PUBLIC SAFETY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES March 6, 2017

The Public Safety and Emergency Services Committee of the Broome County Legislature met on Monday, March 6, 2017 in the Legislative Conference Room, Sixth Floor, Edwin L. Crawford County Office Building, Binghamton, New York.

- Members Present: S. Baker (Chair), G. Baldwin, R. Heebner, D.J. Reynolds (voting representative for M. Pasquale), D.D. Reynolds
- Members Absent: None
- Others Present: A. Martin, C. Dziedzic, R. O'Donnell, J. Bertoni, Legislature; J. Garnar, K. McManus, B. Lainhart, County Exec's Office; J. Knebel, S. Kane, OMB; L. Boulton, DPW; R. Holdredge, BCSO; G. Kilmer, PTO; H. Schwarz, P&SB; R. Holmes, S. Link, A. Pleus, Truth Pharm; A. Pragus, W. Martin, K. Revier, S. Ruft. JUST

The Public Safety and Emergency Services Committee meeting was called to order by the Chairman at 4:03 PM. Mr. D.J. Reynolds made a motion to move the agenda, seconded by Mr. Baldwin.

The Committee took the following action with regard to the matters before it:

#31 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PERSONNEL CHANGE REQUEST FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays, 0

- #41 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HIRING OF TORRANCE L. SCHMITZ AS SENIOR ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY ABOVE THE MINIMUM SALARY
- Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0
- #44 RESOLUTION URGING GOVERNOR CUOMO AND THE NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE TO FULLY FUND INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES ACROSS NEW YORK STATE

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#46 RESOLUTION URGING GOVERNOR CUOMO AND THE NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE TO FULLY REIMBURSE COUNTIES FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY SALARY INCREASES SET BY THE STATE

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

Resolution heldover from previous Session

2017-77 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS, ACCEPTANCE OF THE WELFARE FRAUD PROGRAM GRANT, ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET, AND AUTHORIZING AN EMPLOYEE CHANGE IN STATUS FOR THE POSITION OF ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY II FOR THE OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR 2017-2018 Following the resolutions, several citizens expressed concerns with Resolution 2017-77, which was heldover from the previous session.

There being no further business to come before the Committee at this time, a motion to adjourn was made by Mr. D.J. Reynolds, seconded by Mr. Baldwin. The meeting adjourned at 4:24 PM.