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**April 11, 2023 - 7:00 PM**

### **LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Invocation
4. Pledge of Allegiance
5. Presentation of Ceremonial Resolutions
6. Presentation of Awards
7. Meeting of the Rules Committee
8. Privilege of the Floor
9. Communications from the Chair

### **REGULAR MEETING AGENDA**

10. Call to Order of Regular Monthly Meeting
11. Roll Call
12. Approval of the Minutes
13. Reports
14. Communications
15. Reports from Standing Committees
16. Certificates and Awards
17. Ceremonial Resolutions
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  - Resolution 53-23 The Committee on Rules (R20) A RESOLUTION CELEBRATING APRIL 9TH – 15TH AS PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK 2023
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24. Resolution 61-23 Legislator Frisoni (CJCA5) A RESOLUTION REGARDING THE ACCEPTANCE OF MONIES FROM THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES FOR THE FUNDING OF INDIGENT LEGAL DEFENSE SERVICES
25. Resolution 62-23 Legislator Frisoni (CJCA6) A RESOLUTION TO CREATE CERTAIN POSITIONS AT THE OFFICE OF THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY
26. Resolution 63-23 Legislator Hughes (EDP3) A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE IMPLEMENTATION, AND FUNDING IN THE FIRST INSTANCE 100% OF THE FEDERAL-AID AND STATE "MARCHISELLI" PROGRAM AID ELIGIBLE COSTS, OF A TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL-AID PROJECT, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFORE
27. Resolution 64-23 Legislator Hughes (EDP4) A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE IMPLEMENTATION, AND FUNDING IN THE FIRST INSTANCE 100% OF THE FEDERAL-AID AND STATE "MARCHISELLI" PROGRAM AID ELIGIBLE COSTS, OF A TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL-AID PROJECT, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFORE

28. Resolution 65-23 Legislator Hughes (EDP5) A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT AND AN EASEMENT AGREEMENT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A GATEWAY MOBILITY HUB IN THE CITY OF SCHENECTADY
29. Resolution 66-23 Legislator Hughes (EDP6) A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO PAYMENT IN LIEU OF TAXES AGREEMENTS WITH DEVELOPERS OR OWNERS OF QUALIFYING ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SYSTEMS
30. Resolution 67-23 Legislator Hughes (EDP7) A RESOLUTION CREATING AND ELIMINATING CERTAIN POSITIONS AT THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING
31. Resolution 68-23 Legislator Pratt (EL1) A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR EQUIPMENT PURCHASES AT THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
32. Resolution 69-23 Legislator Pratt (EL2) A RESOLUTION CREATING AND ELIMINATING CERTAIN POSITIONS AT THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
33. Resolution 70-23 Legislator Ostrelich (HHHS8) A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING MONIES FROM THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION REGARDING FUNDING FOR INITIATIVES IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19
34. Resolution 71-23 Legislator Patierne (PFTI8) A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY CORRECTIONAL FACILITY
35. Resolution 72-23 Legislator Patierne (PFTI9) A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR INTERIOR IMPROVEMENTS AT THE KAREN B. JOHNSON BRANCH LIBRARY BUILDING
36. Resolution 73-23 Legislator Patierne (PFTI10) A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION OF CERTAIN COUNTY-OWNED REAL PROPERTY
37. Resolution 74-23 Legislator Patierne (PFTI12) A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF VARIOUS VEHICLES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

38. Resolution 75-23      Legislator Patierne (PFTI13) A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF A TRUCK BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
39. Resolution 76-23      Legislator Constantine (PSF6) A RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT MONIES FROM THE NYS DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES FOR PURPOSES OUTLINED IN THE STATEWIDE INTEROPERABLE COMMUNICATIONS TARGETED GRANT PROGRAM
40. Resolution 77-23      Legislator Fields (WM4) A RESOLUTION CORRECTING CLERICAL ERRORS ON THE MUNICIPAL TAX ROLL OF DUANESBURG
41. Adjournment



## **RESOLUTION 52-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator McGill:*

### **A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE CATHOLIC CENTRAL SCHOOL BOYS' BASKETBALL TEAM ON WINNING THEIR REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP**

**WHEREAS**, the Catholic Central boys' basketball team have put in countless hours of hard work and dedication this basketball season and earned their first Section II championship in over 40 years with a 73-59 win over Glens Falls; and

**WHEREAS**, The Crusaders were the only Section II basketball team to advance to a state final this season, and this was the first time in school history that the team has won a regional title; and

**WHEREAS**, Schenectady resident Darien Moore was a 1000 point scorer this season, and was selected as Colonial Council and Section II tournament MVP; and

**WHEREAS**, Schenectady resident Xavjon Arroyo was the recipient of the New York State Sportsmanship Award; and

**WHEREAS**, the team also received remarkable performances by Schenectady residents Aiden Prunty and Xaul Arroyo, as well as by Semir Roberson, Qwameik Smith, Nick Riley and Conor Gemmill; and

**WHEREAS**, the entire team, coaches, and community, should be extremely proud of this monumental accomplishment; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED** that the Schenectady County Legislature celebrates the Catholic Central boys' basketball team, along with their coach Guy Di Bacco, and congratulates them on their highly successful 2023 season and victory in the Regional Championship.



## **RESOLUTION 53-23**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION CELEBRATING APRIL 9<sup>TH</sup> – 15<sup>TH</sup> AS PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK 2023**

**WHEREAS**, dedicated Public Safety Communicators serve our community by answering requests for law enforcement, fire, or emergency medical services; and

**WHEREAS**, Public Safety Communicators answer calls twenty-four hours a day, seven days per week, three hundred sixty-five days per year, and are the first link between members of our community and emergency responders; and

**WHEREAS**, 9-1-1 Dispatchers provide a compassionate ear to callers and project a sense of calm in order to ease those in distress, while also sending whatever assistance the situation warrants; and

**WHEREAS**, additionally, 9-1-1 Dispatchers provide an invaluable lifeline to our emergency responders in the field by monitoring their activities by radio and by providing them with essential information in order to both keep them safe and aid them in performing their duties; and

**WHEREAS**, the crucial, daily role that Public Safety Communicators play is seldom recognized; and

**WHEREAS**, The Schenectady County Unified Communications Center (UCC) serves our community as a centralized emergency and public safety dispatch center, and works around the clock to ensure the safety of all County residents; and

**WHEREAS**, Last year, in 2022, the Schenectady County UCC handled a total of 291,503 phone calls in and out of the center, and dispatched 248,981 calls for service; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that on behalf of the Schenectady County Legislature, we hereby celebrate April 9<sup>th</sup> to April 15<sup>th</sup> as Public Safety Telecommunicators Week 2023, and both recognize and thank the dedicated staff at the Schenectady County Unified Communications Center for all that they do and everything that they sacrifice to serve the residents of Schenectady County.



## **RESOLUTION 54-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Pratt:*

### **A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING APRIL 2023 AS AUTISM ACTION MONTH**

**WHEREAS**, the prevalence of autism in the United States has risen from 1 in 150 children in the year 2000, to 1 in 36 children in 2023, highlighting the urgent need for action; and

**WHEREAS**, people of all abilities deserve to fully participate in their communities and live fulfilling lives of dignity and respect, including those who are living with the most significant disabilities; and

**WHEREAS**, April has widely been known as “Autism Awareness Month” in the United States in an effort to educate the public, foster understanding and inclusivity, and shine a light on the systemic barriers people with autism face in their daily lives; and

**WHEREAS**, we celebrate differences and promote the acceptance of people with autism, emphasizing that individuals with autism and their families deserve the opportunity to thrive; and

**WHEREAS**, it is crucial that our work doesn’t stop at awareness and acceptance— we recognize the need to advance policies that better provide services and supports for early intervention, education, transition to adulthood, employment, and community living; and

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County Legislature honors those with autism and their families and recognizes the need to be aware of, accept, and appreciate the incredible diversity within the autism spectrum, now therefore be it

**RESOLVED** that the Schenectady County Legislature proclaims April 2023 as Autism Action Month to help spread further awareness of the realities of autism, promote acceptance in our community, and ignite change to ensure that the universal human rights of all autistic people are respected.





**RESOLUTION 55-23**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

**A RESOLUTION AWARDING FUNDS TO VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS PURSUANT TO THE 2023 COUNTY INITIATIVE PROGRAM**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County Initiative Program Advisory Committee has completed its review of the 2023 applications for funding local arts organizations and programs; and

**WHEREAS**, numerous applications were reviewed and considered for funding under the 2023 County Initiative Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Advisory Committee recommends that \$60,000.00 in public benefit service agreements be funded based upon artistic merit, feasibility to complete programs, and public benefit; and

**WHEREAS**, the following organizations have been recommended for funding in the amounts indicated, to wit:

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Program</b>	<b>2023 Funding Recommendation</b>
Schenectady County Historical Society	Fall Foliage Festival	\$ 4,000

440 State St. Inc	29th annual Kids Arts Festival	\$ 4,000
Cycle Schenectady	Color the Canal: Flight Paths	\$ 2,500
Hamilton Hill "Drop-In" Arts and Crafts Center, Inc.	Juneteenth: A Celebration of Freedom	\$ 3,000
Freedom Park Foundation	Freedom Park Concert	\$ 3,500
Schenectady Hindu Temple and Community Center	Schenectady Caribbean Day	\$ 3,000
Empire State Youth Orchestra	Chime Performance	\$ 2,000
Town of Glenville	Glenville Oktoberfest	\$ 1,500
New York Folklore Society	Artists in the Gallery Series and the Pan African Orchestra	\$ 2,000
Schenectady Greenmarket	Schenectady Greenmarket Music Stage	\$ 1,250
United Jewish Federation of Northeastern New York	Chanukah on Jay (COJ Street)	\$ 2,000
CREATE Community Studios	CREATE Together	\$ 1,000
Niskayuna Community Action Program - Niska Day	Niska-Day	\$ 1,500
Musicians of Ma'alwyck, Inc.	Zoellner String Quartet Project with Lady Alexandra Foley	\$ 1,250
Town of Niskayuna	Town of Niskayuna Summer Concert Series	\$ 1,500
The Young Musician's Forum Inc.	Young Musician's Forum Concert Series	\$ 1,250
Town of Rotterdam	Town of Rotterdam Summer Concert Series	\$ 1,500
City of Schenectady Development Department - Jazz on Jay	Jazz on Jay Concert series	\$ 2,200

Robert & Dorothy Ludwig JCC of Schenectady on the Golub Family Campus, Inc.	Summer Art Fair and Exhibit	\$ 1,750
Duanesburg Education Foundation	Duanesburg Missoula Summer Theater Program and Performances	\$ 800
Upper Union Street BID	Upper Union Street Festivals	\$ 1,000
City of Schenectady - Music Haven	Shakespeare in the Park	\$ 2,000
Downtown Schenectady Improvement Corporation	Downtown Schenectady Fall Spooktacular	\$ 2,000
Mohawk Hudson Land Conservancy, Inc.	Schenectady Nature Bus	\$ 1,000
A Place For Jazz. Ltd.	A Place For Jazz 2023 Fall Concert Series	\$ 1,000
Empire State Aero-sciences Museum	National Aviation Weekend	\$ 2,000
Boys & Girls Clubs of Schenectady, Inc.	Steinmetz Park Family Fun Day	\$ 1,000
Schenectady Symphony Orchestra	"A Night on Broadway" featuring the Schenectady Symphony Orchestra and special guests	\$ 1,750
Mohawk Valley Society for Live Music	Porch Fest 2023	\$ 2,000
Scotia Business Improvement District	Fireworks Celebration	\$ 1,000
C.O.C.O.A. House	50 yr. Anniversary of Hip Hop: The Evolution of Hip Hop	\$ 1,500
Albany Barn, Inc.	Fiber Arts Market	\$ 500
Tri-City BMX, Inc.	2023 Tri-City BMX State Race Qualifier Weekend	\$ 500

Strong O.W.L.S Inc.	Angela Williams	\$	500
Rotterdam PBA	National Night Out 2023	\$	500
My Daughters and Me MDAM My Sons and Me MSAM INC	Community of Unity Back to School Bash 2023	\$	250
Total		\$	60,000

; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that public benefit service agreements with the organizations and in the amounts hereinabove set forth be and they hereby are authorized; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that payment under each agreement shall be made in a manner, as determined by the Commissioner of Finance to the duly constituted and properly bonded disbursing officer of each organization upon submission of a verified account of disbursements as required by law; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that no County money shall be paid until memorandum receipts and/or public benefit service contracts, as may be required by the County of Schenectady, signed by the principal officer and disbursing officer of each organization agreeing to abide by the terms of this Resolution shall be delivered to the County Commissioner of Finance.



## **RESOLUTION 56-23**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE FLEX-POD HANGAR PROJECT AT THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY AIRPORT**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Public Works by memorandum dated April 7, 2023 requests that Schenectady County's 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide extra funding of \$421,000.00 to the FlexPod Hangar Development Project for additional engineering design work, purchase and installation of supplementary electrical components, water and sewer line connections, and the providing of classroom space within the hangar for use by SUNY Schenectady; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated April 7, 2023 recommends that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$421,000 for the aforesaid additional design, equipment, and construction needed to complete the FlexPod Hangar Development Project; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

#### Capital Budget

*Increase Capital Project 5610190047*

#### Increase Appropriation Code by:

H545610.401000 – 4 Unit Flex-Pod \$ 421,000.

#### Increase Revenue Code by:

H93333.5710 – Obligation Serial Bonds \$ 421,000.



## **RESOLUTION 57-23**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A LEASE AGREEMENT WITH ALBANY VENTURES, INC. FOR SPACE FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County Attorney recommends by memorandum dated April 5, 2023 that Schenectady County enter into a lease agreement with Albany Ventures, Inc. for office space for the Office of the Schenectady County Public Defender; and

**WHEREAS**, the following significant provisions of the lease have been agreed to, subject to Legislative approval, to wit:

1. Purpose: For use by the Office of the Schenectady County Public Defender District Attorney as office space;
2. Place: 409 State Street in the City of Schenectady (Approx. 8,714 sq. ft.);
3. Term: 10 years with a five-year renewal option (commencing June 1, 2023);
4. Payment: Annual rent is as follows:
  - a. \$163,387.80 (\$13,615.65 monthly) for years one and two
  - b. \$169,973 for years three through six
  - c. \$176,485.50 for years seven through ten
  - d. \$182,994 for years eleven through thirteen
  - e. 189,529.50 for years fourteen and fifteen; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated April 7, 2023 recommends that a lease be entered into with Albany Ventures, Inc. for office space for the Office of the Schenectady County Public Defender, and that appropriate budgetary amendments be approved; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager be and he hereby is authorized, after approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, to negotiate and to execute a multi-year lease with Albany Ventures, Inc. consistent with the provisions of this Resolution; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Operating Budget be and it hereby is amended as follows:

Establish and Increase Appropriation Code by:

A541173.402001 – Building/Space Leases – Rent	\$ 95,310.
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Increase Appropriated Surplus by:

A599 – Appropriated Surplus	\$ 95,310.
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## **RESOLUTION 58-23**

*Sponsored by the Committee on Rules:*

### **A RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE GOVERNOR AND THE STATE LEGISLATURE TO AUTHORIZE A REAL PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR AUXILIARY POLICE OFFICERS**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, this Governing Body recognizes that Schenectady County has a very active and dedicated corps of auxiliary police officers who provide public service to the residents of the County; and

**WHEREAS**, this Governing Body recognizes that the auxiliary police officers are volunteers who provide additional uniform police presence during numerous public events held throughout the County, such as parades, concerts, street fairs and other community gatherings; and

**WHEREAS**, this Governing Body finds that the public service provided by the members of the auxiliary police force to be invaluable, and should be incentivized to encourage more persons to become auxiliary police officers; and

**WHEREAS**, this Governing Body recognizes that other volunteers who provide public service receive various real property tax exemptions as an incentive to participate in such volunteer activities; and

**WHEREAS**, this Governing Body believes that a similar real property tax exemption incentive that is available to volunteer firefighters and volunteer ambulance workers (Please see section 466-a of the NYS Real Property Tax Law) should be provided to the members of an auxiliary police force; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that this Governing Body recommends that the Governor and the New York State Legislature consider enacting a real property tax exemption for the



members of an auxiliary police force that is similar to the real property tax exemption available to volunteer firefighters and volunteer ambulance workers (See section 466-a of the NYS Real Property Tax Law); and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that this Governing Body directs the Clerk of the Legislature to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Governor, the Temporary President of the Senate, the Speaker of the Assembly, Senators James Tedisco and Neil Breslin, and Assembly Members Phil Steck, Angelo Santabarbara and Mary Beth Walsh.



## **RESOLUTION 59-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Frisoni:*

### **A RESOLUTION REGARDING THE ACCEPTANCE OF MONIES FROM THE NYS DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES FOR THE SUPPORT OF CERTAIN CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE INITIATIVES**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County District Attorney by memorandum dated March 28, 2023 advises that Schenectady County was recently awarded funds from the NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services to be used for the investigation and prosecution of non-fatal gun shootings; and

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County District Attorney further advises that Schenectady County is projected to receive \$65,840.00 in funding; and

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County District Attorney further advises that the aforesaid monies will be used to fund existing positions and a new position of Confidential Investigator in the Office of the Schenectady County District Attorney; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Human Resources by memorandum dated March 29, 2023 recommends the creation of the position of Confidential Investigator (CSEA Grade 14) in the Office of the Schenectady County District Attorney; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Human Resources advises that all necessary action by the Schenectady County Civil Service Commission for the aforesaid new position is expected to occur at its April 18, 2023 meeting; and

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends the acceptance of \$65,840.00 in grant monies from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services, the creation of a new position of Confidential Investigator, and the approval of appropriate budgetary amendments; and

**WHEREAS**, acceptance of these monies and utilization of these funds needs to be reflected in a resolution of this Legislature; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Legislature of the County of Schenectady hereby accepts the aforesaid grant monies from the NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services, and authorizes the utilization of such monies for the aforesaid purposes; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the following position in the Office of the Schenectady County District Attorney be and it hereby is created as follows:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Grade</u>
Confidential Investigator	14

; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager be and he hereby is authorized, after approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, to enter into any necessary agreements, certifications, or reimbursement requests for the acceptance of such grant monies from the NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Operating Budget be and it hereby is amended as follows:

Increase Appropriation Codes by:

A511165.111 – Personnel Services – Confidential Investigator \$63,597.

A589068.80080 – Fringe Benefits \$ 2,243.

Establish and Increase Revenue Code by:

A31165.303004 – Non-Fatal Shooting Initiative \$65,840.



## **RESOLUTION 60-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Frisoni:*

### **A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE RATES OF COMPENSATION FOR ELECTION WORKERS EMPLOYED BY THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Election Commissioners of the Office of the Board of Elections by memorandum dated March 29, 2023 advise that the New York State Election Law requires Schenectady County to assume responsibility for payment of compensation to election day workers, and to adopt rates of compensation for such election day workers; and

**WHEREAS**, section 3-420 of the New York State Election Law provides that a County shall pay election inspectors, poll clerks and election coordinators for their services on the days of registration and election in an amount that is fixed by the County legislative body; and

**WHEREAS**, section 3-302 of the New York State Election Law provides that a County shall pay voting machine technicians and custodians for their services in an amount fixed by the Board of Elections and approved by the County legislative body; and

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County Board of Elections approved the following rates of compensation for election day workers:

Election Day Workers	General, Primary Election Days (6:00 am to 9:00 pm, 5:00 am to 9:45 pm)	Annual Training Class	Early Voting & Village of Delanson Election (up to 10 hrs.)
Inspectors	\$ 250	\$ 40	\$130
Chairperson/Voting Systems Specialist	\$ 270	\$ 40	\$150
Spanish Translators	\$50 added to titled position	n/a	\$30 added to titled position
Election Day Alternates/Bag Helpers	\$50 (5:30 am to 7:30 am/9:00 pm to 11:00 pm)	n/a	n/a

Other Election Worker Rates

Technicians/Translation Services/Election Night Specialists	\$23/hr.
Miscellaneous Labor & Other Mandatory Training	\$15/hr.

; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends ratification of the aforesaid rates of compensation for election day workers, now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that this Governing Body hereby approves and ratifies the aforesaid rates of compensation for election day workers as approved by the Schenectady County Board of Elections.



## **RESOLUTION 61-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Frisoni:*

### **A RESOLUTION REGARDING THE ACCEPTANCE OF MONIES FROM THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES FOR THE FUNDING OF INDIGENT LEGAL DEFENSE SERVICES**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 advises that Schenectady County was recently awarded additional funds to improve the quality of legal representation for indigent clients; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager further advises that Schenectady County is to receive \$463,266.00 in funding over a three-year period; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager further advises that the funding will be used to enhance indigent legal services in Schenectady County by augmenting operational costs of the Public Defender's Office and the Conflict Defender's Office; and

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County Manager recommends the acceptance of the aforesaid grant monies from the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services, and the approval of the appropriate budgetary amendments; and

**WHEREAS**, acceptance of these monies and utilization of these funds needs to be reflected in a resolution of this Legislature; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Legislature of the County of Schenectady hereby accepts the aforesaid grant monies from the NYS Office of Indigent Legal Services, and authorizes the utilization of such monies for the aforesaid

purposes; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager be and he hereby is authorized, after approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, to enter into any necessary agreements, certifications, or reimbursement requests for the acceptance of such grant monies from the NYS Office of Indigent Legal Services; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Operating Budget be and it hereby is amended as follows:

Establish and Increase Revenue Codes by:

A31170.308927 – Indigent Defense – Distribution 13 – Public Defender	\$ 64,171.
A31173.308927 – Indigent Defense – Distribution 13 – Conflict Defender	\$ 90,252.



## **RESOLUTION 62-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Frisoni:*

### **A RESOLUTION TO CREATE CERTAIN POSITIONS AT THE OFFICE OF THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady District Attorney by memorandum dated March 29, 2023 requests that positions of Licensed Mental Health Clinical Therapist and Confidential Investigator be created at the Child Advocacy Center; and

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County District Attorney further states that the creation of the aforesaid positions better reflects the current operational needs of the Office; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Human Resources by memorandum dated March 29, 2023 recommends the creation of the positions of Licensed Mental Health Clinical Therapist and Confidential Investigator at the Child Advocacy Center; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Human Resources recommends that the position of Confidential Investigator be created at CSEA Grade 14, and that the position of Licensed Mental Health Clinical Therapist be created and classified at JC-8; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Human Resources advises that all necessary action by the Schenectady County Civil Service Commission for the aforesaid positions is expected to occur at its April 18, 2023 meeting; and



**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends that the positions of Licensed Mental Health Clinical Therapist and Confidential Investigator be created at the Child Advocacy Center, and that appropriate budgetary amendments be approved; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the following positions at the Child Advocacy Center of the Office of the Schenectady County District Attorney be and they hereby are created as follows:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Classification</u>
Licensed Mental Health Clinical Therapist	JC-8
<u>Position</u>	<u>Grade</u>
Confidential Investigator	14

; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Operating Budget be and it hereby is amended as follows:

Establish and Increase Appropriation Codes by:

A511165.111 – Personnel Services – Mental Health Clinical Therapist	\$ 50,520.
A511165.111 – Personnel Services – Confidential Investigator	\$ 45,252.

Reduce Appropriation Code by:

A541165.415367 – Crime Victims/Witness Assistance Program	\$ 80,693.
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## **RESOLUTION 63-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Hughes:*

### **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE IMPLEMENTATION, AND FUNDING IN THE FIRST INSTANCE 100% OF THE FEDERAL-AID AND STATE “MARCHISELLI” PROGRAM AID ELIGIBLE COSTS, OF A TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL-AID PROJECT, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFORE**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, a Project I-890 Exit 4C State Street – Washington Avenue, Transportation Planning and Environmental Study (PEL Study) P.I.N. 1762.45 (the Project) is eligible for funding under Title 23 U.S. Code, as amended, that calls for the apportionment of the costs of such program to be borne at the ratio of 80% Federal funds and 20% non-federal funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the County of Schenectady desires to advance the Project by making a commitment of 100% of the non-federal share of the costs of Scoping Phase; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the County Legislature hereby approves the above-subject Project; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the County Legislature hereby authorizes the County of Schenectady to pay in the first instance 100% of the federal and non-federal share of the cost of Scope work for the Project or portions thereof; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the sum of \$440,000.00 (four hundred forty thousand dollars) has been appropriated from the Capital Budget and made available to cover the cost of participation in the above phase of the Project; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that in the event the full federal and non-federal share costs of the project exceeds the amount appropriated above, the County Legislature of Schenectady County shall convene as soon as possible to appropriate said excess amount immediately upon the notification by the New York State Department of Transportation thereof; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager of the County of Schenectady, after consent and approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, be and he hereby is authorized to execute all necessary agreements, certifications or reimbursement requests for Federal Aid and/or Marchiselli Aid on behalf of the County of Schenectady with the New York State Department of Transportation in connection with the advancement or approval of the Project and providing for the administration of the Project and the municipality's first instance funding of project costs and permanent funding of the local share of federal-aid and state-aid eligible Project costs and all Project costs within appropriations therefore that are not so eligible, and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that a certified copy of this resolution will be filed with the New York State Commissioner of Transportation by attaching it to any necessary Agreement in connection with the Project, and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

CAPITAL BUDGET

Decrease Capital Project 2401220063  
Establish Capital Project 5110230080

Increase Appropriation Code by:

H545110.401000 – Highways – Capital \$ 440,000.

Decrease Appropriation Code by:

H542401.401000 – SCCC – Capital \$ 400,000.

Increase Revenue Code by:

H43333.4591 – Highways – Federal Aid \$ 352,000.

Decrease Revenue Codes by:

H32401.3270 – State Aid – Community College \$ 200,000.

H93333.5710 – Obligation Serial Bonds \$ 112,000.

; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that this Resolution shall take effect immediately.



## **RESOLUTION 64-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Hughes:*

### **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE IMPLEMENTATION, AND FUNDING IN THE FIRST INSTANCE 100% OF THE FEDERAL-AID AND STATE “MARCHISELLI” PROGRAM AID ELIGIBLE COSTS, OF A TRANSPORTATION FEDERAL-AID PROJECT, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFORE**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, a Project for the Grand Boulevard Pavement Preservation and Bicycle Improvements P.I.N. 1762.44 (the Project) is eligible for funding under Title 23 U.S. Code, as amended, that calls for the apportionment of the costs of such program to be borne at the ratio of 80% Federal funds and 20% non-federal funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the County of Schenectady desires to advance the Project by making a commitment of 100% of the non-federal share of the costs of Design; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the County Legislature hereby approves the above-subject Project; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the County Legislature hereby authorizes the County of Schenectady to pay in the first instance 100% of the federal and non-federal share of the cost of Design work for the Project or portions thereof; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the sum of \$94,000.00 (ninety-four thousand dollars) has been appropriated from the Capital Budget and made available to cover the cost of participation in the above phase of the Project; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that in the event the full federal and non-federal share costs of the project exceeds the amount appropriated above, the County Legislature of Schenectady County shall convene as soon as possible to appropriate said excess

amount immediately upon the notification by the New York State Department of Transportation thereof; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager of the County of Schenectady, after consent and approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, be and he hereby is authorized to execute all necessary agreements, certifications or reimbursement requests for Federal Aid and/or Marchiselli Aid on behalf of the County of Schenectady with the New York State Department of Transportation in connection with the advancement or approval of the Project and providing for the administration of the Project and the municipality’s first instance funding of project costs and permanent funding of the local share of federal-aid and state-aid eligible Project costs and all Project costs within appropriations therefore that are not so eligible, and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that a certified copy of this resolution will be filed with the New York State Commissioner of Transportation by attaching it to any necessary Agreements in connection with the Project, and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

CAPITAL BUDGET

Establish Capital Project 5110230079

Increase Appropriation Code by:

H545110.401000 – Highways – Capital \$ 94,000.

Increase Revenue Codes by:

H33333.3591 – Highways – State Aid \$ 14,100.

H43333.4591 – Highways – Federal Aid \$ 75,200.

H93333.5710 – Obligation Serial Bonds \$ 4,700.

; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that this Resolution shall take effect immediately.



## **RESOLUTION 65-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Hughes:*

### **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT AND AN EASEMENT AGREEMENT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A GATEWAY MOBILITY HUB IN THE CITY OF SCHENECTADY**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning by memorandum dated March 20, 2023 recommends that Schenectady County enter into a memorandum of understanding regarding the construction of a gateway mobility hub in the City of Schenectady; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning advises that the gateway mobility hub will be constructed on properties owned by the Schenectady Metroplex Development Authority, the County of Schenectady (106 S. Church Street – S/B/L: 39.71-1-43), S. Church Street, LLC, and the City of Schenectady; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning further advises that the proposed gateway mobility hub would be located on lower State Street in downtown Schenectady, and it would provide, in one location, access to CDTA buses, Greyhound and Trailways bus service, vehicle sharing, bicycle and scooter sharing, electric vehicle charging, and parking; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning further advises that the gateway mobility hub project would provide significant infrastructure enhancements to the

surrounding area, including new parking lot paving, upgraded traffic signals, and pedestrian safety improvements; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning further advises that the parties to the memorandum of understanding would be the City of Schenectady, County of Schenectady, the Schenectady Metroplex Development Authority, S. Church Street, LLC., and the Capital District Transportation Authority; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning further advises that the parties to the temporary construction easement and easement would be the County of Schenectady and the Capital District Transportation Authority; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager recommends by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 that Schenectady County enter into the aforesaid memorandum of understanding and easements for the construction of a gateway mobility hub in the City of Schenectady; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager be and he hereby is authorized, after approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, to negotiate and to execute a Memorandum of Understanding, Temporary Construction Easement, and an Easement consistent with the provisions of this resolution.



## **RESOLUTION 66-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Hughes:*

### **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO PAYMENT IN LIEU OF TAXES AGREEMENTS WITH DEVELOPERS OR OWNERS OF QUALIFYING ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SYSTEMS**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, section 487 of the NYS Real Property Tax Law provides an exemption for real property that includes solar or wind energy systems from taxation to the extent of any increase in the value of such property by reason of the inclusion of such energy system for a period of fifteen years; and

**WHEREAS**, section 487 of the NYS Real Property Tax Law further provides that a taxing jurisdiction may require an owner of property that includes solar or wind energy systems to enter into a Payment In Lieu Of Taxes (PILOT) agreement for such property after proper written notification from the taxing jurisdiction to the owner; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning by memorandum dated March 21, 2023 advises that there are two proposed projects that have elected to move forward with PILOT agreements that require approval of this Governing Body; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning further advises that Princetown Solar 1, LLC, an entity of New Leaf Solar, has proposed a 5-megawatt installation at 248 Kelly Station Road in the Town of Princetown; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning further advises that the PILOT agreement with



Princetown Solar 1, LLC would be for fifteen years, and would generate approximately \$120,000 for Schenectady County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning further advises that Rotterdam Renewables, LLC, an entity of Nexcamp, has proposed a 5.06-megawatt installation at 1827 Putnam Road in the Town of Rotterdam; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning further advises that the PILOT agreement with Rotterdam Renewables, LLC would be for fifteen years, and would generate approximately \$93,000 for Schenectady County; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends that Schenectady County enter into PILOT agreements with Princetown Solar 1, LLC and Rotterdam Renewables, LLC for the aforesaid solar energy system projects; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager be and he hereby is authorized, after approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, to negotiate and to execute a Payment in Lieu of Taxes Agreement for solar energy systems with Princetown Solar 1, LLC consistent with the provisions of this resolution; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager be and he hereby is authorized, after approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, to negotiate and to execute a Payment in Lieu of Taxes Agreement for solar energy systems with Rotterdam Renewables, LLC consistent with the provisions of this resolution.



## **RESOLUTION 67-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Hughes:*

### **A RESOLUTION CREATING AND ELIMINATING CERTAIN POSITIONS AT THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning by memorandum dated March 21, 2023 requests that a position of Senior Planner (grade 20) be created, and that a position of Planner I (grade 18) be eliminated; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the Department of Economic Development and Planning further states that this change will provide increased operational efficiency within the department; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Human Resources by memorandum dated March 29, 2023 recommends the creation of a position of Senior Planner at CSEA grade 20, and advises that no further action is necessary by the Schenectady County Civil Service Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends that a position of Senior Planner (grade 20) be created at the Department of Economic Development and Planning, and that a position of Planner I (grade 18) be eliminated, and that appropriate budgetary amendments be approved, now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the following position at the Department of Economic Development and Planning be and it hereby is created as follows:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Grade</u>
Senior Planner	20

; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the aforesaid position of Planner I (grade 18) in the Department of Economic Development and Planning be and it hereby is eliminated; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Operating Budget be and it hereby is amended as follows:

Establish and Increase Appropriation Code by:

A518020.111 – Personnel Services – Senior Planner \$ 73,798.

Reduce Appropriation Code by:

A518020.111 – Personnel Services – Planner I \$ 66,210.



## **RESOLUTION 68-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Pratt:*

### **A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR EQUIPMENT PURCHASES AT THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Executive Director of the Schenectady County Public Library by memorandum dated March 17, 2023 requests that Schenectady County's 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$195,000 for the replacement of an automated materials handling unit, self-check kiosks, and RFID security systems technology; and

**WHEREAS**, the Executive Director of the Schenectady County Public Library advises that the requested funding is for phase 2 of a capital project plan at the Public Library, which is outlined in the Five-year Capital Improvement Plan, to replace certain equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$195,000 for the aforesaid equipment purchases at the Schenectady County Public Library now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

#### Capital Budget

*Amend Capital Project 7410200051*

#### Increase Appropriation Code by:

H547410.401000 – Library – Capital Projects Contractual                      \$ 195,000.

#### Increase Revenue Code by:

H93333.5710 – Obligation Serial Bonds    \$ 195,000.



## **RESOLUTION 69-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Pratt:*

### **A RESOLUTION CREATING AND ELIMINATING CERTAIN POSITIONS AT THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Executive Director of the Schenectady County Public Library by memorandum dated March 17, 2023 requests that two positions of Librarian I be created, and that a position of Librarian II be eliminated; and

**WHEREAS**, the Executive Director further states that the creation of these positions will increase stability of staffing within the Schenectady County Public Library system, and will assist with fulfilling the mission of such system; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Human Resources by memorandum dated March 29, 2023 recommends the creation of two positions of Librarian I at CSEA grade 15 at the Schenectady County Public Library, and states that there is no further action necessary by the Schenectady County Civil Service Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends that two positions of Librarian I be created at the Schenectady County Public Library, that a position of Librarian II be eliminated, and that appropriate budgetary amendments be approved; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the following positions at the Schenectady County Public Library be and they hereby are created as follows:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Grade</u>
Librarian I	15
Librarian I	15

; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the aforesaid position of Librarian II at the Schenectady County Public Library be and it hereby is eliminated; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Operating Budget be and it hereby is amended as follows:

Establish and Increase Appropriation Codes by:

L517410.111 – Personnel Services – Librarian I	\$ 56,617.
L517410.111 – Personnel Services – Librarian I	\$ 56,617.
L589060.80080 – Hospital and Medical Insurance	\$ 19,815.95

Reduce Appropriation Codes by:

L517410.111 – Personnel Services – Librarian II	\$ 62,724.
L517410.112 – Hourly Rated Wages	\$ 70,325.95



## **RESOLUTION 70-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Ostrellich:*

### **A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING MONIES FROM THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION REGARDING FUNDING FOR INITIATIVES IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Public Health Director by memorandum dated March 27, 2023 advises that Schenectady County has been approved for a grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; and

**WHEREAS**, the Public Health Director further advises that Schenectady County has been approved for additional funding of \$149,944 to integrate Community Health Workers into organizations and care teams to continue to respond to COVID-19 illnesses for priority populations in Schenectady County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Public Health Director further requests that certain unspent funds from a prior grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention be reappropriated to the 2023 fiscal year, which will bring the total budgetary increase sought to \$203,440; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends the acceptance of the additional monies from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, that certain unspent funds from a prior grant provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention be reappropriated to this fiscal year, and that corresponding budget amendments be approved; and

**WHEREAS**, acceptance of these grant monies and utilization of these funds needs to be reflected in a resolution of this Legislature accepting the same; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Legislature of the County of Schenectady does hereby accept the aforesaid grant monies from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for the aforesaid purposes; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager be and he hereby is authorized, after approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, to enter into an agreement with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention regarding the aforesaid grant monies; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Operating Budget be and it hereby is amended as follows:

Increase Revenue Code by:

A44012.440149 – CREATES Community Health Care Workers	\$203,440.
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Increase Appropriation Code by:

A5444012.415197 – CREATES Community Health Care Workers	\$203,440.
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**RESOLUTION 71-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Patierne:*

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS  
FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SCHENECTADY COUNTY  
CORRECTIONAL FACILITY**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Facilities recommends by memorandum dated March 24, 2023 that the capital improvement program be amended to provide additional funding of \$73,100.00 for the Correctional Facility Sewer Pump Station Project, which includes the replacement of the multiple grinder pump system at the Schenectady County Correctional Facility; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager recommends by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 that the Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding for the Correctional Facility Sewer Pump Station Project, which includes the replacement of the multiple grinder pump system at the Schenectady County Correctional Facility; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

**CAPITAL BUDGET**

*Amend Capital Project 3150230013 – Jail Sanitary Sewer Grinder Pump*

Increase Revenue String by:

H93333.5710 – Serial Bonds \$ 73,100.

Increase Expense String by:

H543150.401000 – Jail Sanitary Sewer Grinder Pump \$ 73,100.



## **RESOLUTION 72-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Patierne:*

### **A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR INTERIOR IMPROVEMENTS AT THE KAREN B. JOHNSON BRANCH LIBRARY BUILDING**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Facilities by memorandum dated March 16, 2023 requests that Schenectady County's 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$250,000 to repair interior damage to the ceilings, floors, shelving and electrical components at the Karen B. Johnson Branch Library Building caused by water seepage from a faulty roof; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$250,000 for the aforesaid interior repairs at the Karen B. Johnson Branch Library Building; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

#### Capital Budget

*Establish Capital Project 7410230077*

#### Increase Appropriation Code by:

H547410.401000 – Library – Capital Projects Contractual      \$ 250,000.

#### Increase Revenue Code by:

H93333.5710 – Obligation Serial Bonds      \$ 250,000.



## **RESOLUTION 73-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Patierne:*

### **A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION OF CERTAIN COUNTY- OWNED REAL PROPERTY**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Facilities by memorandum dated March 23, 2023 requests that Schenectady County's 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$170,000 to remediate the spread of petroleum hydrocarbons in the area of the former Trustco Building (192 Erie Blvd. – County-owned site) by using an approved process that injects a remediation agent into the soil that will act to biodegrade the existing contaminant; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$170,000 for the aforesaid environmental remediation project at the former Trustco Building; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

#### Capital Budget

*Establish Capital Project 1620230078*

Increase Appropriation Code by:

H541620.401000 – Facilities -- Capital Projects Contractual     \$ 170,000.

Increase Revenue Code by:

H99901.503101 – Interfund Transfer – General Fund \$ 170,000.

Increase Appropriation Code by:

A599950.906 – Transfer to Capital Fund \$ 170,000.

Increase Appropriated Surplus by:

A599 – Appropriated Fund Balance \$ 170,000.



## **RESOLUTION 74-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Patierne:*

### **A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF VARIOUS VEHICLES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Public Works by memorandum dated March 29, 2023 requests that Schenectady County's 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$22,000 for the purchase of two hybrid motor vehicles for the County's fleet; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$22,000 for the aforesaid purchase of two hybrid motor vehicles; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

#### Capital Budget

*Increase Capital Project 5130230073*

#### Increase Appropriation Code by:

H525130.201000 --- DEPW – Capital Projects – Equipment      \$ 22,000.

#### Increase Revenue Code by:

H99901.503101 – Interfund Transfer – General Fund      \$ 22,000.

Increase Appropriation Code by:

A599950.906 – Transfer to Capital Fund \$ 22,000.

Increase Appropriated Surplus by:

A599 – Appropriated Fund Balance \$ 22,000.



**RESOLUTION 75-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Patierne:*

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENTS  
FOR THE PURCHASE OF A TRUCK BY THE DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC WORKS**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Public Works by memorandum dated March 29, 2023 requests that Schenectady County’s 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$275,000 for the purchase of a single-axle dump truck for the County’s fleet; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be amended to provide additional funding of \$275,000 for the aforesaid purchase of a single-axle dump truck; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

Capital Budget

*Establish Capital Project 5130230087*

Increase Appropriation Code by:

H525130.201000 --- DEPW – Capital Projects – Equipment      \$ 275,000.

Increase Revenue Code by:

H93333.5710 – Obligation Serial Bonds      \$ 275,000.



## **RESOLUTION 76-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Constantine:*

### **A RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT MONIES FROM THE NYS DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES FOR PURPOSES OUTLINED IN THE STATEWIDE INTEROPERABLE COMMUNICATIONS TARGETED GRANT PROGRAM**

**BE IT ENACTED**, by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, the Director of the Schenectady County Unified Communications Center by a memorandum dated March 8, 2023 advises that Schenectady County was recently awarded monies from the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services out of the Statewide Interoperable Communications Targeted Grant Program, which monies will be used for Phase II of the Emergency Radio Communications System Project that includes the building of additional redundancy in the system, providing additional radio coverage, and adding microwave connections to expand interoperability; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of the Schenectady County Unified Communications Center further advises that Schenectady County is projected to receive \$6,000,000.00 in funding; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services by letter dated March 1, 2023 advises that Schenectady County has been awarded \$6,000,000.00 under the NYS 2022 Statewide Interoperable Communications Targeted Grant Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Schenectady County Manager by memorandum dated March 31, 2023 recommends the acceptance of the aforesaid monies from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services, and the approval of appropriate budgetary amendments; and



**WHEREAS**, acceptance of these monies and utilization of these funds needs to be reflected in a resolution of this Legislature; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Legislature of the County of Schenectady hereby accepts the aforesaid grant monies from the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services, and authorizes the utilization of such monies for the aforesaid purposes; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the County Manager be and he hereby is authorized, after approval of the County Attorney as to form and content, to enter into any necessary agreements, certifications, or reimbursement requests for the acceptance of such grant monies from the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the 2023 Capital Improvement Program be and it hereby is amended as follows:

Capital Budget

*For Capital Project H3023230081 – Radio Interoperability Upgrades*

Increase Revenue String by:

H33023.308937 -- Radio Interoperability Upgrades \$6,000,000.

Increase Expense String by:

H543023.401000 – Radio Interoperability Upgrades \$6,000,000.



## **RESOLUTION 77-23**

*Sponsored by Legislator Fields:*

### **A RESOLUTION CORRECTING CLERICAL ERRORS ON THE MUNICIPAL TAX ROLL OF DUANESBURG**

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Schenectady, as follows:

**WHEREAS**, Section 554 of the Real Property Tax Law provides that this County Legislature shall consider applications for correction of tax rolls when there are clerical errors, unlawful entries, or certain errors in essential facts; and

**WHEREAS**, this Legislature can either accept or reject the aforesaid applications; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of Finance has reviewed the hereinafter indicated application and has recommended by memorandum dated March 27, 2023 acceptance of same; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, that, pursuant to the provisions of the Real Property Tax Law the application is approved and the Duaneburg tax roll is corrected, to wit:

<b><u>TOWN</u></b>	<b><u>OWNER S/B/L</u></b>	<b><u>REASON</u></b>	<b><u>AMOUNT OF TAXES BILLED</u></b>	<b><u>AMOUNT OF TAXES DUE</u></b>
Duanesburg	Noyes, Larry & Kimberly 54.00-1-42	Error in Essential Fact	\$4,689.63	\$379.86

**Amount to Cancel: \$4,309.77**

; and, be it further

**RESOLVED**, that the Commissioner of Finance and/or the Director of the Real Property Tax Service Agency be and they are hereby authorized to take appropriate action as authorized by law to implement the provisions of this Resolution.