

**Authorizing The Chair Of The Ulster County Legislature To Execute An Agreement With The City Of Kingston To Provide Law Enforcement Support For The Anti-Violence Effort Response Team (AVERT) And Opioid Awareness As County Law Enforcement Team (ORACLE) Programs – Department Of Mental Health**

Referred to: The Law Enforcement and Public Safety Committee (Chairwoman Hansut and Legislators Bowen, Fabiano, Hewitt, and Lopez), The Health, Human Services and Housing Committee (Chairman Uchitelle and Legislators Corcoran, Erner, Lopez, Nolan, Petit, and Stewart), and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gavaris and Legislators Cahill, Criswell, Roberts, and Ronk)

Chairman of the Health, Human Services and Housing Committee, Abe Uchitelle, and Deputy Chair Craig V. Lopez offer the following:

WHEREAS, this resolution has been submitted at the request of the County Executive on behalf of the Ulster County Department of Mental Health; and

WHEREAS, New York State's General Municipal Law Article 5-G, and Section A3-4 (Y) of the Ulster County Administrative Code provide that the Chair of the Ulster County Legislature, when supported by a resolution, can enter an inter-municipal agreement on behalf of the County of Ulster; and

WHEREAS, the Ulster County Department of Mental Health is requesting that the Chair of the Ulster County Legislature be authorized to execute an agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the City of Kingston, to provide law enforcement support for the AVERT and ORACLE programs utilizing Opioid Settlement Regional Abatement Funding through the NYS Office of Addiction and Support Service (OASAS) in the amount of \$67,734; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, the Chair of the Ulster County Legislature is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the City of Kingston, to provide law enforcement support for the AVERT and ORACLE programs utilizing Opioid Settlement Regional Abatement Funding through the NYS Office of Addiction and Support Service (OASAS) in the amount of \$67,734 for the term January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024, in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature, or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney,

and moves its adoption.

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ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 21            NOES: 1  
(Noes: Legislator Erner)  
(Absent: Legislator Stewart)

Passed Committee: Law Enforcement and Public Safety on December 7, 2023

Passed Committee: Health, Human Services and Housing on December 11, 2023

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on December 12, 2023

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$ 67,734.00 - BUDGETED 2024 STATE REVENUE DOLLARS

\$ 67,734.00 - BUDGETED 2024 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

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STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF ULSTER

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the original resolution adopted by the Ulster County Legislature on the 18<sup>th</sup> Day of December in the year Two Thousand Twenty-Three, and said resolution shall remain on file in the office of said clerk.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of December in the year Two Thousand Twenty-Three.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella  
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk  
Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this  
22<sup>nd</sup> Day of December 2023.

Approved by the County Executive this  
26<sup>th</sup> Day of December 2023.

[s] Victoria A. Fabella  
Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk  
Ulster County Legislature

[s] Jen Metzger  
Jen Metzger, County Executive