

January 25, 2011

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
REPORT NO. 2

ALL MEMBERS PRESENT, EXCEPT LEGISLATOR KOZUB.
CHAIR MILLER-WILLIAMS PRESENT AS EX-OFFICIO MEMBER.

- 1. COMM. 2E-4 (2011)
MILLER-WILLIAMS
RESOLVED, the Erie County Legislature hereby confirms the appointment of the following individual to the Erie County Community Corrections Advisory Board:

Ms. Karima Amin
P.O. Box 273
Buffalo, NY 14212

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- 2. COMM. 2E-12 (2011)
COUNTY EXECUTIVE
WHEREAS, the Erie County Central Police Services Forensic Lab has been awarded a 2010 Paul Coverdell Grant to be administered by the National Institute of Justice; and

WHEREAS, said funds will enable the Central Police Services Forensic Laboratory to analyze backlogged firearms cases and improve its operation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that authorization is hereby provided for the County Executive to enter into a contract and accept funding in the amount of \$123,712 with the National Institute of Justice; and be it further

RESOLVED, that authorization is hereby provided to establish the grant in the budget of the Department of Central Police Services as follows:

Grant Fund SAP # 165FY10COVFIRE1011
Central Police Services
10/01/2010 to 09/30/2011

<u>Revenue</u>	<u>Increase</u>
Acct. 414000 Federal Aid	\$123,712

Appropriation	Increase
Account 500010 Part-Time Wages	\$19,422
Account 501000 Overtime	\$36,054
Account 502000 Fringe Benefits	\$ 7,653
Account 510100 Travel	\$ 3,412
Account 516020 Professional Services Contracts	\$36,993
Account 561410 Lab & Tech Equipment	<u>\$20,178</u>
 Total Appropriation	 \$123,712

and be it further

RESOLVED, that authorization is hereby provided to contract with Mark Shaw, 5519 Hallmark Lane, Lockport, New York, 14094 a qualified firearms examiner consultant, in the amount of \$36,993 (\$28.50 per hour) to provide forensic laboratory testing services in firearms related cases; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Budget and Management is hereby authorized to establish and adjust budgets as required to comply with Federal-approved funding levels; and be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Erie County Executive, the Division of Budget and Management, the Office of the Comptroller and the Department of Central Police Services, c/o Kathy Gumulak, 45 Elm Street, Buffalo, NY 14203.
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- 3. COMM. 2E-14 (2011)
COUNTY EXECUTIVE
WHEREAS, the Department of Central Police Services issued a request for proposal (RFP) to replace E9-1-1 equipment located in Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPSs) throughout Erie County; and

WHEREAS, the current equipment was installed in 1986 and is no longer supported by its manufacturer, Plant Equipment; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the County of Erie, Department of Central Police Services, to replace the E9-1-1 equipment with a system that is Next Generation 9-1-1 (NG9-1-1) ready; and

WHEREAS, three (3) proposals were submitted by various NG9-1-1 integrators on February 26, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the proposal submitted by Verizon Business Network Services Inc., on behalf of Verizon Select Services Inc. (Verizon Business) supplying a Positron/Intrado Solution was deemed to be the best overall to provide NG9-1-1 ready service to the citizens of Erie County by the selection committee; and

WHEREAS, the RFP, evaluation of responses and selection procedure were done in accordance with Section 19.08 of the Erie County Administrative Code; and

WHEREAS, Verizon acknowledges that funding for the complete project will be phased in over several years, the first phase of the project will be in the amount of \$1,600,000 to be derived from available funds in capital project A.21001, future year funding will be obtained from Homeland security grants; and

WHEREAS, the regularly occurring E-911 fees, currently collected by the County, will not be utilized for this project for they will remain dedicated to help offset the annual operating costs of the E-911 system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that authorization is hereby provided to enter into an agreement with Verizon Business, 325 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14202, for the installation, configuration and maintenance of a 5 year Next-Generation ready 9-1-1 system for all the Erie County PSAPs, in an amount not to exceed \$8,250,000 for the full project, and with the understanding that the first phase of the project will be in the amount of \$1,600,000, with future implementation subject to the availability of Federal Homeland Security funds; and be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution are forwarded to the County Executive, Director of Budget and Management, Office of the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Emergency Services and the Commissioner of Central Police Services, care of Kathleen Gumulak, 45 Elm Street, Buffalo, New York 14203.

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4. COMM. 2E-16 (2011)

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RESOLVED, the Erie County Legislature hereby confirms the appointment of the following individual to the Erie County Community Corrections Advisory Board:

Mr. Charles Culhane
376 Urban Street
Apt. No. 201
Buffalo, NY 14211

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5. COMM. 2M-3 (2011)

DIRECTOR PRISONERS ARE PEOPLE TOO

RESOLVED, the Erie County Legislature hereby confirms the appointment of the following individual to the Erie County Community Corrections Advisory Board:

Rev. Eugene L. Pierce
68 West Toulon Drive
Cheektowaga, NY 14227

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**CHRISTINA W. BOVE
CHAIR**