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October 16, 2018

The Honorable Erie County Legislature 92 Franklin Street Buffalo, New York 14202

Re: Access Agreement

Honorable Members:

The attached proposed resolution seeks authorization for the Erie County Executive and the Erie County Sheriff's Office to enter into an agreement allowing access to county property and Sheriff's vehicles.

Representatives of the Erie County Sheriff's Office will be available to answer any questions.

Very truly yours,

TIMOTHY B. HOWARD SHERIFF OF ERIE COUNTY

Attachments

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ACCOMPANYING MEMORANDUM

Re: Access Agreement

I. Summary of Recommended Action

The attached resolution requests authorization from the Erie County Legislature enter into an agreement which grants access to county facilities and Sheriff's vehicles.

II. Fiscal Implications of Proposal

There is no impact on county tax dollars.

III. Reasons for Recommendation

The County Legislature must grant authorization for the county and independently elected officials to enter into agreements.

IV. Consequence of Negative Action

Access for documentary company would be denied.

V. <u>Steps Following Approval of Measure</u>

Certified copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to the County Executive, County Attorney, and the Erie County Sheriff's Office.

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION

Re: Access Agreement

WHEREAS, the Erie County Sheriff's has been negotiations with a production company to grant access to specific units of the Erie County Sheriff's Office for a law enforcement documentary; and

WHEREAS, the term of the agreement is one year from signing (2018-2019) with an option to extend the agreement through 2020; and

WHEREAS, the parties have agreed on language of the contract and the county attorney has reviewed the contract.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature does hereby authorize the Erie County Executive and the Erie County Sheriff's Office to enter into an access agreement with Big Fish Entertainment LLC for the term of one year with an option to extend an additional year; and be it further

RESOLVED, certified copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to the County Executive, County Attorney, and the Erie County Sheriff's Office.