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RENEW AND AMEND
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RESOLUTION NO. 60-26

Amend Capital Project Accounts—Jamestown Community College

By Administrative Services and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, in previous budgets, Chautauqua County approved a number of capital projects for Jamestown Community College; and

WHEREAS, the funding needs for an approved project exceed original estimates and an increase of funding is needed before a bid can be awarded; and

WHEREAS, the funding needs for another approved project are less than original estimates; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance is authorized and directed to make the following amendments to the 2026 Capital Budget:

INCREASE CAPITAL APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

HH.992490.00011.4	Contractual-Community College Tuition- Infrastructure Repairs (2021)	\$115,000 \$28,750
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INCREASE CAPITAL REVENUE ACCOUNT:

HH.992490.00011.R503.1000	Interfund Transfer-Interfund Transfer	\$115,000 \$28,750
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DECREASE CAPITAL APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

HH.992490.00002.4	Contractual-Community College Tuition-Roofs (2020)	\$115,000 \$28,750
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DECREASE CAPITAL REVENUE ACCOUNT:

HH.992490.00002.R503.1000	Interfund Transfer-Interfund Transfer	\$115,000 \$28,750
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*(Resolution No. 60-26 Originally Adopted – February 25, 2026 – Unanimously Adopted)
(Potential changes to be amended at the May 27, 2026 Legislature meeting indicated by
strikethrough and bolded text)*

RES. NO. 137-26

Confirm Appointment – Chautauqua County Landfill Commission

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. has submitted the following appointment to the Chautauqua County Legislature for action; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Chautauqua County Legislature hereby confirms the following appointment to the Chautauqua County Landfill Commission.

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Gregory Gormley
143 E. Main St.
Sherman, N.Y. 14781
Term Expires 12/31/28
New Appointment
(Replacing James Van Volkenburg – Community Hosting a Transfer Station)
Signed: Heiser, Nelson, Whitney, Anthony, Scudder

RES. NO. 138-26
Appointment to the Chautauqua County
Agricultural & Farmland Protection Board

By Planning and Economic Development Committee:
At the Request of Chairman Pierre Chagnon:

WHEREAS, Legislature Chairman Pierre Chagnon, has submitted the following appointment for action by the Chautauqua County Legislature; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature does hereby confirm the following appointment to the Chautauqua County Agricultural & Farmland Protection Board for terms in accordance with Article 25-AA Section 302 of the New York State Agriculture & Markets Law:

Gregory White
Cornell Cooperative Extension
9168 Route 474
Clymer, New York 14724
Town of French Creek
Term Expires: 12-31-2028
(New Appointment – Replacing Katelyn Walley-Stoll resigned 4/16/2026)
Signed: Harmon, Merritt, Johnson, DeJoy, Penhollow

RES. NO. 139-26
Amend 2026 Capital Budget South &
Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts

By Public Facilities and Audit & Control Committees:
At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the South & Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts (the “District”) is making needed improvements to the District; and

WHEREAS, the District wishes to purchase two automated bar screens for the Lakewood pump station; and

WHEREAS, the bid cost of these screens totals \$192,000; and

WHEREAS, the District has sufficient Fund Balance to cover the costs of the screens; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that fund balance is appropriated as follows:

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INCREASE THE USE OF FUND BALANCE:

ESS.-----924.0000 Net Assets - Unrestricted (Deficit) \$192,000

; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2026 Capital Budget:

ESTABLISH AND INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

ESS.8130.27009.4 Contractual - Lkwd Pump Station Bar Scrn(2026) \$192,000

~~ESTABLISH AND INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:~~

~~ESS.8130.27009.R503.1000 Interfund Transfer Interfund Transfer \$192,000~~

~~(5/18/26 P.F. – Typo Correction shown by strikethrough)~~

Signed: Heiser, Pavlock, Nelson, Whitney, Anthony, Scudder, Johnson

RES. NO. 140-26

Amend 2026 Capital Budget for the Replacement of Fire-Destroyed
Equipment DPF – Road Machinery

By Public Facilities and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the DPF – Road Machinery department had an instance where a plow truck was destroyed by fire; and

WHEREAS, DPF - Road Machinery received an insurance claim payment due to this loss totaling \$207,340.00 in March 2026; and

WHEREAS, the full balance of \$207,340 from this insurance recovery may be applied toward the replacement of the plow truck destroyed by fire; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2026 Capital Budget:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

HH.255130.626.4 Contractual - DPF Large Equipment (Annual) \$207,340

INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

HH.255130.626.R268.0000 Sale of Property/Compensa-Insurance Recoveries \$207,340

Signed: Heiser, Pavlock, Nelson, Whitney, Anthony, Scudder, Johnson

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RES. NO. 141-26

Amend 2026 Budget for ARPA Capital Projects

By Administrative Services and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, some ARPA Capital projects have remaining balances that need to be rolled into the 2026 Budget for completion; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2026 Adopted Budget:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

A.9950.----.9 Interfund Transfers – Transfer to Capital \$600,558

INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

A.9950.----.R408.9ARP Federal Aid – Oth Fed Aid ARPA Funds \$600,558

Signed: Scudder, Pavlock, Heiser, Anthony, Buchanan, Johnson, Nelson

RES. NO. 142-26

Amend 2026 Budget for the Navigation/Snowmobile
Department – Office of the Sheriff

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, some Office of the Sheriff departmental appropriations will exceed initial budgetary estimates but will be covered partially by the Snowmobile Law Enforcement State Aid Program; and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Sheriff is requesting to amend the 2026 Adopted Budget to accommodate the appropriations and revenue that will exceed initial budgetary estimates; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2026 Adopted Budget:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

A.3189.3111.2 Equipment – Navigation/Snowmobile \$11,121

DECREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

A.3189.3111.4 Contractual – Navigation/Snowmobile \$131

INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

~~A.3189.R331.7000~~

A.3189.3111.R331.7000 New York State Aid – Snowmobile Law Enforcement \$10,990
(5/20/26 PS – Typo Correction shown by strikethrough and new text in bold)

Signed: Bankoski, Merritt, Larson, Gustafson, Proctor, Johnson, Anthony, Scudder, Pavlock, Nelson

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RES. NO. 143-26
Amend 2025 Budget for Year End Reconciliation – Department
of Mental Hygiene and Social Services

By Human Services and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, some Department of Mental Hygiene and Social Services departmental expenditures have exceeded initial budgetary estimates; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the A Fund Balance is appropriated as follows:

INCREASE USE OF FUND BALANCE:

A.----.----.917.0000 Unassigned Fund Balance--Unassigned Fund Balance \$6,160

;and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2025 Adopted Budget:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

A.6010.----.4 Contractual – Social Services Admin \$6,160
Signed: Proctor, Harmon, Gustafson, Lewis, Johnson, Anthony, Scudder, Pavlock, Nelson

RES. NO. 144-26
Authorizing Extension of Lease Agreement for Department of
Planning & Development at the BWB Center in Jamestown

By Public Facilities, Planning and Economic Development and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Department of Planning & Development ("CCDPD") and the Chautauqua County Industrial Development Agency ("CCIDA") have shared office space for many years; and

WHEREAS, the County has leased space from the CCIDA for such office space at the BWB Center in Jamestown, NY for more than 10 years; and

WHEREAS, the County desires to extend the lease agreement for an additional 24 months upon the terms and conditions provided below; and

WHEREAS, the expenses associated with this contract are included in the 2026 Adopted Budget so no amendment is needed; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is hereby authorized and empowered to execute an extension of a lease agreement with the County of Chautauqua Industrial Development Agency for office space in the BWB Center on the following terms and conditions:

1. Premises: 1,900 square feet on the first floor of the BWB Center, 201 West Third Street, Jamestown, New York.
2. Rent: At \$6.58 a square foot, an annual sum not to exceed \$12,000.00 to be paid monthly at a rate of \$1,000 per month beginning in April 2026.

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3. Utilities: Landlord to pay utilities.
4. Term: Twenty-four (24) months commencing April 1, 2026 and terminating on March 31, 2028, subject to termination by prior notice.
5. Other: As negotiated by County Executive.

Signed: Heiser, DeJoy, Pavlock, Penhollow, Harmon, Nelson, Whitney, Anthony, Scudder, Merritt, Johnson

RES. NO. 145-26

Authorize Ground and Taxiway Lease with Baron North G58 LLC, a
Subsidiary of Accent Stripe at Chautauqua County Dunkirk Airport

By Public Facilities and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the County owns and operates the Chautauqua County Dunkirk Airport in the Town of Sheridan in a manner that provides services and facilities on a non-exclusive basis for the general use of the public and to enhance current and future economic development in the County; and

WHEREAS, Accent Stripe has leased ground space and a taxiway at Dunkirk Airport from Chautauqua County since 1996 and has indicated their desire to continue with the lease through their subsidiary Baron North G58 LLC; and

WHEREAS, the annual lease payments are due no later than the 15th of January each year per contract 96-45-07; and

WHEREAS, the payment for the year 2026 has been duly received so an amendment is not needed; and

WHEREAS, the Airport Commission has considered and recommends leasing the ground space and taxiway at Dunkirk Airport to Baron North G58 LLC, a subsidiary of Accent Stripe; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to execute a Ground and Taxiway Lease with Baron North G58 LLC, a subsidiary of Accent Stripe at Chautauqua County Dunkirk Airport upon substantially the following proposed terms and conditions:

1. Term. Five (5) years commencing on June 1, 2026, and terminating on May 31, 3031. Tenant may renew this lease for two (2) additional five (5) year periods.
2. Premises. Approximately one (1) acre of real property at the Dunkirk Airport in the Town of Sheridan, County of Chautauqua, New York, as specified in the lease.
3. Payment. Tenant shall pay County Two-Thousand (\$2,000) annually with a 3% increase each year.
4. Other. As negotiated by the County Executive.

Signed: Heiser, Pavlock, Nelson, Whitney, Anthony, Scudder, Johnson

RES. NO. 146-26
Authorizing a Utility Work Agreement with NYS DOT

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT) is rehabilitating a portion of New York State Route 394, Fairmount Avenue in the County of Chautauqua, extending from Elmcrest Avenue to the Jamestown western corporate limit, PIN 5064.39, D265798 (the Project); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10, Subdivision 24 of the State Highway Law, NYSDOT includes as part of their capital projects, adjustments to municipally owned facilities as shown on contract plans and satisfying the requirements of the municipality, at the expense of NYSDOT; and

WHEREAS, the South Chautauqua Lake Sewer District (District) owns manholes situated within the highway right-of-way where the Project will be constructed; and

WHEREAS, the Project will involve a change to the height of the pavement, necessitating a change to the height of the District's manholes; and

WHEREAS, at its meeting on May 7, 2026, the District Board, which serves as the administrative head of the District, approved NYSDOT's Project proposal with respect to the District's manholes; and

WHEREAS, NYSDOT's adjustment of the manholes will not alter the service life of the manholes; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Legislature approves of the adjustment to the District's manholes by NYSDOT, at NYSDOT expense; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County will operate, and maintain or cause to be maintained at County expense, the manholes as modified by NYSDOT; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with NYSDOT for the adjustment of the District's facilities by NYSDOT at NYSDOT's expense, and to sign all documentation that may be necessary as a result of this project as it relates to the District's manholes; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Legislature is hereby directed to transmit two (2) certified copies of this Resolution to NYSDOT through its Regional Utility Unit, NYSDOT – Region 5, 100 Seneca Street, Buffalo, New York 14203.

Signed: Heiser, Nelson, Whitney, Anthony, Scudder

RES. NO. 147-26
Authorize Supplemental Agreement with the Federal Aviation Administration to Construct, Operate, and Maintain Navigational Aids at the Chautauqua County Jamestown Airport

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the County owns and operates the Chautauqua County Jamestown Airport in the Town of Ellicott in a manner that provides services and facilities on a non-exclusive basis for the general use of the public and to enhance the current and future economic development of the County; and

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WHEREAS, the Federal Aviation Administration has a current agreement with the County for the Navigational Aids that expires September 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Aviation Administration would like to renew said agreement for an additional 20 years through Supplemental Agreement No. 1 to FAA Contract No. DTFAEA-07-L-00065; and

WHEREAS, this agreement has no monetary value so a budgetary amendment is not needed; and

WHEREAS, the Airport Commission has considered and recommends Authorizing a Supplemental Agreement between Chautauqua County and the Federal Aviation Administration commencing on October 1, 2026, and continuing through September 30, 2046; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to execute a supplemental agreement with the Federal Aviation Administration to construct, operate, and maintain Navigational Aids at the Chautauqua County Jamestown Airport upon substantially the following proposed terms and conditions:

1. Term. Twenty years commencing on October 1, 2026 and terminating on September 30, 2046 with the option to negotiate renewal at the end of the term.
 2. Premises. The Airport will allow the FAA to construct, operate, and maintain FAA owned navigation, communication, and weather aid facilities in areas on the Airport that have been mutually determined and agreed upon.
 3. Payment. This agreement between the County and the Federal Aviation Administration has no monetary value.
 4. Other. As negotiated by the County Executive.
- Signed: Heiser, Nelson, Whitney, Anthony, Scudder

RES. NO. 148-26

Authorize Agreement Between Chautauqua County and Schultz Airshows, LLC for Air Boss Services for the 2027 Chautauqua County Airshow at Chautauqua County Jamestown Airport

By Public Facilities and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the County owns and operates the Chautauqua County Jamestown Airport in the Town of Ellicott in a manner that provides services and facilities on a non-exclusive basis for the general use of the public and to enhance current and future economic development in the County; and

WHEREAS, Schultz Airshows, LLC has submitted a Proposal in response to the County's RFP (Request for Proposals) process and the County has selected this vendor for Air Boss services for the 2027 Chautauqua County Airshow at Chautauqua County Jamestown Airport; and

WHEREAS, the Airport Commission has considered and recommends entering into an agreement with Schultz Airshows, LLC; and

WHEREAS, funds associated with this agreement have previously been added to the 2026 Budget so an amendment is not needed at this time; now, therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to execute an agreement with Schultz Airshows, LLC for Air Boss services for the 2027 Chautauqua County Airshow at Chautauqua County Jamestown Airport upon substantially the following proposed terms and conditions:

1. Term. Commencing June 1, 2026 and terminating December 31, 2027.
2. Payment. County Shall pay Schultz Airshows, LLC a total of no more than \$18,000 for services rendered.
3. Other. As negotiated by the County Executive.

Signed: Heiser, Pavlock, Nelson, Whitney, Anthony, Scudder, Johnson

RES. NO. 149-26
Authorize Agreement with the Village of
Mayville to Provide Election Training Facilities

By Administrative Services Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, New York State Law requires annual training of election inspectors and poll clerks; and

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Board of Elections oversees election inspectors and poll clerks for primary, general, and special elections in Chautauqua County; and

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Board of Elections facilitates annual training for such election inspectors and poll clerks, in accordance with New York Election Law Section 3-412; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Mayville's Carlson Community Center has appropriate facilities for such purpose and has offered to provide the use of its facilities for a three-year period at no charge; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute an agreement with the Village of Mayville to provide the Carlson Community Center as a facility for training and education of poll workers and election staff as required by law.

Signed: Scudder, Heiser, Anthony, Buchanan

RES. NO. 150-26
Authorize Agreement with BOCES CHAUT-CATT ERIE II
Fredonia to Provide Election Training Facilities

By Administrative Services Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, New York State Law requires annual training of election inspectors and poll clerks; and

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Board of Elections oversees election inspectors and poll clerks for primary, general, and special elections in Chautauqua County; and

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Board of Elections facilitates annual training for such election inspectors and poll clerks, in accordance with New York Election Law Section 3-412; and

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WHEREAS, BOCES CHAUT-CATT ERIE II Fredonia has appropriate facilities for such purpose and has offered to provide the use of its facilities for a three-year period at no charge; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute an agreement with BOCES CHAUT-CATT ERIE II Fredonia to provide facilities for training and education of poll workers and election staff as required by law.

Signed: Scudder, Heiser, Anthony, Buchanan

RES. NO. 151-26

Authorize Agreement with Jamestown Community
College to Provide Election Training Facilities

By Administrative Services Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, New York State Law requires annual training of election inspectors and poll clerks; and

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Board of Elections oversees election inspectors and poll clerks for primary, general, and special elections in Chautauqua County; and

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Board of Elections facilitates annual training for such election inspectors and poll clerks, in accordance with New York Election Law Section 3-412; and

WHEREAS, Jamestown Community College has appropriate facilities for such purpose and has offered to provide the use of its facilities for a three-year period at no charge; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute an agreement with Jamestown Community College to provide facilities for training and education of poll workers and election staff as required by law.

Signed: Scudder, Vanstrom, Heiser, Anthony, Buchanan

RES. NO. 152-26

Authorize Acceptance of Criminal Justice Discovery
and Bail Reform Funding FY 2025-2026

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the New York State Legislature passed Discovery and Bail Reform legislation in 2020 under Criminal Procedure Law (CPL) Chapter 11-A, Part 2, Title J, Article 245 (Legislation), which Legislation requires prosecutors to share evidence in their possession soon after arraignment and well in advance of trial; and

WHEREAS, the Legislation, which affords defendants the opportunity to review evidence prior to pleading guilty, requires prosecutors to share names and contact information of victims and witnesses to the defense, but also provides for the ability to protect victims and witnesses from intimidation and coercion; and

WHEREAS, Bail Reform eliminated bail for many non-violent and low-level offenses to reduce the number of people held in jail prior to trial; and

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WHEREAS, the Discovery and Bail Reform laws were enacted on January 1, 2020, resulting in increased expenses for District Attorney’s offices, Probation Departments and law enforcement agencies statewide to implement these laws; and

WHEREAS, the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) has again awarded each county outside of New York City a sum of money to be used to offset the increased expenses associated with implementing the Discovery and Bail Reform laws, with the award amount determined according to each County’s average criminal court arraignments; and

WHEREAS, Chautauqua County has been awarded a total of \$1,068,942 to be shared between the District Attorney’s office, Probation Department, Sheriff’s Office and local police agencies in the County to assist with Discovery and Bail Reform, with priority given to the District Attorney and police agencies; and

WHEREAS, upon completion of the DCJS Discovery Reform Funding Plan by the County and approval of the plan by DCJS, the County will receive the entire award in one payment; and

WHEREAS, Funds can be used until they are spent in their entirety, with no specified end date; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the effective implementation of the Criminal Justice Discovery Reform funding for Chautauqua County to enter into contracts and agreements with the Probation Department, Chautauqua County Sheriff’s Office and the following police agencies: Village of Fredonia, Village of Westfield, Village of Lakewood/Busti, Town of Ellicott, City of Dunkirk and City of Jamestown Police Departments; and

WHEREAS, the funding for such contracts and agreements will be derived from the sum of the total award, all of which total of ~~\$297,000~~ **\$307,039**; and

WHEREAS, the expense and revenue for these police contracts and equipment was not included in the 2026 Adopted Budget for the District Attorney; and

WHEREAS, the revenue was not included in the 2026 Adopted Budget for the Probation Department and Sheriff’s Office; and

WHEREAS, the revenue will be included in the 2027, 2028, and 2029 Budgets for the District Attorney; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, the Chautauqua County Legislature accepts the total award and authorizes the County Executive to execute the Criminal Justice Discovery Reform Funding contract and associated documents for the grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for a total of \$1,068,942; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is hereby authorized and empowered to execute contracts and agreements between and among the District Attorney’s office and the Chautauqua County Probation Department, the Chautauqua County Sheriff’s Department and the municipal police departments in Chautauqua County identified above for the purposes of implementing the Criminal Justice Discovery Reform Funding; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2026 Adopted Budget:

District Attorney:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS:

A.1165.----.3 2	Equipment - District Attorney	\$10,039
A.1165.----.4	Contractual - District Attorney	<u>\$223,000</u>
	Total	\$233,039

INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

A.1165.----.R308.9000	New York State Aid-OTH STATE AID	\$233,039
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Probation:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

A.3140.----.4 Contractual - Probation \$34,000

INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

New York State Aid-OTH PUBLIC SAFETY SUPERVISION
A.3140.----.R158.9000 FEES \$34,000

Sheriff's Office:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

A.3110.GRNT.2 Equipment - Sheriff - Grants \$40,000

INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

A.3110.GRNT.R338.9000 New York State Aid-OTHER PUBLIC SAFETY \$40,000
(5/20/26 PS – Typo Correction shown by strikethrough and new text in bold)
Signed: Bankoski, Scudder, Nelson, Johnson, Merritt, Anthony, Larson, Gustafson, Proctor

RES. NO. 153-26

Authorize Acceptance of the Statewide Targeted Reductions to Intimate
Partner Violence (“STRIVE”) Grant funds for 2026-2027

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) has awarded \$970,907 to Chautauqua County through multiple agencies for the Statewide Targeted Response to Intimate Partner Violence (“STRIVE”) initiative; and

WHEREAS, the agencies involved in STRIVE are to reduce intimate partner violence throughout Chautauqua County and more specifically the City of Jamestown and City of Dunkirk; and

WHEREAS, the funded STRIVE partnership consists of the City of Jamestown Police Department, the City of Dunkirk Police Department, the Salvation Army of Jamestown and the Chautauqua County agencies of the District Attorney, Office of the Sheriff and the Probation Department; and

\$209,478

WHEREAS, the City of Jamestown Police Department has been awarded ~~\$290,478~~, the City of Dunkirk Police Department has been awarded \$5,000, and the Salvation Army of Jamestown has been awarded \$156,061 of the total STRIVE funding and will sign and administer a separate contract with New York State DCJS for its portion of said funding; and

WHEREAS, Chautauqua County’s portion of the funds is \$600,368, the agencies will share the remaining funds as follows: \$366,482 to the District Attorney’s Office; \$85,000 to the Chautauqua County Office of the Sheriff; and \$148,886 to the Probation Department; and

WHEREAS, the awards for offices of the District Attorney, Sheriff and Probation have exceeded the amount of funds included in the 2026 Adopted Budget; and

WHEREAS, the offices of the District Attorney, Sheriff and Probation will include the balance to be spent in 2027 in their proposed 2027 Budget; and

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WHEREAS, this program will run from April 1, 2026 through March 31, 2027; now, therefore, it be

RESOLVED, that the County of Chautauqua accepts the grant funds and authorizes the County Executive to execute the STRIVE Grant contracts with the New York State DCJS in the total amount of \$600,368 for the term of April 1, 2026 through March 31, 2027; be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive be authorized to enter into agreements with various government and municipal entities, including but not limited to universities, local school districts, towns, cities and villages, as well as contracted agencies and vendors in furtherance of the purpose of the grant; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2026 Adopted Budget:

District Attorney:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS:

A.1165.----.4	Contractual - District Attorney	\$71,582
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INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

A.1165.----.R308.9000	New York State Aid-OTHER STATE AID	\$71,585
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Probation:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS:

	Personnel Services – Probation	
A.3140.----.1	Personal	\$92,254
A.3140.----.4	Contractual - Probation	\$13,500
A.3140.----.8	Employee Benefits - Probation	<u>\$43,132</u>
	Total	\$148,886

INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

A.3140.----.R308.9000	New York State Aid-OTH STATE AID	\$148,886
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Sheriff's Office:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS:

A.3110.GRNT.1	Personal Services - Sheriff - Grants	\$24,660
A.3110.GRNT.4	Contractual - Sheriff - Grants	<u>\$6,000</u>
	Total	\$30,660

INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

A.3110.GRNT.R338.9000	New York State Aid-OTHER PUBLIC SAFETY (5/20/26 P.S. – Typo Correction shown by strikethrough and new text in bold)	\$30,660
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Signed: Bankoski, Anthony, Scudder, Pavlock, Merritt, Larson, Gustafson, Proctor, Johnson, Nelson

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RES. NO. 154-26

Authorize Execution of New York State Office of Homeland Security
Funding Grant Explosive Detection Canine Team FY 2023

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Office of the Sheriff has received notification that New York State Office of Homeland Security approved the application submitted to the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Services Program grant for the further implementation of the Explosive Detection Canine Team; and

WHEREAS, the State of New York will provide funding for a FY 2023 grant in the amount of \$15,000, with no local funds, for a contract period of April 1, 2026 through August 31, 2027; and

WHEREAS, this grant is included in the 2026 Adopted Budget so no amendment is needed; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is hereby authorized and empowered to execute an agreement to secure the grant funding with the New York State Office of Homeland Security.

Signed: Bankoski, Merritt, Larson, Gustafson, Proctor, Johnson, Anthony, Scudder, Pavlock, Nelson

RES. NO. 155-26

Authorize Execution of New York State Office of Homeland Security
Funding Grant Bomb Squad Initiative Grant Program FY2023

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Office of the Sheriff has received notice that the State of New York Office of Homeland Security approved the application submitted to the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Services Program Grant for the further implementation of the Bomb Squad Initiative; and

WHEREAS, the State of New York will provide funding for a FY 2023 grant in the amount of \$77,500, with no local funds, for a contract period of April 1, 2026 through August 31, 2027; and

WHEREAS, this grant is included in the 2026 Adopted budget so an amendment is not needed; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is hereby authorized and empowered to execute an agreement to secure grant funding with the New York State Office of Homeland Security.

Signed: Bankoski, Merritt, Larson, Gustafson, Proctor, Johnson, Anthony, Scudder, Pavlock, Nelson

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RES. NO. 156-26

Authorize Execution of New York State Office of Homeland Security Funding Grant Bomb Squad Initiative Grant Program FY2024

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Office of the Sheriff has received notice that the State of New York Office of Homeland Security approved the application submitted to the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Services Program Grant for the further implementation of the Bomb Squad Initiative; and

WHEREAS, the State of New York will provide funding for a FY 2024 grant in the amount of \$44,014, with no local funds, for a contract period of April 1, 2026 through August 31, 2027; and

WHEREAS, this grant is included in the 2026 Adopted budget so an amendment is not needed; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is hereby authorized and empowered to execute an agreement to secure grant funding with the New York State Office of Homeland Security.

Signed: Bankoski, Merritt, Larson, Gustafson, Proctor, Johnson, Anthony, Scudder, Pavlock, Nelson

RES. NO. 157-26

Standardization of Cummins ~~20kW~~ Standby, Natural Gas/Propane Genset Generators for the Portland-Pomfret-Dunkirk Sewer District

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, pursuant to New York State General Municipal Law Section 103(5) the County Legislature may determine, for reasons of efficiency or economy, that there is a need for standardization for purchase of a particular type of kind of equipment, materials, supplies or services, enabling the County to draw its specifications so that only a particular specified kind or make of equipment or apparatus will be purchased; and

WHEREAS, a standardization resolution must be adopted by an affirmative vote of at least three-fifths of all members of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, the Portland-Pomfret-Dunkirk Sewer District currently has five Cummins Genset Generators located in their pump stations within the District; and

WHEREAS, the District is budgeting to replace each generator as the current equipment is forty years old; and

WHEREAS, the District Board recommends that the District standardize to Cummins ~~20kW~~ **Natural Gas/Propane Genset Generators** because standardization will result in efficiencies and economies in terms of ease of equipment use, ability to use current generator parts as spare parts for the new generators, and the ability to maintain a single contract for preventative maintenance and repair; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Legislature of the County of Chautauqua finds that, for reasons of efficiency and economy, standardization of Cummins ~~20kW~~ **Natural Gas/Propane Genset Generators**, as described herein, for the Portland-Pomfret-Dunkirk Sewer District, is in the best interest of the District and Chautauqua County; and be it further

RESOLVED, that Cummins ~~20kW~~ **Natural Gas/Propane Genset Standby**, Natural Gas/Propane Genset Generators are hereby the standardized generators for the District.

CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY LEGISLATURE

05/27/2026

(5/18/26 P.F. – Amended by strikethrough and new text in bold)

Signed: Heiser, Nelson, Whitney, Anthony, Scudder

RES. NO. 158-26
Distribution of Mortgage Taxes

By Administrative Services and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the County Legislature of Chautauqua County be and hereby is authorized and directed to compute the amount of Mortgage Tax Monies due to the various municipalities under Section 261 of the Tax Law and to draw the warrant or order on the Director of Finance for the distribution to said municipalities of all monies due pursuant to said act and to do all things required to be done by the Board of Legislators as required by Law:

<u>Town</u>		<u>Village</u>		Total: \$860,447.08
Arkwright	\$7,659.75	Bemus	\$5,044.26	
Busti	\$35,898.44	Point		
Carroll	\$15,626.40	Brocton	\$1,098.34	
Charlotte	\$5,656.77	Cassadaga	\$1,643.07	
Chautauqua	\$88,065.16	Celoron	\$2,760.98	
Cherry Creek	\$7,292.09	Falconer	\$4,508.67	
Clymer	\$10,523.78	Fredonia	\$25,901.27	
Dunkirk	\$21,301.83	Lakewood	\$10,325.02	
Ellery	\$75,903.03	Mayville	\$6,975.43	
Ellicott	\$61,246.83	Panama	\$616.98	
Ellington	\$5,927.54	Sherman	\$1,611.09	
French Creek	\$15,174.29	Silver	\$5,953.93	
Gerry	\$8,243.03	Creek		
Hanover	\$51,039.59	Sinclairville	\$859.89	
Harmony	\$5,265.58	Westfield	<u>\$6,179.04</u>	
Kiantone	\$8,885.44		\$73,477.97	
Mina	\$7,769.75	<u>City</u>		
North Harmony	\$29,546.76	Dunkirk	\$48,564.79	
Poland	\$7,358.61	Jamestown	<u>\$125,936.15</u>	
Pomfret	\$53,069.23		\$174,500.94	
Portland	\$12,123.04			
Ripley	\$17,802.68			
Sheridan	\$15,481.11			
Sherman	\$8,661.88			
Stockton	\$10,338.15			
Villanova	\$9,409.76			
Westfield	<u>\$17,197.65</u>			
	\$612,468.17			

Signed: Scudder, Pavlock, Vanstrom, Heiser, Anthony, Buchanan, Johnson, Nelson

RES. NO. 159-26
Reallocating Salary Grade for Motor Vehicles Administrator

By Administrative Services and Audit & Control Committees:
At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the County Clerk, requested a review of the Motor Vehicles Administrator salary grade; and

WHEREAS, the Human Resources staff reviewed the salary grade and duties currently being performed by Motor Vehicles Administrator position as compared to similar positions in that department; and

WHEREAS, the position of Motor Vehicles Administrator is covered by the terms of the CSEA 6300 Agreement and is allocated to Grade 14 of the CSEA 6300 salary schedule; and

WHEREAS, the Human Resources staff has recommended that the position of Motor Vehicles Administrator be increased three (3) grades on the CSEA 6300 salary schedule; and

WHEREAS, the Reallocation Committee as defined by the CSEA Unit 6300 Collective Bargaining Agreement, comprised of the County Executive, Director of Human Resources, and President of CSEA Unit 6300, met and approved the recommended grade change; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the title of Motor Vehicles Administrator currently allocated to salary grade 14 shall be reallocated to salary grade 17.

2026 CSEA 6300 SALARY SCHEDULE

Grade	Step 1	Step 2	Step 3	Step 4	Step 5	Step 6	Step 7	Step 8	Step 9	Step 10	Step 11
14			25.91	27.01	27.95	28.82	29.79	30.85	31.77	32.73	33.71
17			28.58	29.79	30.85	31.97	33.03	34.23	35.25	36.31	37.39

Signed: Scudder, Vanstrom, Heiser, Anthony, Buchanan, Johnson, Pavlock, Nelson