Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 337-24

RECOGNIZE JULY 21-27, 2024 AS PRETRIAL, PROBATION, AND PAROLE SUPERVISION WEEK

WHEREAS, community corrections is an essential part of the justice system and probation officers uphold the law with dignity, while recognizing the right of the public to be safeguarded from criminal activity; and

WHEREAS, community corrections professionals are responsible for supervising adult and juvenile offenders in the community and are trained professionals who provide services and referrals for offenders; and

WHEREAS, community corrections professionals work in partnership with community agencies and groups while promoting prevention, intervention and advocacy; and

WHEREAS, community corrections professionals provide vital services, support, and protection for victims and are advocates for community and restorative justice; and

WHEREAS, community corrections professionals are a true Force for Positive Change in our communities; and

WHEREAS, Yates County Probation Officers are dedicated professionals who strive to build a safer, more cohesive community by promoting positive behavior change and facilitating successful reintegration of supervised individuals into society;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that in humble appreciation of our hardworking probation professionals, the Yates County Legislature does hereby proclaim July 21-27, 2024 as Pretrial, Probation, and Parole Supervision Week and extends our gratitude for their conscientious service and achievements; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Probation Director and County Administrator.

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RESOLUTION NO. 338-24

AUTHORIZE SHERIFF/CHAIRPERSON TO SIGN MOU WITH DUNDEE SCHOOL FOR 2024-25 SRO SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Sheriff provides a police/peace officer performing youth related School Resource Officer tasks assigned to, and for the Dundee Central School District whose services is reimbursed by the school district as agreed for 2024-25 in the amount of \$63,186.00, that includes wage, fringe, and insurances;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the approval of the County Attorney that the Sheriff and Chairperson of the Legislature are authorized to sign the Memorandum of Understanding with the Dundee School Superintendent, and or representative for SRO services and liability insurance is waived; and

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be provided the Sheriff, Budget Officer, Personnel Officer, and Finance Director.

ATTEST Lee D. Miller

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 339-24

AUTHORIZE SHERIFF/CHAIRPERSON TO SIGN CONTRACT WITH TRINITY SERVICES GROUP

WHEREAS, the Sheriff has determined a need for relief in the jail kitchen. Due to staffing issues and resignations, the lack of interest in the current vacant positions, the Sheriff and Jail Administrator have elicited and received a contract proposal from Trinity Services Group to take over operations and management of the jail kitchen. Trinity currently operates the kitchens in 19 correctional facilities in New York State; and

WHEREAS, our 2024 budget for food, supplies, labor, and fringe are established to be \$264,647. The resolution request is option 2 as noted in current contract proposal to reflect Trinity staff and one current full-time county employee. Trinity cost by contract is \$220,643, current full-time staff position cost of \$41,528.22 combined for total cost of \$262,171.22, a cost savings of \$2,475.78;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the approval of the County Attorney that the Sheriff and Chairperson of the Legislature are authorized to sign the contract with Trinity Services Group for operation of the Yates County Jail kitchen and food services as indicated in said contract, and immediately or as soon thereafter feasible begin transition; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be provided the Sheriff, Budget Officer, Personnel Officer, and Finance Director.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 340-24

AUTHORIZE SHERIFF/CHAIR TO SIGN COURT SECURITY SERVICES CONTRACT WITH THE NYS UNIFIED COURT SYSTEM FOR 2024 – 2029

WHEREAS, the Sheriff has received the contract renewal for Court Security Services from the New York State Unified Court System for the years 2024 through 2029;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon approval of the County Attorney that the Sheriff and Chair of the Legislature are authorized to sign the security services agreement Contract #C200557 that is effective April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2029 with renewal authorizations each year of the five year contract understanding that the agreed compensation for the period 2024-2025 is \$541,498; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Legislature will provide the Sheriff with two stamped sealed original copies of this resolution.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 341-24

AUTHORIZE CHAIR OF THE LEGISLATURE TO SIGN TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION AND ELECTION RESOURCE (TIER) GRANT PROGRAM 2023 CONTRACT # BOE01-C004400-1110000

WHEREAS, the New York State Board of Elections has allocated certain State funds for reimbursement of certain Technology Innovations and Election Resources; and

WHEREAS, the Yates County Board of Elections desires to appropriate and spend \$21,666.48 for the purposes set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that following approval by the County Attorney, the Chair of this Legislature be authorized to sign the contract to use the appropriations through 3/31/2025; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be given to the Election Commissioners, the Director of Finance, and the Treasurer.

Lee D. Miller

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 342-24

AUTHORIZE CHAIR OF THE LEGISLATURE TO SIGN ABSENTEE BALLOT PRE-PAID POSTAGE GRANT AMENDMENT CONTRACT # BOE01-T004625-1110000

WHEREAS, the New York State Board of Elections has allocated certain State funds for reimbursement of certain Absentee Postage expenditures; and

WHEREAS, the Yates County Board of Elections desires to appropriate and spend \$27,507.80 for the purposes set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that following approval by the County Attorney, the Chair of this Legislature be authorized to sign the contract to use the appropriations through 3/31/2025; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be given to the Election Commissioners, the Director of Finance, and the Treasurer.

ATTEST Lee D. Miller

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 343-24

AUTHORIZE CHAIR OF THE LEGISLATURE AND SHERIFF TO SIGN MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (CO 82 OTHER)

WHEREAS, representatives from Council 82 Other, the Sheriff and the Yates County Legislature agree and acknowledge it is in the best interest of all parties to make adjustments to the wage rates for Correction Sergeant/Court Security to ensure proper compensation; and

WHEREAS, the Correction Sergeant/Court Security title shall be moved from wage grade X to wage grade XI as set forth in Article 18 of the parties' CBA;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Chair of the Legislature, the Sheriff and County Administrator are hereby authorized to sign a Memorandum of Understanding with CO 82 Other regarding the aforementioned changes to the current collective bargaining agreement to be made effective June 1, 2024; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be given to the Sheriff, Sgt. Bacher, the CO 82 Other Union President, CO 82 Other Union Representative, Personnel Officer, County Administrator and Director of Finance.

ATTEST

Lee D. Miller

Vates County Legislature

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 344-24

AMEND RESOLUTION 603-23 ADOPT 2024 NON-UNION NON-EXEMPT EMPLOYEE WAGE SCHEDULE

WHEREAS, Resolution 603-23 was duly adopted on December 28, 2023 adopting the Non-Union Non-Exempt Employee Salary Schedule; and

WHEREAS, the resolution is in need of an amendment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, effective July 8, 2024, "District Attorney Investigator...\$38.47" be added to the resolution"; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be given to the District Attorney, Personnel Officer, County Administrator and Director of Finance.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 345-24

AMEND RESOLUTION 602-23 ADOPT 2024 NON-UNION EXEMPT EMPLOYEE SALARY SCHEDULE

WHEREAS, Resolution 602-23 was duly adopted on December 28, 2023 adopting the Non-Union Exempt Employee Salary Schedule; and

WHEREAS, the resolution is in need of an amendment:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that effective July 8, 2024, "District Attorney Investigator...\$40,000" be removed; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be given to all Department Heads, Personnel Officer, County Administrator and Director of Finance.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 346-24

AUTHORIZE SHERIFF TO FILL DEPUTY SHERIFF SERGEANT POSITION

WHEREAS, a Deputy Sheriff Sergeant position is vacant; and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff through the vacancy review process has identified the need to refill the Deputy Sheriff Sergeant position and is requesting that the position be filled; and

WHEREAS, the estimated annual cost to fill the Sergeant position, including fringe, is \$88,424 to \$115,552, depending on health insurance;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that effective July 7, 2024 the Sheriff is hereby authorized to fill a Deputy Sheriff Sergeant position; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Sheriff is also authorized to fill any subsequent vacancy that will occur as the result of a promotion of an employee into the vacant Sergeant Deputy Sheriff position; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution shall be provided to the Sheriff, Personnel Officer, County Administrator, and Director of Finance.

ATTEST

rile D. Miller

the Vates County Legislature

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 347-24

AUTHORIZE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH TO FILL SENIOR ACCOUNT CLERK TYPIST POSITION

WHEREAS, a Senior Account Clerk Typist position became vacant effective July 12, 2024 as the result of a resignation; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Public Health through the vacancy review process has identified the need refill the Senior Account Clerk Typist position and is requesting the position be filled; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost to fill the position including fringe is \$48,827 to \$75,956, depending on insurance; the County receives 80% reimbursement from State Aide, therefore the estimated annual cost to the County including fringe, is \$9,765 to \$15,191;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that effective July 8, 2024 the Director of Public Health is hereby authorized to fill a Senior Account Clerk Typist position; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be given to the Director of Public Health, Personnel Officer, County Administrator and Director of Finance.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 348-24

AUTHORIZE COUNTY HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT TO CREATE AND FILL FULL-TIME AUTOMOTIVE MECHANIC POSITION

WHEREAS, an Automotive Mechanic position will become vacant as the result of a pending retirement of a current employee effective in September 2024; and

WHEREAS, the County Highway Superintendent has identified the need to create and fill a full-time Automotive Mechanic position to allow for succession planning, resulting in a seamless transition for personnel and ensuring continuity of the daily operations of the Highway Department; and

WHEREAS, the estimated annual cost to create and fill the Automotive Mechanic position, including fringe is \$61,269 to \$88,387, depending on health insurance;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that effective August 1, 2024 the County Highway Superintendent is hereby authorized to create and fill a full-time Automotive Mechanic position; and be it further

RESOLVED, that in accordance with the CSEA Collective Bargaining Agreement, the County Highway Superintendent is authorized to hire an applicant at a higher hourly rate, not to exceed the STEP 2 rate, should said applicant be able to perform the essential job functions based on prior experience at the time of hire; and be it further

RESOLVED, the overlap in positions shall not exceed thirty (30) days and once the current Automotive Mechanic retires, the vacated position will not be filled; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Highway Superintendent is also authorized to fill any subsequent vacancies that occur through promotion of an employee into the vacant position, if applicable; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be given to the County Highway Superintendent, the Personnel Officer, the County Administrator and the Director of Finance.

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RESOLUTION NO. 349-24

AUTHORIZE CHAIR OF THE LEGISLATURE TO SIGN LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR MILLY'S PANTRY

WHEREAS, Milly's Pantry is applying for funding through the NYS Office of Parks and Recreation and Historic Preservation program to support their building restoration project; and

WHEREAS, Milly's Pantry is an integral member of the Yates County community, their Main St. building serves as a retail anchor and flagship destination for local residents and visitors alike, and they serve the needs of their most at-risk children;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Chair of the Legislature may sign the letter of support; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be given to Milly's Pantry.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 350-24

CHANGE DATE OF SEPTEMBER LEGISLATIVE MEETING

WHEREAS, the Yates County Legislature holds its regular monthly meeting the second Monday of every month at 1:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, the September 9, 2024 Legislative meeting falls during the Fall NYSAC Seminar; and

WHEREAS, some members of the Legislature & the County Administrator plan to attend;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Yates County Legislature will hold its September 9, 2024 monthly meeting on September 11, 2024 at 1:00 p.m. in the Legislative Chambers; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be provided to all Department Heads, Legislators, and Press.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 351-24

AUTHORIZE CONTRACT AMENDMENT WITH RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR MENTAL HYGIENE

WHEREAS, the Yates County Department of Social Services is the fiscal agent for the Yates County System of Care Program (Insyght); and

WHEREAS, the Research Foundation for Mental Hygiene has awarded Yates County with additional funding for this project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that after review by the County Attorney, the Commissioner of Social Services and the Chair of the Legislature be authorized to sign a contract amendment with the following agency for the time frame 9/1/23-8/30/24:

Agency/Organization Amount
Research Foundation for Mental Health Additional \$62,442 not exceed \$382,265

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Department of Social Services, the Yates County Treasurer, and the Yates County Director of Finance.

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RESOLUTION NO. 352-24

RENEW CONTRACT WITH CANANDAIGUA DRIVING SCHOOL

WHEREAS, the Department of Social Services assists with driving instruction for eligible individuals;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that after the approval of the County Attorney, the Chair of the Legislature and the Social Services Commissioner is authorized to sign a contract with Canandaigua Driving School for the provision of driver training services to eligible clients of the Department of Social Services for the period July 1, 2024-June 30, 2025, at the rate herein identified:

Driving Lesson(s):

Pick up within 15 miles of the school - \$90.00 Pick up within 16-20 miles of the school - \$100.00 Pick up within 21-30 miles of the school - \$110.00

Road Test/90 Minute Lesson

Pick up within 15 miles of the school - \$125.00 Pick up within 16-20 miles of the school - \$135.00 Pick up within 21-30 miles of the school - \$145.00

and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Department of Social Services, the Yates County Treasurer, and the Yates County Director of Finance.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 353-24

AUTHORIZE CONTRACT WITH SAFE HARBORS FOR NON-RESIDENTIAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SERVICES

WHEREAS, The Department of Social Services is required by regulation to provide non-residential domestic violence services to Yates County residents with funding provided by the New York State Office of Children and Family Services; and

WHEREAS, The Department of Social Services is interested in contracting with Safe Harbors of the Finger Lakes for these services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that after review by the County Attorney, the Chair of the Legislature and the Social Services Commissioner be authorized to sign a contract with Safe Harbors at an amount not to exceed \$38,128 for the period of 7/1/24-6/30/25; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be given to the Commissioner of Social Services, Yates County Treasurer, and the Director of Finance.

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RESOLUTION NO. 354-24

AUTHORIZE CHAIR TO SIGN AGREEMENT WITH NYSARC INC DBA MOZAIC FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF PRESCHOOL CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

WHEREAS, Yates County Public Health seeks to sign an agreement with NYSARC Inc. dba Mozaic, to provide transportation services for preschool children with disabilities;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon approval from the County Attorney, the Chair of the Legislature is authorized to sign an agreement with NYSARC Inc. dba Mozaic for the period of September 1, 2024 through August 31, 2025 at the following rates:

To and from Happiness House Canandaigua \$257.20 per child per day
To and from Happiness House Geneva \$205.76 per child per day
To and from Keuka Lake School \$44.01 per child per day

And be it further

RESOLVED, that the County reserves the option to renew this contract for no more than two (2) one year periods; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Public Health office and Finance Director.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 355-24

PROCLAIMING AUGUST 4TH AS US COAST GUARD BIRTHDAY IN YATES COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Coast Guard's history began on August 4th, 1790, when a resolution of the Continental Congress authorized the construction of ten vessels to enforce federal tariff and trade laws and to prevent smuggling. Known variously through the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries as the Revenue Marine and the Revenue Cutter Service, the Coast Guard expanded in size and responsibilities as the nation grew; and

WHEREAS, the service received its present name in 1915 under an act of Congress that merged the Revenue Cutter Service with the Life-Saving Service, thereby providing the nation with a single maritime service dedicated to saving life at sea and enforcing the nation's maritime laws. In 1946 Congress permanently transferred the Commerce Department's Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation to the Coast Guard, thereby placing merchant marine licensing and merchant vessel safety under their purview; and

WHEREAS, The Coast Guard is one of the oldest organizations of the federal government and until Congress established the Navy Department in 1798 they served as the nation's only armed force afloat. The Coast Guard protected the nation throughout their long history and served proudly in every one of the nation's conflicts. Their national defense responsibilities remain one of the most important functions even today; and

WHEREAS, 2024 is the US Coast Guard's 234th Birthday and their motto is Semper Paratus "Always Ready";

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Yates County Legislature extends its gratitude to all "Coasties", past and present, their families and loved ones, who continue to sacrifice for our liberty and freedoms, by proclaiming August 4, 2024 as "US Coast Guard Birthday" in Yates County, and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be given to the Veterans' Services Director and all Yates County Veteran organizations.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 356-24

PROCLAIMING AUGUST 7, 2024 AS NATIONAL PURPLE HEART DAY IN YATES COUNTY

WHEREAS, on August 7, 1782, General George Washington issued an order establishing the Badge of Military Merit to honor merit, particularly among enlisted soldiers; and

WHEREAS, on February 22, 1932, the Badge of Merit was renamed the Purple Heart, which is awarded to any member of the United States Armed Forces wounded or killed in combat by a declared enemy of the United States; and

WHEREAS, many citizens of our community have been awarded the Purple Heart Medal as a result of their being wounded or killed while engaged in combat with an enemy force; and

WHEREAS, States, Counties, and Cities pause in recognition of the service and sacrifice of their local sons and daughters; and

WHEREAS, August 7, 2024, also known as National Purple Heart Day, has been officially designated as the day in Yates County to remember, recognize and honor the brave men and women who were either wounded on the battlefield or made the ultimate sacrifice by giving their lives in the defense of our Country; and

WHEREAS, the Yates County Legislature seeks to honor these individuals who have paid the high price for freedom by placing themselves in harm's way for the good of all;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Yates County Legislature proclaims Yates County as a Purple Heart Community, honoring the service and sacrifice of our Nation's men and women in uniform who were wounded or killed by the enemy while serving to protect the freedoms enjoyed by all Americans; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Yates County Legislature hereby declare August 7th as National Purple Heart Day in Yates County.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 357-24

PROCLAIMING AUGUST 10, 2024 AS AGENT ORANGE AWARENESS DAY IN YATES COUNTY

WHEREAS, August 10, 1961 is thought to be the first day that the herbicide and chemical defoliant Agent Orange was sprayed in Vietnam; and

WHEREAS, Agent Orange Awareness Day marks the anniversary of the substance being sprayed in Vietnam for the first time and is meant to raise awareness of the effects of the herbicide used during the Vietnam War. Not only does Agent Orange Awareness Day bring honor to Vietnam Veterans, it also brings to light the continuing toll of Agent Orange exposure; and

WHEREAS, Studies estimate over 300,000 U.S. Veterans died from exposure to Agent Orange from 1962 to 1971. The Agent Orange Act of 1991 responded to the many health concerns expressed by Vietnam Veterans in relation to herbicide exposure by requiring the VA to presume that all Veterans who served "boots on the ground" in Vietnam were exposed to Agent Orange; and

WHEREAS, in 2019 Congress passed the Blue Water Navy Veterans Act which extends VA benefits and disability compensation for Agent Orange exposure to Blue Water Navy Veterans who served in Vietnam and the offshore waters; and

WHEREAS, The Vietnam War ended 49 years ago, yet the effects of Agent Orange are still felt today by Vietnam Veterans, and their families. The Veterans Administration considers more than 15 diseases to be caused by or linked to exposure to Agent Orange. The list includes 8 types of cancer, Parkinson's Disease, ALS or Lou Gehrig's Disease, Diabetes and Birth Defects in children of Veterans who had exposure to Agent Orange; and

WHEREAS, the Yates County Legislature seeks to honor these individuals who have paid a high price for our freedom while serving in Vietnam;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Yates County Legislature asks all citizens of Yates County to join them in bringing an increased awareness to the ongoing toll of Agent Orange; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Yates County Legislature hereby declares August 10th as Agent Orange Awareness Day in Yates County.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 358-24

PROCLAIMING SUPPORT FOR THE WALL THAT HEALS IN YATES COUNTY

WHEREAS, "The Wall That Heals" Yates County Committee will be hosting "The Wall That Heals" at the Penn Yan Fireman's Field August 8th to August 11th, 2024; and

WHEREAS, "The Wall That Heals" is a replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington D.C., designed to travel throughout the United States. Since its dedication on Veterans Day 1996 it has been displayed at nearly 700 communities; and

WHEREAS, Yates County is the only location in New York State to host "The Wall That Heals" this year and is fortunate to have been chosen as a host site for a second time. The first time was in 2002 when it was displayed at the Johnson Costello American Legion Post 355; and

WHEREAS, "The Wall That Heals" is meant to serve as a reminder of the ultimate sacrifices made during the Vietnam War and bring the opportunity to view the memorial to people who may not be able to travel to our nation's capital. Bringing the Wall to communities throughout our country allows the souls enshrined on the Memorial to exist once more among family and friends in the peace and comfort of familiar surroundings. The traveling exhibit provides thousands of veterans who have been unable to cope with the prospect of facing The Wall to find the strength and courage to do so within their own communities, thus allowing the healing process to begin; and

WHEREAS, "The Wall That Heals" will be in Penn Yan on two very important days. The first is August 7, 2024, also known as National Purple Heart Day, and the second is National Agent Orange Awareness Day Saturday August 10, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Yates County Legislature seeks to honor the approximately 3 million men and women who served in Vietnam and particularly the 58,281 individuals whose names are etched on the Wall;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Yates County Legislature officially welcomes the opportunity to display this important tribute to the men and women who gave their lives in service during the Vietnam War and extends sincere appreciation for the efforts of those who worked to bring this display to Yates County and encourages all its citizens to visit the Memorial during its time in Penn Yan and to volunteer to work with the organizers; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be given to the Veterans' Services Director and The Wall That Heals Yates County Committee.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

I Hereby Certify, That I have compared the preceding with the original thereof, on file in the office of the Clerk of the County Legislature at Penn Yan, New York, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original; and that said original was duly adopted at a meeting of the County Legislature of Yates County held at Penn Yan, New York on the 8th day of July 2024.

RESOLUTION NO. 359-24

AUTHORIZE CHAIR TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT WITH THE PENN YAN PUBLIC LIBRARY TO TRANSFER OWNERSHIP OF ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATION

WHEREAS, the County entered into a five-year agreement with the Penn Yan Public Library in 2019 to own and operate an electric vehicle charger station; and

WHEREAS, the contract has expired and the Penn Yan Library would like to take sole ownership of the electric vehicle charging station and its operations; and

WHEREAS, all accounts related to the electric vehicle charging station shall be transferred to the Penn Yan Public Library and they shall be responsible for all future expenses and receive all future revenues:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the approval of the County Attorney, the Chair of the Legislature is authorized to sign agreements related to the transfer of the electric vehicle charging station; and be it further

RESOLVED, that there shall be no cost to the County; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of the resolution be given to the Buildings Maintenance Supervisor, Finance Director, Budget Officer and County Treasurer.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

I Hereby Certify, That I have compared the preceding with the original thereof, on file in the office of the Clerk of the County Legislature at Penn Yan, New York, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original; and that said original was duly adopted at a meeting of the County Legislature of Yates County held at Penn Yan, New York on the 8th day of July 2024.

RESOLUTION NO. 360-24

2024 BUDGET TRANSFERS

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following transfer should be made in the 2024 budget;

From:	To:	Amount:	
A3021.51700 Chief Dispatcher	A3021.54771 W911	\$	1,541.45
A3021.51700 Chief Dispatcher	A3021.54507 Copier	\$	57.28
CD6292.41L KKP Adult Oper.	CD6292.81L KKP Adult Part. Fringe	\$	190.00
A1990.54905 Contingent Fund	A1165.51010 District Attorney	\$	20,700.00

And be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be provided to the Sheriff, Commissioner of Social Services, District Attorney, County Treasurer, Director of Finance, and the Budget Officer.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 361-24

APPROPRIATE AID (SHERIFF)

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's Department has additional revenue for 2024 from the Division of Criminal Justice Law Enforcement Technology Grant; and

WHEREAS, these funds are not part of the 2024 budget;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following accounts be increased as tabulated below:

Revenue:

A3110.43339 SHERIFF-LETECH FY 24-25

\$203,447.80

Appropriation:

A3110.52129 SHERIFF-LETECH 24-25

\$203,447.80

And be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be provided to the Sheriff, County Treasurer, Director of Finance, and the Budget Officer.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

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RESOLUTION NO. 362-24

APPROPRIATE AID (SHERIFF)

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's Department has additional revenue for 2024 from the NYS Canal Grant; and

WHEREAS, these funds are not part of the 2024 budget;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following accounts be increased as tabulated below:

Revenue:

A3110.43961 SHERIFF-Canal Grant \$12,000.00

Appropriation:

A3110.51306 SHERIFF-Canal Grant \$6,000.00 A3110.54921 SHERIFF-Canal Grant \$6,000.00

And be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be provided to the Sheriff, County Treasurer, Director of Finance, and the Budget Officer.

Penn Yan, N.Y. July 8, 2024

I Hereby Certify, That I have compared the preceding with the original thereof, on file in the office of the Clerk of the County Legislature at Penn Yan, New York, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original; and that said original was duly adopted at a meeting of the County Legislature of Yates County held at Penn Yan, New York on the 8th day of July 2024.

RESOLUTION NO. 363-24

AUTHORIZE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TO ADJUST COUNTY CREDIT CARD SPENDING LIMIT (FINANCE)

WHEREAS, the Department of Finance manages the County credit card through Lyons National Bank for Department purchases; and

WHEREAS, there is a need to increase the spending limit on the credit card from \$5,000.00 to \$15,000.00 to accommodate all Department purchases on a monthly basis; and

WHEREAS, the credit card is paid off in full every month to ensure the maximum allowable funds to make such purchases and not to inconvenience any Department looking to make a purchase; and

WHEREAS, Lyons National Bank requires such approval through resolution to make the increase;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon approval of the Legislature, the Director of Finance may increase the spending limit of the County credit card with Lyons National Bank; and be it further

RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be provided to the County Treasurer, Director of Finance, and the County Administrator.