes described in Section 1 hereof prior to the issuance of the bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized out of any available funds of the County, on an interim basis, which amounts are reasonably expected to be reimbursed with the proceeds of debt to be incurred by the County, pursuant to this Resolution, in the total amount of bonds herein authorized. This Resolution is a

declaration of official intent adopted pursuant to the requirements of Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2.

Section 5. Each of the bonds authorized by this Resolution and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale thereof shall contain the recital of validity prescribed by §52.00 of said Local Finance Law and said bonds and any notes issued in anticipation of said bonds shall be general obligations of the County of Orange, payable as to both principal and interest by general tax upon all the taxable real property within the County. The faith and credit of the County are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds and any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds or the renewals of said notes, and provision shall be made annually in the budgets of the County by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the notes and bonds to mature in such year and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 6. Subject to the provisions of this Resolution and of the Law, and pursuant to the provisions of §30.00 relative to the authorization of the issuance of bond anticipation notes or the renewals thereof, and of §§50.00, 56.00 to 60.00 and 168.00 of said Law, the powers and duties of the County Legislature relative to authorizing the issuance of any notes in anticipation of the sale of the bonds herein authorized, or the renewals thereof, relative to providing for substantially level or declining annual debt service, relative to prescribing the terms, form and contents and as to the sale and issuance of the respective amounts of bonds herein authorized, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds or the renewals of said notes, and relative to executing agreements for credit enhancement, are hereby delegated to the Commissioner of Finance of the County, as the chief fiscal officer of the County.

Section 7. The validity of the bonds authorized by this Resolution, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds, may be contested only if:

- (a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the County is not authorized to expend money, or
- (b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of this Resolution, or a summary hereof, are not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of such publication, or
- (c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 8. The Clerk of the Orange County Legislature is hereby directed to publish the foregoing bond resolution in summary, in The Orange County Post published in Vails Gate, New York; the Warwick Advertiser-Photo News, published in Chester, New York; the Warwick Valley Dispatch, published in Warwick, New York; News of the Highlands, Inc., published in Cornwall, New York; Times Community Newspapers, published in Newburgh, New York; and Hudson Valley Press, published in Newburgh, New York, the official newspapers of the County for such publication, together with a notice in substantially the form prescribed in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law of the State of New York.

Section 9. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 16

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES/FIRE SERVICES, TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE A GRANT FROM THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES, PURSUANT TO SECTION 99-h OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW AND SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services has offered the 2020-2021 Hazardous Materials Emergency Planning (HMEP) grant in the amount of \$5,172.00. Said funds will be used to finance the County Hazardous Materials Team trip to a HazMat conference in Baltimore, Maryland in June/July 2021, and to help finance a full-scale exercise; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to accept and appropriate said grant for the Department of Emergency Services/Fire Services as indicated above.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, as follows:

1. That the County Executive, in conjunction with the Commissioner of Emergency Services, be and hereby is authorized to accept and appropriate the 2020-2021 Hazardous Materials Emergency Planning (HMEP) grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services in the amount of \$5,172.00 as indicated above.

2. That the 2021 budget for the Department of Emergency Services/Fire Services is hereby amended and supplemented as shown below, and the Commissioner of Finance, together with the Director of Budget, be and hereby is authorized to make such amendment and supplementation forthwith.

3. That the County Executive be and hereby is authorized to execute all necessary documents and assurances necessary to carry out the purposes of this resolution subject to the review thereof by the County Attorney for purposes of form and content.

Revenue:

1010 364010 440891 General Govt. Aid

\$5,172.00

Expenses:

1010	364010	573100	Office Supplies	\$ 300.00
1010	364010	576740	Spec. Travel Non-County	<u>\$4,872.00</u>
				\$5,172.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsor:

Agenda No. 17

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF’S OFFICE, TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES, PURSUANT TO SECTION 99-h OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW AND SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the Orange County Sheriff’s Office is requesting to accept and appropriate funding from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services in the amount of \$6,000.00 under the FY2019 Explosive Detection Canine Team Grant Program. Said funds will be used to provide necessary equipment for the training and maintenance of explosive detection canines; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to accept and appropriate said funds for the Orange County Sheriff’s Office as indicated above.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, as follows:

1. That the County Executive, in conjunction with the Orange County Sheriff, be and hereby is authorized to accept funds in the amount of \$6,000.00 from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services under the FY2019 Explosive Detection Canine Team Grant Program as indicated above.
2. That the 2021 budget for the Orange County Sheriff’s Office is hereby amended and supplemented as shown below, and the Commissioner of Finance, together with the Director of Budget, be and hereby is authorized to make such amendment and supplementation forthwith.
3. That the County Executive be and hereby is authorized to execute all necessary documents and assurances necessary to carry out the purposes of this Resolution subject to the review thereof

by the County Attorney for purposes of form and content.

Revenue:

1010 311033 433891 Other Public Safety \$6,000.00

Expense:

1010 311033 573820 K9 Training Materials \$6,000.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsor:

Agenda No. 18

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES, PURSUANT TO SECTION 99-h OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW AND SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the Orange County Sheriff's Office is requesting to accept and appropriate funding from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services in the amount of \$75,000.00 under the FY2019 Tactical Team Grant Program. Said funds will be used to provide equipment and training for Special Operations Group Operators; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to accept and appropriate said funds for the Orange County Sheriff's Office as indicated above.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, as follows:

1. That the County Executive, in conjunction with the Orange County Sheriff, be and hereby is authorized to accept funds in the amount of \$75,000.00 from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services under the FY2019 Tactical Team Grant Program as indicated above.

2. That the 2021 budget for the Orange County Sheriff's Office is hereby amended and supplemented as shown below, and the Commissioner of Finance, together with the Director of Budget, be and hereby is authorized to make such amendment and supplementation forthwith.

3. That the County Executive be and hereby is authorized to execute all necessary documents

and assurances necessary to carry out the purposes of this Resolution subject to the review thereof by the County Attorney for purposes of form and content.

Revenue:

1010	311033	433891	Other Public Safety	\$75,000.00
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Expenses:

1010	311033	560220	Overtime	\$ 2,000.00
1010	311033	585012	Equipment	\$49,000.00
1010	311033	576770	Training/Travel	<u>\$24,000.00</u>
				\$75,000.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Human Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 19

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES TO TRANSFER GRANT FUNDS TO NEW YORK STATE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, this Legislature did, on March 4, 2021, approve Resolution No. 47 of 2021, whereby the Orange County Department of Social Services received \$11,486,480.00 from the U.S. Department of the Treasury for COVID-19 stimulus funding to provide Rental Assistance; and

WHEREAS, the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA) is administering the Rental Assistance Program (ERAP) funded as part of the Federal Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021 and the American Rescue Plan of 2021. As a result of these acts, New York is expected to receive a total of approximately \$2.3 billion from the U.S. Department of the Treasury with \$1.4 billion directly allocated to New York State, \$442.9 million directly allocated to New York City, and \$419.7 million directly allocated to 13 counties and 10 other municipalities. The OTDA is seeking to partner with the counties, cities, and towns that are receiving direct allocations from the U.S. Department of the Treasury in an effort to streamline the program statewide, maximize the dollars available to serve needy residents, and reduce fraud; and

WHEREAS, the Orange County Department of Social Services requests authorization to transfer its initial allocation of U.S. Department of the Treasury funds in the sum of \$11,486,480.00 to New York State to facilitate said partnership.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the Orange County Department of Social Services is hereby authorization to transfer its initial allocation of U.S. Department of the Treasury funds in the amount of \$11,486,480.00 to New York State to facilitate its partnership with the New York State Office of Temporary Disability Assistance to streamline the Rental Assistance Program; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance is hereby authorized to make such modifications forthwith.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Health and Mental Health

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 20

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

**RESOLUTION OF THE ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE RECOGNIZING
"NATIONAL SKILLED NURSING CARE WEEK", MAY 9, 2021 THROUGH MAY 15, 2021.**

WHEREAS, our community's citizens now residing in nursing homes have contributed immeasurably to Orange County's heritage over the years; and

WHEREAS, our community's nursing home residents are themselves living history; and

WHEREAS, the staff of the Valley View Center for Nursing Care and Rehabilitation are sponsoring many activities in observance of National Skilled Nursing Care Week guided by this year's National Theme "Together through the Seasons" which begins on Mother's Day, May 9, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that We, the Orange County Legislature, do hereby proclaim the week of May 9 through 15, 2021 as:

"ORANGE COUNTY NATIONAL SKILLED NURSING CARE WEEK"

and urge all Orange County citizens to join in this year's National Skilled Nursing Care Week observance by visiting our County's nursing home residents and by recognizing the high quality of care that our County's long term care facility is providing.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Health and Mental Health

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 21

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION OF THE ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE RECOGNIZING MAY 2021 AS LYME DISEASE AWARENESS MONTH.

WHEREAS, May is National Lyme Disease Awareness Month, dedicated to increasing awareness of Lyme Disease, especially the importance of early detection and proper diagnosis; and

WHEREAS, New York State ranks No. 1 in the United States of America for Lyme Disease cases. Orange County ranked No. 1 amongst New York counties in reported cases; and

WHEREAS, Lyme Disease is one of the most prevalent diseases in Orange County and New York State but is commonly misdiagnosed because its symptoms are very similar to other ailments. Symptoms may include: Erythema Migrans (bull's eye red rash), flu-like symptoms, fever, headache, chills, fatigue, stiff neck and muscle pain; and

WHEREAS, Prevention methods include wearing light colored long sleeve shirts and long pants in tick infested areas, checking the body for ticks and removing them and using repellents with DEET in safe quantities (be sure to read instruction properly).

THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY

RESOLVED, that the Orange County Legislature recognizes May 2021 as Lyme Disease Awareness Month for Orange County; and conveys these sentiments to every citizen of Orange County, that all might promote early detection and continued outreach to prevent misdiagnosis.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Personnel and Compensation

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 22

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO THE ORANGE COUNTY HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, Honorable Steven M. Neuhaus, County Executive, has notified the County Legislature that he has made the following appointment to the Orange County Human Rights Commission.

APPOINTMENT:

Janet Sutherland

TERM EXPIRES:

June 30, 2022

Otisville, New York

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that said appointment be and the same hereby is confirmed.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Personnel and Compensation; Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 23

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF TIMOTHY A. DAVIDIAN AS DIRECTOR OF PROBATION FOR THE COUNTY OF ORANGE BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 18.02 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, Honorable Steven M. Neuhaus, County Executive, has notified the County Legislature that he has made the appointment of:

Timothy Davidian of Newburgh, New York, as Director of Probation pursuant to Article XVIII, Section 18.02 of the Orange County Charter. Said appointment is effective May 6, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the above said appointment be and the same hereby is confirmed.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Personnel and Compensation; Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 24

ACT NO. OF 2021

AN ACT AMENDING THE APPROPRIATE ORANGE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULES TO REALLOCATE VARIOUS MANAGEMENT POSITIONS WITHIN THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PROBATION, PURSUANT TO SECTION 2.02(I) OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

Section 1: Act No. 22 of 1971, an Act approving Orange County title and grade listing, alphabetical title, grade and jurisdictional listing; and allocation listing, as last amended by Act No. 22 of 2019, is hereby further amended as follows:

Add to Orange County Title and Grade Listing at Grade:

Grade 28, Probation Director (Group C)
Grade 27, Deputy Probation Director (Group C)
Grade 26, Principal Probation Officer

Delete from said Listing:

Grade 27, Probation Director (Group C)
Grade 25, Deputy Probation Director (Group C)
Grade 24, Principal Probation Officer

Add to Alphabetical Title, Grade and Jurisdictional Listing:

Probation Director (Group C), Grade 28
Deputy Probation Director (Group C), Grade 27
Principal Probation Officer, Grade 26

Delete from said Listing:

Probation Director (Group C), Grade 27
Deputy Probation Director (Group C), Grade 25
Principal Probation Officer, Grade 24

Add to Allocation Listing for Department of Probation:

Probation Director (Group C), Grade 28 (#44826)
Deputy Probation Director (Group C), Grade 27 (#52688)
Principal Probation Officer, Grade 26 (#44255)

Delete from said Listing:

Probation Director (Group C), Grade 27 (#44826)
Deputy Probation Director (Group C), Grade 25 (#52688)
Principal Probation Officer, Grade 24 (#44255)

Section 2: This Act shall take effect May 15, 2021.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Personnel and Compensation; Rules, Enactments and Intergovernmental Relations

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 25

ACT NO. OF 2021

AN ACT AMENDING THE APPROPRIATE ORANGE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULES TO CREATE TWO (2) "ASSOCIATE ACCOUNT CLERK II" POSITIONS AT THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF LAW, PURSUANT TO SECTION 2.02(I) OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

Section 1: Act No. 22 of 1971, an Act approving Orange County title and grade listing, alphabetical title, grade and jurisdictional listing; and allocation listing, as last amended by Act No. 06 of 2019, is hereby further amended as follows:

Add to Allocation Listing for the Department of Law:

Two (2) Associate Account Clerk II, Grade 10

Section 2: One position is being created contingent upon grant funding and shall be abolished upon cancellation of such funding.

Section 3: This Act shall take effect May 15, 2021.