

June 14, 2012

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE  
REPORT NO. 8

ALL MEMBERS PRESENT.

1. COMM. 11E-12 (2012)  
**COUNTY EXECUTIVE**

WHEREAS, the Department of Homeland Security through the NYS Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Services has agreed to provide funding in the amount of \$940,095 in federal assistance through the FY 10 Interoperable Emergency Communications Grant Program to continue the implementation of a program to enhance the ability of Erie County to manage emergency and disaster situations; and

WHEREAS, a Request for Proposals for an interoperable communications consultant was issued in March 2012 and reviewed in compliance with Section 1908 of the Erie County Administrative Code which resulted in (6) six submissions which are available for public inspection during regular business hours; and

WHEREAS, a committee appointed by the Commissioner of Emergency Services reviewed said proposals and has recommended that the contract be awarded to Federal Engineering Inc.;

WHEREAS, the contract with Federal Engineering Inc., will provide interoperable communications consulting as required by the terms of agreement and grant; and

WHEREAS, the contract will be managed by the Erie County Department of Emergency Services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature does hereby authorize the County Executive to enter into contract with Federal Engineering Inc. for the purpose of providing interoperable communications consulting in an amount of \$148,055.00 from currently available IECGP 2010 funds, account 516020 grant HS167IECGP1013; and be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution be sent to the County Executive's Office, the Division of Budget and Management, the Department of Personnel, the Department of Emergency Services c/o Melissa Calhoun, the County Comptroller, and the County Attorney.  
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**TIMOTHY R. HOGUES**  
**CHAIR**