

May 21, 2015

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
REPORT NO. 6

ALL MEMBERS PRESENT.
CHAIR MILLS PRESENT AS EX-OFFICIO MEMBER.

- 1. RESOLVED, the following items are hereby received and filed:
 - a. COMM. 10M-10 (2015)
THOMAS CHMIELOWIEC SR: “Letter Regarding Fireman's Association State of New York Grant”
(6-0)
 - b. COMM. 10M-11 (2015)
TAMI SEAMAN: “Letter Regarding the Sparkling Device Law”
(6-0)
- 2. COMM. 3E-9 (2015)
COUNTY EXECUTIVE AS AMENDED

WHEREAS, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) has expressed a desire to work with Erie County to make Erie County's Sheriff’s Office Firing Range in Alden, New York the premier shooting range in Western New York which was approved in a resolution dated July 24, 2014, and

WHEREAS, the Erie County Sheriff’s Office, in collaboration with the Erie County Department of Public Works, has worked with the FBI to define the improvements that are required to upgrade the shooting range, and

WHEREAS, the FBI as agreed to spend over \$1.5 million on the shooting range site improvements including a new classroom building and a prefabricated control tower and no funds will be required of Erie County, and

WHEREAS, the FBI has used TRS Range Services for many of their range projects and has requested that TRS Range Services perform the work in Erie County, and

WHEREAS, in a resolution dated February 6, 2014, the Erie County Legislature authorized the use of TRS Range Services for the preliminary study for the site work on the shooting range, and

WHEREAS, the FBI has awarded the range site work to TRS Range Services through their competitive Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity contract, and

WHEREAS, the FBI is willing to allocate another \$850,000 to Erie County for the construction of a Live Fire Shoot House on the same site, and

WHEREAS, the FBI has asked Erie County to take the lead role in the construction of the Live Fire Shoot House, and

WHEREAS, TRS Range Services has authorized Foit-Albert Associates to design the site improvements and classroom building at the Erie County Shooting range, and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works has deemed Foit-Albert Associates as the best qualified firm for the design of the Live Fire Shoot House, and

WHEREAS, your Honorable Body has previously authorized the County Executive to enter into a General Architectural/Engineering Services Agreement with Foit-Albert Associates for providing Professional Design Services on Erie County Projects, and

WHEREAS, due to space constraints and similarity between the exterior shell of the Live Fire Shoot House and the classroom building, it would be both cost efficient and time efficient to have one contractor on the site constructing all the improvements for the Erie County Firing Range, and

WHEREAS, due to the nature of these projects, their use and location, it is not possible to meet all the requirements of LEED Silver, and

WHEREAS, federal revenue for this project, in the amount of \$850,000 has already been received and recorded in the 2014 Sheriffs Firing Range Capital Project (A.14076),

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that authorization is provided to the Director of Budget and Management to increase the budget of the 2014 Sheriff’s Firing Range, Capital Project A.14076 by \$850,000 of federal revenue; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature authorizes the County Executive to enter into an agreement with TRS Range Services to award of the construction of the Live Fire Shoot House in the amount not to exceed \$780,000; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature authorizes the County Executive to enter into a contract with Foit-Albert Associates to design the Live Fire Shoot House at a cost not to exceed \$70,000; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature authorizes the requirement of LEED Silver be waived for the projects to be undertaken at the Erie County Shooting Range due to the nature of the buildings on the shooting range; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature requests that every effort be made to include those items which practically can be included from the LEED Silver check list; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Comptroller's Office is hereby authorized to make payment for all of the above from SAP Account A.14076- Sheriff's Firing Range for an amount not to exceed \$850,000.00.
(6-0)

3. COMM. 10E-28 (2015)
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

WHEREAS, the Department of Emergency Services purchased a 2006 Haulin traffic incident management trailer out of FY 2005 State Homeland Security Program (SHSP) Grant funds; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Emergency Services has purchased a new traffic incident management trailer out of homeland security funds (FY 11 SHSP); and

WHEREAS, the Elma CERT team does not have a trailer to put their Citizen Preparedness equipment in and Emergency Services would like to transfer the Haulin 2006, traffic incident management trailer to them; and

WHEREAS, the Elma CERT team agrees to take over the maintenance and repairs needed to the trailer; and

WHEREAS, because this is a homeland security purchase, the Elma CERT team agrees if Emergency Services is audited on the FY 2005 State Homeland Security Grant they will allow the auditors access to the trailer for auditing purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature authorizes the transfer of the 2006 Haulin, VIN number 5NHUHAV207W048242, traffic incident management trailer to the Elma CERT Team; 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 Emergency Services c/o Melissa Calhoun, the County Comptroller, and the County Attorney.

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4. COMM. 10E-29 (2015)
SHERIFF AS AMENDED

WHEREAS, procedures have been established by Resolution #Int. 23-3 adopted on December 1, 1994; and

WHEREAS, the Erie County Sheriff's Office is in need of additional funds for canine related expenses, upgrade of mandatory canine housing units and equipment, additional badges for new employees, computer accessories to increase the digital storage of Professional Standards Division's files and vehicle GPS and monitoring devices; and

WHEREAS, there will be no impact on county tax dollars with the appropriation of these funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that \$43,400 in available balances in the Asset Forfeiture Trust Fund is hereby transferred to the Erie County Sheriff's Office Asset Forfeiture Funded Program SAFS; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the following budgetary transactions are hereby authorized:

ERIE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
ASSET FORFEITURE FUNDED PROGRAM SAFS

REVENUE		
421550	Forfeiture Crime Proceeds	\$ 43,400
	Total Revenue	\$ 43,400

APPROPRIATION		Increase
530000	Canine and Supplies	\$ 15,000.00
505200	Official Uniform Badges	\$ 2,000.00
561410	PSD Digital Storage Accessories	\$ 2,000.00
506200	AVL	\$ 24,400.00
	Total Appropriations	\$ 43,400.00

and be it further

RESOLVED, that these expenditures meet the criteria established by the U.S. Department of Justice for the use of equitable shared funds; and be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies be forwarded to the Division of Budget and Management, the Erie County Comptroller, the Division of Purchase and the Chief of Administration of the Sheriff for implementation.
(6-0)

5. COMM. 10E-30 (2015)
SHERIFF AS AMENDED

WHEREAS, the Jail Management Division finds it necessary to make certain purchases for the safe and efficient operation of the Erie County Holding Center and Erie County Correctional Facility, and

WHEREAS, vehicles utilized to transport individuals in the Sheriff’s custody are in need of computers and mounting brackets, vehicle GPS and monitoring devices, visiting area safety barriers, comfort improvements and K9 training, and

WHEREAS, these devices, training evolutions and other items are important for the safety and security of Deputies, inmates and visitors to the Erie County Holding Center and Erie County Correctional Facility, and

WHEREAS, necessary funds exist within the Jail Phone Revenue Trust account, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Communication 6E-24 approved by your Body on May 9, 2013, the County Executive and the Sheriff jointly agree that available telephone revenue should be utilized for these purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Division of Budget and Management is hereby authorized to transfer \$154,960.00 from the Jail Phone Revenue Trust Account to the Jail Phone Revenue Account (#415622) and increase the following accounts within the Jail Management Division:

JAIL PHONE REVENUE ACCOUNT

APPROPRIATION		Increase
506200	AVL	\$ 11,600.00
561410	Computers	\$ 34,960.00
506200	Mounting Brackets	\$ 4,200.00
530000	Canines and Supplies	\$ 45,000.00
506200	Visiting Areas	\$ 50,000.00
561420	Visiting Area Chairs	\$ 30,000.00
510100	K9 Training & Travel	\$ 12,000.00

506200	AVL Installation	<u>\$ 2,200.00</u>
	Total Appropriations	\$ 189,960.00

and; be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Erie County Sheriff's Chief of Administration, the County Executive, the Division of Budget and Management and the Office of Comptroller.
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EDWARD A. RATH, III
CHAIR