

Present: Legislators Clattenburg, Bausch, DeJaneiro, Torrey. Also Present: Legislators Cianfrini, Stein; Legislature Clerk Kingdon, County Manager Jay Gsell, Assistant County Manager Landers, Assigned Counsel Representative Randy Zickl, Public Defender Ader, Sheriff Maha, Highway Superintendent Tim Hens, Park Supervisor Osborn, Genesee Justice Program Coordinator Ford. News Reporters Paul Mrozek

Chair Clattenburg called the meeting to order at 4:30 PM in the Conference Room at the Interpretative Center at the County Park in Bethany. The minutes of the April 13, 2015 meeting were approved upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Bausch.

Randy Zickl from assigned Counsel provided his Agency Review. The 2015 budget is currently going well. The Family Court budget lines are over budget, however the criminal budget line is under budget by \$30,000. There have been 332 Family Court cases and 174 Criminal Court cases. The Committee thanked Mr. Zickl for his report.

Public Defender Jerry Ader provided his Department Review. The number of clients that the Public Defender has represented for the first half of 2015 is outpacing the number of clients from 2014. This is not expected to have a big impact on the budget. The Public Defender has been working closely with Family Court Judge Adams in trying to reduce the number of assignment of counsel from the Assigned Counsel Office by having the court send all requests for assignment to the Public Defender office for eligibility screening and determination of potential conflicts. The biggest concern for 2016 will be contract with Legal Aid of Buffalo for appellate services. Their three year contract expires at the end of May and the Public Defender has been working on negotiations and options. Legal Aid of Buffalo has realized that they charged too little to get this initial contact for what it costs them for the services and they are seeking an increase to \$100,000 per year for a three contract. The Committee thanked Mr. Ader for his report.

Sheriff Gary Maha presented a renewal agreement with Darien Lake for additional Law Enforcement Services. This contract is for the 2015 operating/concert season. The Sheriff's Office will invoice Darien Lake for police services, and Darien Lake will reimburse the County. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Bausch.

Next, Sheriff Maha presented an agreement renewal and budget amendment for police services for the Village of Oakfield. This contract will commence on June 1, 2015 and continue until May 31, 2016. This contract is based on the same terms and conditions as 2014. This was referred to the Ways and Means with the recommendation for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Torrey.

The Sheriff requested authorization to purchase Harris P25 800 MHz radios and peripheral equipment for a total cost not to exceed \$24,885.70. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Torrey seconded by Legislator Bausch.

Next, the Sheriff presented an agreement renewal with Justice Benefits, Inc. for professional assistance with revenue enhancement services. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Torrey.

The Sheriff presented another renewal agreement with Monroe County for forensic laboratory services for the period January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015 at a cost of \$71,667.00. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Torrey.

The Sheriff requested a budget amendment in the amount of \$10,592, so that remaining money from task force recovery can be used for investigative purposes in the 2015 budget. This was referred to Ways and Means with the recommendation for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Bausch seconded by Legislator Torrey.

The Sheriff presented an agreement with Tyler Technologies, Inc. for the purchase of a CivilServe Civil Process system at a cost of \$33,440.00. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Bausch.

Next, Sheriff Maha presented an agreement renewal and budget amendment for police services for the Village of Bergen. This contract will commence on June 1, 2015 and continue until May 31, 2016. This contract is based on the same terms and conditions as 2014. This was referred to the Ways and Means with the recommendation for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Bausch.

Lastly, the Sheriff presented a maintenance agreement with Harris Corporation for the 800MHz public safety radio system which has expired. This will be a 13 month agreement at a cost of \$120,568.60. This was referred to Ways and Means with the recommendation for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Bausch seconded by Legislator DeJaneiro.

Genesee Justice Coordinator Ford presented requested a contract amendment for a forensic interviewer for the Justice for Children Advocacy Center. Jessica Mitchell was hired to provide these services at a rate of \$15 per hour while she was training. Ms. Mitchell has completed the necessary training to conduct forensic interviews and is now

requesting that her contract be amended to increase her pay to \$35 per house for the remainder of the contract. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Bausch seconded by Legislator Torrey.

Highway Superintendent Hens requested permission to amend resolution 117-2015 regarding the award of a flatbed truck body to Cyncon, Inc. There was an error in the bud used for this piggyback purchase. It is requested to amend this resolution to read "Oneida County Bid #1751, Item 5 in lieu of Onondaga County Bid #1685, Item 5G. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Bausch.

Mr. Hens requested the establishment of various capital projects and a budget amendment. New York State has provided the County with Consolidated Local Street and Highway Improvement Program (CHIPS) funding and the County has planned for capital projects to be funded with additional 1% sales tax. This was referred to Ways and Means with the recommendation for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Torrey.

Mr. Hens requested permission to purchase three 14ft power reversible snow plow blades from Viking Cives for an amount not to exceed \$28,226.40. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Torrey.

The Highway Superintendent did advertise local bid specifications for a wheeled excavator for with within the road machinery fund. The bids received did not meet the requirements and it is recommended to reject these bids. This was approved for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator DeJaneiro seconded by Legislator Torrey.

Next, Mr. Hens requested a budget amendment to use funds that were reimbursed to the County by the Federal Emergency Management Agency for the November 2014 lake effect snowstorm that dumped over 6 feet of snow across the county. This was referred to Ways and Means with the recommendation for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Torrey seconded by Legislator Bausch.

Park Supervisor Osborn presented the Deer Management Hunting Program for the Genesee County Park and Forest. This is a continuation of a discussion that happened at the May 13<sup>th</sup> Legislature meeting where it was decided to Table this item until a few more questions could be answered. Prior to this Public Service meeting Mr. Osborn took those interested on a tour of the Park, so that he could show exactly where the hunting would take place within the Park. The Deer Hunting proposal has primarily been kept the same as the original presentation with the exception of adding fencing and signs on the trails where hunting areas begin. This is to deter hikers from going any further on that

trail. This was referred to Ways and Means with the recommendation for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Bausch seconded by Legislator Torrey.

Next, Mr. Osborn presented a resolution to amend Local Law No. 7, year 2002- Genesee County Department of Parks, Recreation and Forestry Rules and Regulations. This amendment would include the Deer Management Hunting Rules and Regulations as an appendix and to also amend the Fishing Rules and Regulations. This was referred to Ways and Means with the recommendation for placement on the next Legislature Agenda upon motion of Legislator Bausch seconded by Legislator Torrey.

A motion was made by Legislator Torrey and seconded by Legislator DeJaneiro to adjourn at 6:00 PM.

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Marianne Clattenburg, Chair  
Public Service Committee  
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