

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Physical Services; Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 1

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION MAKING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION TO THE 2016 ORANGE COUNTY BUDGET FOR THE ORANGE COUNTY REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICES OFFICE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the Orange County Real Property Tax Services Office is requesting a transfer of \$1,200,000.00 to the Real Property office from unrestricted fund balance. Such funding is to be used for the purpose of purchasing all Plans owned or authorized by Mountco Construction and Development Corporation (Mountco) for the property known as Camp LaGuardia. It is also requested that the County Executive be authorized to execute such documents as are necessary to rescind the contract of sale authorized by Resolution No. 209 of 2008. The payment provided for herein shall not be effectuated until such time as the said contract of sale is rescinded (or otherwise simultaneously with such rescission).

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the 2016 budget for the Orange County Real Property Tax Services Office is hereby supplemented as indicated above and stated below to be used for the purpose of purchasing all Plans owned or authorized by Mountco Construction and Development Corporation (Mountco) for the property known as Camp LaGuardia; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive be authorized to execute such documents as are necessary to rescind the contract of sale authorized by Resolution No. 209 of 2008. The payment provided for herein shall not be effectuated until such time as the said contract of sale is rescinded (or otherwise simultaneously with such rescission); and it is further

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

Revenue:

1010	135506	415961	Appropriated Surplus	\$1,200,000.00
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Expense:

1010	135506	576820	Specialty Payments	\$1,200,000.00
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ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Physical Services; Ways and Means

Sponsors:
Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 2

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

BOND RESOLUTION DATED JUNE 2, 2016

BOND RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING ACQUISITION OF MACHINERY AND APPARATUS FOR CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, STATING THE ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST THEREOF IS \$500,000; APPROPRIATING SAID AMOUNT THEREFOR; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$158,000 BONDS OF THE COUNTY TO FINANCE A PORTION OF SAID APPROPRIATION; AND AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF \$342,000 EXPECTED TO BE RECEIVED FROM THE STATE OF NEW YORK TOWARDS THE COST THEREOF.

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 program for the Department of Public Works, consisting of acquisition of machinery and apparatus for construction and maintenance, all as more particularly described in the County's 2016 Capital Plan, as amended. The estimated maximum cost of said objects or purposes, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and to the financing thereof, is \$500,000, and said amount is hereby appropriated therefor. The plan of financing includes the issuance of \$158,000 bonds of the County herein authorized and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of such bonds to finance a portion 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, and application of \$342,000 expected to be received from the United States of America to be expended towards the cost thereof or redemption of the bonds or notes issued therefor or to be budgeted as an offset to the taxes for the payment of principal and interest on said bonds or notes.

Section 2. Bonds of the County in the principal amount of \$158,000 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 United States of America (herein called "Law"), to finance said appropriation.

Section 3. The period of probable usefulness of the class objects or purposes for which said \$158,000 bonds herein authorized are to be issued, within the limitations of §11.00 a. 28 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 Section 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. 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 7. The Clerk of the Orange County Legislature is hereby directed to publish the foregoing bond resolution in summary, in The Sentinel, Vails Gate, New York; Warwick Advertiser-Photo News, Chester, New York; News of the Highlands, Inc., Cornwall, New York; The Gazette, Middletown, New York; Times Community Newspapers, Newburgh, New York; and the Hudson Valley Press, 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 United States of America.

Section 8. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Human Services; Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 3

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

BOND RESOLUTION DATED JUNE 2, 2016

BOND RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION OF IMPROVEMENTS TO THE VETERANS MEMORIAL CEMETERY, STATING THE ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST THEREOF IS \$1,200,000; APPROPRIATING \$150,000 THEREFOR, IN ADDITION TO THE \$450,000 PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED AND \$600,000 EXPECTED FUTURE APPROPRIATIONS; 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 continue existing capital project No. 240 for the Department of Veterans' Service consisting of the construction of improvements to the Veterans' Memorial Cemetery, all as more particularly described in the County's 2016 Capital Plan, as amended. The estimated maximum cost of said specific object or purpose, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and the financing thereof, is \$1,200,000, and \$150,000 is hereby appropriated therefor, in addition to the \$150,000 previously appropriated pursuant to Resolution No. 66 of 2015, \$300,000 previously appropriated pursuant to Resolution No. 5 of 2012 and Resolution No. 25 of 2011 (the "Previously Appropriated Funds"). The plan of financing includes the expenditure of the Previously Appropriated Funds and \$600,000 estimated to be expended in fiscal years 2017 to 2020, the issuance of \$150,000 bonds of the County herein authorized and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of such bonds to finance said appropriation, and 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 applicable to the specific object or purpose for which said \$150,000 bonds herein authorized are to be issued, within the limitations of Section 11.00 a. 35 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. 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 7. The Clerk of the Orange County Legislature is hereby directed to publish the foregoing bond resolution in summary, in The Sentinel, Vails Gate, New York; Warwick Advertiser-Photo News, Chester, New York; News of the Highlands, Inc., Cornwall, New York; Times Community Newspapers, Newburgh, New York; and the Hudson Valley Press, 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 8. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 4

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

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., July 5, 2016, 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>
Deerpark 28-1-89	Liping Yang 1584 Fairway Green Circle San Jose, CA 95131	\$7,500.00
Deerpark 48-1-18	GeorgeAnna Vivian Tisdale Steding 473 FDR Drive, Apt. #K1401 New York, NY 10002	\$ 900.00
Wallkill 69-1-14.13	Leander Williams 59 Orange Terrace Middletown, NY 10940	\$ 600.00
Wallkill 69-1-14.11	Leander Williams 59 Orange Terrace Middletown, NY 10940	\$ 700.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Rules, Enactments and intergovernmental Relations; Ways and Means
Sponsors:
Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 5

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION MAKING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION TO THE 2016 ORANGE COUNTY BUDGET FOR THE ORANGE COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to provide funds to the 2016 budget of the Orange County Attorney's Office in the amount of \$85,000.00 for outside legal fees to defend a lawsuit in connection with the condemnation of a portion of Monroe-Bakertown Road, and in order to accomplish said purposes does wish to supplement the 2016 budget for the Orange County Attorney's Office.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the 2016 budget for the Orange County Attorney's Office is hereby supplemented as stated above and as indicated below for outside legal fees to defend a lawsuit in connection with the condemnation of a portion of Monroe-Bakertown Road; and it is further

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

Revenue:

1010	199001	410011	Taxation	(\$85,000.00)
1010	142001	410011	Taxation	\$85,000.00

Expenses:

1010	199001	579880	Contingency	(\$85,000.00)
1010	142001	571250	Legal Fees/Services	\$85,000.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Rules, Enactments and Intergovernmental Relations
Sponsors:
Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 6

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT, APPROPRIATE AND IMPLEMENT A FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION GRANT, THE MATCHING NEW YORK STATE TRANSIT GRANT AND A LOCAL COUNTY MATCH FOR THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING, PURSUANT TO SECTION 99-h OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW AND SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to apply for, accept, appropriate and implement a Federal Transit Administration (FTA) grant, the matching New York State grant and the local match in the total amount of \$18,567,999.00, to be appropriated as follows; and

WHEREAS, there are four program elements: (1) Capital Cost of Contracting with Hudson Transit, (2) Operating Assistance payments for the ADA Paratransit service, (3) Additional funding for construction of the Town of Warwick public transit garage, and (4) Program Administration; and

WHEREAS, the total FTA grant is in the amount of \$16,774,995.00. The portion of the NYS grant matching this FTA grant is \$1,793,004.00. The non-cash local match for element 1 will be provided through transit expenses incurred by the operator. The local cash match for element 3 will be provided by the Town of Warwick. The local match for elements 2 and 4 will be provided through operating and personnel expenses already funded through the County operating budget (no additional cash match is required for this FTA grant).

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the 2016 budget for the Orange County Department of Planning is hereby supplemented in the total amount of \$18,567,999.00 as indicated above and stated on the attached Schedule "A" to apply for, accept, appropriate and implement a Federal Transit Administration (FTA) grant, the matching New York State grant and the local match; and it is further

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

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

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SCHEDULE "A"

ITEMS #	FUNDING	FUND	ORG.	ACCOUNT	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT	TOTAL
1	Revenue	1010	802004	445891	Operating Grants - Federal	\$12,154,362	
1	Revenue	1010	802004	435891	Operating Grants - State	\$ 1,519,925	\$13,674,287
1	Expense	1010	802004	574001	Bus Transportation	\$13,674,287	
2	Revenue	1010	802004	445891	Operating Grants - Federal	\$ 2,436,000	\$ 2,436,000
2	Expense	1010	802004	574001	Bus Transportation	\$ 2,436,000	
3	Revenue	1100	519701	445971	Capital Transportation - Federal	\$ 750,000	
3	Revenue	1100	519701	435971	Capital Transportation - State	\$ 93,750	\$ 843,750
3	Expense	1100	519701	577010	Capital Budget	\$ 843,750	
4	Revenue	1010	802004	445891	Operating Grants - Federal	\$ 1,434,633	
4	Revenue	1010	802004	435891	Operating Grants - State	\$ 179,329	\$ 1,613,962
4	Expense	1010	802004	571820	Consultant Services	\$ 1,613,962	
							\$18,567,999

- ITEM 1) Planning task needs to be set up, funding of \$12,154,362 to come from Federal Transit Administration Grant, \$1,519,925 NYSDOT Grant. The local match to these funds will be provided in-kind through the operator's provision of public transit services. There is no County match.
- ITEM 2) Planning task needs to be set up, funding of \$2,436,000 to come from Federal Transit Administration Grant. There is no direct State match to these funds. The County share is already appropriated in the 2016 budget, the amount needed for 2017 will be budgeted in the department 2017 submission.
- ITEM 3) Capital Project 431 to be increased by \$843,750; funding of \$750,000 to come from Federal Transit Administration Grant, \$93,750 NYSDOT Grant.
- ITEM 4) Funding of \$1,793,291 to come from \$1,434,633 Federal Transit Administration Grant, \$179,329 NYSDOT Grant, and \$179,329 in-kind by County personnel.

Note: Planning task needs to be set up for the entire \$1,783,481 (to include County share of \$179,329 for personnel already budgeted).

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Rules, Enactments and Intergovernmental Relations

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsor:

Agenda No. 7

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING, TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT GRANT FUNDS FROM THE FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION, PURSUANT TO SECTION 99-h OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW AND SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the Orange County Department of Planning has requested that the County Executive apply for and accept a Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Job Access Reverse Commute (JARC) grant in the amount of \$600,000.00. This grant will fund the Orange County JARC program in 2016, 2017 and 2018 (\$200,000.00 each year). The program is operated by the Orange County Employment and Training Administration in coordination with the Orange County Workforce Investment Board. The FTA grant is administered by the Orange County Department of Planning; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to authorize the County Executive to apply for and accept said grant funds from the Federal Transit Administration as indicated above.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the County Executive, on behalf of the Orange County Department of Planning, is hereby authorized to apply for and accept a Federal Transit Administration Job Access Reverse Commute grant in the amount of \$600,000.00 as indicated above and to execute any and all other papers and agreements required in connection with such grant, subject to review thereof by the County Attorney for purposes of form and content.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Public Safety and Emergency Services; Physical Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 8

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION OF THE ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE ASSUMING LEAD AGENCY STATUS UNDER THE STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW ACT (SEQRA) WITH RESPECT TO THE COMMUNICATIONS TOWER IN THE TOWN OF MONTGOMERY, CLASSIFYING THE ACTION AS UNLISTED AND DETERMINING THAT THE ACTION WILL NOT HAVE ANY SIGNIFICANT ADVERSE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS.

WHEREAS, this project located in the Town of Montgomery proposes the construction of a new 150' self-supported tower within a new 60' x 60' fence enclosure. Other site improvements include a new 12' x 32' equipment shelter, installation of a new generator, construction of a new access road to Beaver Dam Road within an existing easement and underground connection of electric and fiber to run along a new access road to an existing utility pole on Beaver Dam Road; and

WHEREAS, in compliance with the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA), and the regulations promulgated thereto, an Environmental Assessment Form ("EAF"), has been completed and in accordance with the findings of Part 1, 2 and 3 of the Environmental Assessment Form ("EAF"), it is determined that the project will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, as follows:

1. That the Orange County Legislature declares itself Lead Agency concerning the Communications Tower in the Town of Montgomery; and
2. Makes a determination, pursuant to 6 NYCRR Section 617.6 that the proposed action is an Unlisted Action; and
3. Determines in accordance with the Findings of Parts 1, 2 and 3 of the Environmental Assessment Form ("EAF") that the project will have no significant adverse environmental impacts; and
4. All documents will be filed and published in accordance with 6 NYCRR 617.12.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 9

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, TO ACCEPT FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE 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 Criminal Justice Services has offered funds in the amount of \$85,000.00 for the Gun-Initiated Violence Elimination (GIVE) grant. The source of the funds is Federal funds. Said funds will be used to fund the salary and fringe benefits of a Project Manager for a twelve month period. The term of the grant runs from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017; and

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

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, as follows:

1. That the County Executive, in conjunction with the Orange County District Attorney, be and hereby is authorized to accept funds from New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Gun-Initiated Violence Elimination (GIVE) grant in the amount of \$85,000.00 as indicated above.
2. That the 2016 budget for the Orange County District Attorney'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	116501	433891	Federal Aid	\$85,000.00
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Expense:

1010	116501	560110	Salaries	\$85,000.00
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ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 10

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, TO ACCEPT FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE 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 Criminal Justice Services has offered funds in the amount of \$72,500.00 for the Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) grant. Said funds will be used to assist the City of Newburgh with the Gun Involved Violence Elimination program; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to accept said funds for the 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 from New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the Gun Involved Violence Elimination (GIVE) grant in the amount of \$72,500.00 as indicated above.

2. That the 2016 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 440891 General Government Aid \$72,500.00

Expense:

1010 311033 571500 Employee Consultant Chargeback \$72,500.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 11

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT, TO ACCEPT FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE 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 Criminal Justice Services has offered Alternatives to Incarceration (ATI) funding for the Misdemeanor Alternative Sentencing Program (MASP) in the amount of \$46,586.00 allocated to the Probation Department, as well as Treatment Alternatives for Safer Communities (TASC) funding in the amount of \$100,919.00 allocated to the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council of Orange County. Said funds are for the period of July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017. Said funds were budgeted for 2016 and no appropriation is required; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to accept said ATI and TASC funds on behalf of the Orange County Probation Department as indicated above.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that the County Executive, on behalf of the Orange County Probation Department, is hereby authorized to accept Alternatives to Incarceration (ATI) funding for the Misdemeanor Alternative Sentencing Program (MASP) in the amount of \$46,586.00 allocated to the Probation Department, as well as Treatment Alternatives for Safer Communities (TASC) funding in the amount of \$100,919.00 allocated to the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council of Orange County, and to execute any and all other papers and agreements required in connection with such acceptance, subject to review thereof by the County Attorney for purposes of form and content.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Health and Mental Health

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 12

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH, TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF ALCOHOLISM AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, PURSUANT TO SECTION 99-B OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW AND SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the New York State Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services has offered funds in the amount of \$15,000.00 for the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council of Orange County, reflecting a base increase for Substance Abuse Prevention Skills Training (SAPST) and conference participation; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to accept and appropriate said funds for the Department of Mental Health as indicated above.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, as follows:

1. That the County Executive, in conjunction with the Commissioner of Mental Health, be and hereby is authorized to accept and appropriate funds from the New York State Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services in the amount of \$15,000.00 for the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council of Orange County as indicated above.

2. That the 2016 budget for the Department of Mental Health 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 432201 434901 State Aid \$15,000.00

Expense:

1010 432201 573990 Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Council of Orange County \$15,000.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Health and mental Health

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 13

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH, TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF MENTAL HEALTH, PURSUANT TO SECTION 99-h OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW AND SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the New York State Office of Mental Health has offered funds in the amount of \$50,000.00 for Evidence Based Mental Health Practices for individuals in Jail Pilot Planning and Implementation Program, Commitment to Participate. Fifty percent (50%) of the funding is available effective January 1, 2016 to be used for start-up activities including planning, attendance at workshops and travel. Said funding ends on December 31, 2017; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to accept and appropriate said funds for the Department of Mental Health as indicated above.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, as follows:

1. That the County Executive, in conjunction with the Commissioner of Mental Health, be and hereby is authorized to accept and appropriate funds from the New York State Office of Mental Health in the amount of \$50,000.00 for Evidence Based Mental Health Practices for individuals in Jail Pilot Planning and Implementation Program, Commitment to Participate as indicated above.

2. That the 2016 budget for the Department of Mental Health 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 432006 434901 State Aid \$50,000.00

Expense:

1010 432006 571820 Jail Clinic \$50,000.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Health and Mental Health

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 14

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH, TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF MENTAL HEALTH, PURSUANT TO SECTION 99-h OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL LAW AND SECTION 4.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

WHEREAS, the New York State Office of Mental Health has offered funds in the amount of \$225,000.00 for a long term stay outreach team effective January 1, 2016. This team will support individuals during the transition process upon long term stay discharge and is the expectation that this program will provide for the successful transition into the community of approximately eight Psychiatric Center long stay individuals for the first year; and

WHEREAS, this Legislature does wish to accept and appropriate said funds for the Department of Mental Health as indicated above.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, as follows:

1. That the County Executive, in conjunction with the Commissioner of Mental Health, be and hereby is authorized to accept and appropriate funds from the New York State Office of Mental Health in the amount of \$225,000.00 for a long term stay outreach team as indicated above.

2. That the 2016 budget for the Department of Mental Health 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	432201	434901	State Aid	\$ 57,479.00
1010	432001	434901	State Aid	<u>\$167,521.00</u>
				\$225,000.00

Expenses:

1010	432201	573990	People, Inc.	\$ 57,479.00
1010	432001	571830	Orange County Mental Health Administrative Consultants	<u>\$167,521.00</u>
				\$225,000.00

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Health and Mental Health

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 15

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION OF THE ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE DESIGNATING JUNE 22 THROUGH JUNE 28, 2016 AS HELEN KELLER DEAF-BLIND AWARENESS WEEK.

WHEREAS, Helen Keller was an American lecturer, author and activist. Deaf and blind since early childhood and living in an era where most individuals similarly afflicted were confined to an asylum, Helen Keller overcame her disabilities with the aide of mentor Anne Sullivan and rose to international renown. Keller used her fame to educate others about the blind and to raise funds for related charities; and

WHEREAS, deaf-blindness is a very severe disability; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of Orange County to encourage the full participation of Americans with multi-sensory disabilities in our economy by fostering the employment of, and promoting housing and recreational options for, people who are deaf-blind – thus maximizing their opportunities for a productive life in the community of their choice; and

WHEREAS, today, people with dual-sensory loss should have options to choose their preferred lifestyles; and

WHEREAS, it is highly appropriate and necessary to publicize the abilities and potential of our fellow citizens who are deaf-blind or severely vision and hearing impaired and to recognize Helen Keller as a guiding example of courage, hope, determination and achievement for other individuals who are deaf-blind.

THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED,

That the Orange County Legislature designates June 22 through June 28, 2016 as "Helen Keller Deaf-Blind Awareness Week" for Orange County and conveys these sentiments to every citizen of Orange County, that all might raise awareness of deaf-blindness in our community.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Personnel and Compensation; Ways and Means

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 16

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF KARIN E. HABLOW AS COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE FOR ORANGE COUNTY BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 5.01 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.

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

Karin E. Hablow, residing in the Town of Goshen, as Commissioner of Finance for the County of Orange, pursuant to Article V, Section 5.01 of the Orange County Charter. Said appointment is effective May 2, 2016.

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; Labor Relations Advisory

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 17

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION CREATING A VOLUNTARY SEPARATION AGREEMENT FOR ALL ORANGE COUNTY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

WHEREAS, a Voluntary Separation Agreement (VSA) has been negotiated with CSEA, PBA, COBA, SOA, and the Orange County District Attorney's Criminal Investigators Association; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this request is to provide the Voluntary Separation Agreement (VSA) incentive to all County employees.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that this Legislative body supports and hereby authorizes the development of a Voluntary Separation Agreement (VSA) to all County employees, with a summary of the incentive as follows:

- Voluntary Separation Agreement incentive payment of \$10,000.00 for employees with 10 to 20 years of services; \$12,500.00 for 20 to 30 years of service; and \$15,000.00 for 30 plus years of service.
- This Voluntary Separation Agreement applies to full-time employees only.
- The employee must notify the Department head and Commissioner of Human Resources in writing of his/her intent to leave County service and take advantage of the incentive on or before September 1, 2016 at 5:00 p.m.
- The Employee must separate from County service on or before September 30, 2016.
- The Department head and the Commissioner of Human Resources must approve of the voluntary separation in writing on or before September 2, 2016.
- There is a requirement that the amount of the incentive payment be saved by interim vacancy savings and the reduced cost of a new employee. Department heads are highly encouraged to support employees wishing to take advantage of the incentive.
- Employees who take advantage of this incentive shall have the opportunity to have the incentive payment made into a tax-exempt account at the employee's option (deferred compensation account).
- The County will replace those who take advantage of the Voluntary Separation Agreement with employees as the County deems necessary; and it is further

RESOLVED, that County Officers and Employees may take such actions as are necessary to implement this Resolution; and it is further

RESOLVED, that Employees who take advantage of this incentive shall be deemed resigned or retired on or before September 30, 2016.

RESOLVED, the Budget Director and any other officers or employees of the County is/are authorized within each Department, to cause such steps as may be necessary to pay for this incentive and make such transfers as are necessary to effectuate this purpose; and it is further

RESOLVED, that the amount of the incentive payment shall be subject to all usual and customary taxes and withholdings. Such amount shall not, however, under any circumstances, be used in the calculation of any retirement benefit calculated by the New York State Employees' Retirement System or other applicable retirement system; and it is further

RESOLVED, that payment under this Resolution shall be made within forty-five days from September 30, 2016, the date by which the person who uses this incentive must leave County employment, and after the execution of necessary documents under applicable law to protect the

County against claims for the acceptance of this incentive by the employee, as determined by the Commissioner of Human Resources in consultation with the County Attorney; and it is further

RESOLVED, that this agreement shall take effect after both parties, the County and any applicable negotiating unit, have agreed to the terms and conditions as required by law and as otherwise provided for herein; and it is further

RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall take effect on June 2, 2016 and shall not apply to any persons who resigned or retired on or before this effective date.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

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

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 18

ACT NO. OF 2016

AN ACT AMENDING THE APPROPRIATE ORANGE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULES TO REALLOCATE "CONFIDENTIAL SECRETARY TO COUNTY EXECUTIVE" AT THE ORANGE COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S OFFICE, 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. 10 of 2015, is hereby further amended as follows:

Add to Orange County Title and Grade Listing at Grade:

Grade 15, Confidential Secretary to County Executive

Delete from said Listing:

Grade 12, Confidential Secretary to County Executive

Add to Alphabetical Title, Grade and Jurisdictional Listing:

Confidential Secretary to County Executive, Grade 15

Delete from said Listing:

Confidential Secretary to County Executive, Grade 12

Add to Allocation Listing for County Executive's Office:

Confidential Secretary to County Executive, Grade 15

Delete from said Listing:

Confidential Secretary to County Executive, Grade 12

Section 2: This Act shall take effect June 11, 2016.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

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

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 19

ACT NO. OF 2016

AN ACT AMENDING THE APPROPRIATE ORANGE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULES TO CREATE "ASSISTANT TO THE COUNTY CLERK" AT THE ORANGE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, 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. 10 of 2015, is hereby further amended as follows:

Add to Orange County Title and Grade Listing at Grade:

Grade 08, Assistant to the County Clerk

Add to Alphabetical Title, Grade and Jurisdictional Listing:

Assistant to the County Clerk, Grade 08

Add to Allocation Listing for County Clerk's Office:

Assistant to the County Clerk, Grade 08

Section 2: This Act shall take effect June 11, 2016.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Personnel and Compensation; Health and Mental Health

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 20

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

**RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE PERIOD OF TIME FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF DARCI
MILLER TO SERVE AS ACTING COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL
HEALTH FOR ORANGE COUNTY BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE, PURSUANT TO SECTION
3.09 OF THE ORANGE COUNTY CHARTER.**

WHEREAS, Honorable Steven M. Neuhaus, County Executive, has notified the County
Legislature that he has extended the period of time for the appointment of:

Darcie Miller as Acting Commissioner of the Department of Mental Health for the County of Orange,
pursuant to Section 3.09 of the Orange County Charter, for a period of eighteen (18) months
effective upon Legislative approval.

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; Health and Mental Health

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 21

ACT NO. OF 2016

**AN ACT AMENDING THE APPROPRIATE ORANGE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULES
TO CREATE TWO (2) "AUTOPSY ASSISTANT(S)" POSITIONS AT THE ORANGE COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, 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. 9
of 2015, is hereby further amended as follows:

Add to Orange County Title and Grade Listing at Grade:

Grade 09, Autopsy Assistant

Add to Alphabetical Title, Grade and Jurisdictional Listing:

Autopsy Assistant, Grade 09

Add to Allocation Listing for Department of Health:

Two (2) Autopsy Assistant(s), Grade 09

Section 2: This Act shall take effect June 11, 2016.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Personnel and Compensation; Health and Mental Health

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 22

ACT NO. OF 2016

AN ACT AMENDING THE APPROPRIATE ORANGE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULES TO CREATE "AUTOPSY ASSISTANT, PER DIEM" AT THE ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, 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. 9 of 2015, is hereby further amended as follows:

Add to Orange County Title and Grade Listing at Grade:

Ungraded, Autopsy Assistant, Per Diem

Add to Alphabetical Title, Grade and Jurisdictional Listing:

Autopsy Assistant, Per Diem, Ungraded

Add to Allocation Listing for Department of Health:

Autopsy Assistant, Per Diem, Ungraded

Section 2: Individuals employed on a per diem basis in the title of Autopsy Assistant shall be paid a rate in the salary range of \$19.00 to \$24.00 per hour.

Section 3: This Act shall take effect June 11, 2016.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Personnel and Compensation; Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 23

ACT NO. OF 2016

AN ACT AMENDING THE APPROPRIATE ORANGE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULES TO REALLOCATE "OFFENDER SERVICES COUNSELOR" AT THE ORANGE COUNTY OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF/CORRECTIONS DIVISION, 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. 9 of 2015, is hereby further amended as follows:

Add to Orange County Title and Grade Listing at Grade:

Grade 15, Offender Services Counselor

Delete from said Listing:

Grade 12, Offender Services Counselor

Add to Alphabetical Title, Grade and Jurisdictional Listing:

Offender Services Counselor, Grade 15

Delete from said Listing:

Offender Services Counselor, Grade 12

Add to Allocation Listing for Office of the Sheriff/Corrections Division:

Offender Services Counselor, Grade 15

Delete from said Listing:

Offender Services Counselor, Grade 12

Section 2: This Act shall take effect June 11, 2016.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Personnel and Compensation; Public Safety and Emergency Services

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 24

ACT NO. OF 2016

AN ACT AMENDING THE APPROPRIATE ORANGE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULES TO CREATE "OFFENDER SERVICES COUNSELOR" AT THE ORANGE COUNTY OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF/CORRECTIONS DIVISION, 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. 9 of 2015, is hereby further amended as follows:

Add to Allocation Listing for Office of the Sheriff/Corrections Division:

Offender Services Counselor, Grade 15

Section 2: This Act shall take effect June 11, 2016.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committees: Personnel and Compensation

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 25

ACT NO. OF 2016

AN ACT AMENDING THE APPROPRIATE ORANGE COUNTY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULES TO REALLOCATE "EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, ORANGE COUNTY HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION" AT THE ORANGE COUNTY HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION, 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. 17 of 2015, is hereby further amended as follows:

Add to Orange County Title and Grade Listing at Grade:

Grade 25, Executive Director, Orange County Human Rights Commission

Delete from said Listing:

Level V, Executive Director, Orange County Human Rights Commission

Add to Alphabetical Title, Grade and Jurisdictional Listing:

Executive Director, Orange County Human Rights Commission, Grade 25

Delete from said Listing:

Executive Director, Orange County Human Rights Commission, Level V

Add to Allocation Listing for Human Rights Commission:

Executive Director, Orange County Human Rights Commission, Grade 25

Delete from said Listing:

Executive Director, Orange County Human Rights Commission, Level V

Section 2: This Act shall take effect June 11, 2016.

ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Committee: Personnel and Compensation

Sponsors:

Co-Sponsors:

Agenda No. 26

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2016

RESOLUTION EXTENDING ADDITIONAL BENEFITS TO ALL EMPLOYEES OF ORANGE COUNTY CALLED TO ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY.

WHEREAS, certain County employees serving in the military reserve may be called to active duty (other than for training purposes) and will be required to interrupt their regular County employment; and

WHEREAS, under Section 242 of the New York State Military Law, Reservists and National Guard members are eligible for paid leave while performing ordered military duty for thirty (30) calendar days or twenty-two (22) workdays (whichever provides the greater benefit to the employee) in any calendar year or continuous period of absence which spans more than one calendar year; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 37 of 2003, Resolution No. 30 of 2004, Resolution No. 12 of 2005 (as amended by Resolution No. 49 of 2005), Resolution No. 154 of 2006 (as amended by Resolution No. 186 of 2006), Resolution No. 204 of 2007, Resolution No. 149 of 2008, Resolution No. 285 of 2009, Resolution No. 147 of 2010, Resolution No. 133 of 2011, Resolution No. 159 of 2012, Resolution No. 146 of 2013, Resolution No. 146 of 2014 and Resolution No. 100 of 2015, the County of Orange extended and granted these benefits to County employees called to active duty; and

WHEREAS, Orange County does wish to continue to extend and grant certain additional benefits to all such employees called to active duty overseas.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby

RESOLVED, to extend and provide the following additional benefits to employees called to active duty (other than for training purposes) overseas resulting in such an interruption of their regular County employment:

1. Following exhaustion of the leave provided under Section 242 of the New York State Military Law, eligible employees must be granted a total of thirty (30) calendar days or twenty-two (22) workdays (whichever provides the greater benefit to the employee) of supplemental leave with pay. Employees may receive only one such grant of supplemental leave.

2. For a period of up to five years from June 5, 2016, employees who are military Reservists and are called to active duty overseas shall be eligible for the following benefits:

(A) Upon exhaustion of the military leave pay benefit provided in paragraph 1 above, the difference between their rate of pay prior to their date of activation and compensation they receive as a result of such active duty; and

(B) The continuation, at no cost, of family health insurance coverage on the same basis as provided to such employee prior to their date of activation.

3. Employees shall continue to accrue entitlement to vacation leave and personal leave as a result of receiving benefits pursuant to this Agreement.

4. An employee's health benefits shall begin immediately upon the employee's return to their position with the County; and it is hereby further

RESOLVED, that the terms of this Resolution shall specifically apply to members of the Civil Service Employees' Association, Correction Officers' Benevolent Association, Orange County Deputy Sheriffs' Police Benevolent Association, the Civil Service Employees' Association for Superior Officers, Staff and Chairmen's Association of Orange County Community College, the Faculty Association of Orange County Community College, the Orange County District Attorney's Criminal Investigators Association, Inc., and all employees presently employed covered under the Orange County Management Plan; and it is hereby further

RESOLVED, to extend the heartfelt pride, gratitude, appreciation and admiration of every member of this Legislature and the Administration of this Government on behalf of every citizen of Orange County to our courageous, dedicated and successful troops for their significant contribution to the stability of the United States, the peace of the world and to the honor of their Community, their State and their Nation.

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