

PUBLIC SAFETY & EMERGENCY SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES  
April 11, 2022

The Public Safety & Emergency Services Committee of the Broome County Legislature met remotely on Monday, April 11, 2022 via Zoom Videoconferencing.

Members Present: S. Baker (Chair), G. Baldwin, M. Pasquale, R. Weslar, M. Whalen

Members Absent: None

Others Present: C. Hall, M. Tanzini, J. Scott, R. O'Donnell, Legislature; J. Garnar, M. Ponticiello, County Exec's Office; J. Knebel, G. Bucciarelli, OMB; N. Logvis, T. Sullivan, DPW; P. Dewing, C. Rogers, OES; C. Segrue, Personnel; T. Dellapenna, Risk; D. Harder, Sheriff; D. Smith, Solid Waste; G. Kilmer, Transit; V. Gialanella, Town of Vestal Resident

The Public Safety & Emergency Services Committee meeting was called to order by the Chairman at 4:03 PM. Mr. Weslar made a motion to move the agenda, seconded by Mr. Pasquale.

The Committee took the following action with regard to the matters before it:

#12 [RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A HOME RULE REQUEST TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF BROOME TO OFFER AN OPTIONAL TWENTY YEAR RETIREMENT PLAN TO JOSHUA QUINN, A DEPUTY SHERIFF EMPLOYED BY SUCH COUNTY](#)

Mr. Dellapenna stated that Mr. Quinn was supposed to be placed in the correct retirement plan in 2015 and it was discovered in an audit about 4-5 months ago that he was still in the incorrect retirement plan.

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#13 [RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE ORGANIZED CRIME DRUG ENFORCEMENT TASK FORCE PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2021-2022](#)

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#14 [RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE US MARSHALS FALCON PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2021-2022](#)

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

Following discussion on the Resolutions, Office of Emergency Services Director Patrick Dewing provided an update on the OES Communications Upgrade Project (presentation attached).

There being no further business to come before the Committee at this time, a motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Baldwin, seconded by Mr. Pasquale. The meeting adjourned at 4:12 PM.