St. Lawrence County Board of Legislators Board Room and Live via YouTube Operations Committee Monday, July 19, 2021 5:30 p.m.

Members Attending: Ms. Curran, Mr. Arquiett, Mr. Acres, Mr. Burke, Mr. Denesha, Mr. Fay, Ms. Fiacco, Mr. Forsythe, Ms. Haggard, Mr. Lightfoot, Mr. Perkins, Mr. Reagen, Mr. Sheridan, Mr. Smithers, and Ms. Terminelli

Others Attending in Person or via Video: Ruth Doyle, Dylan Soper, Kelly Pearson, Brooks Bigwarfe, Matt Denner, Jason Pfotenhauer, Jennie Bacon, Tom Nichols, Rick Johnson, and Amy Dona

- **1. CALL TO ORDER AND APPROVAL OF AGENDA** Ms. Curran called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. Mr. Denesha moved to approve the agenda, seconded by Mr. Lightfoot, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.
- **2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES** Mr. Denesha moved to approve the June 14th meeting minutes, seconded by Mr. Forsythe and Mr. Lightfoot, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.

3. SHERIFF – BROOKS BIGWARFE

- A. Modifying the 2021 Budget for the Sheriff's Office for a 2020 Operation Stonegarden Grant from the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (Res) Mr. Perkins moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Mr. Lightfoot, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.
- B. Modifying the 2021 Budget for the Sheriff's Office to Accept a FY21 CTZ-8 Red Team Exercise Grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services Offices (Res) Mr. Burke moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Mr. Denesha and Mr. Smithers, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.
- C. Modifying the 2021 Budget for the Sheriff's Office Criminal Division for the Purchase of a Boat Motor for the Sheriff's Patrol (Res) Mr. Denesha moved to table this resolution to Finance Committee, seconded by Mr. Acres, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.

4. EMERGENCY SERVICES – MATT DENNER

- A. Authorizing the Chair to Sign a Contract with New York State Office of Homeland Security to Accept FY21 State Homeland Security Preparedness Grant and Modifying the 2021 Budget for Emergency Services and Sheriff's Office (Res) Mr. Perkins moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Mr. Denesha, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.
- B. Authorizing the Chair to Sign a Contract with New York State Office of Homeland Security for a FY20 PSAP Grant and Modifying the 2021 Budget for Emergency Services (Res) Mr. Forsythe moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Mr. Lightfoot, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.

- C. Authorizing the Chair to Sign a Memorandum of Agreement with the Department of Homeland Security to Accept a Temporary Loan of the Mutualink Interoperable Communications Resources (Res) Mr. Forsythe moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Ms. Terminelli, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.
- D. Modifying the 2021 Emergency Services Budget for the Purpose of Purchasing an Updated FIT Testing Machine (Res) Mr. Perkins moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Mr. Smithers, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.

5. PLANNING – JASON PFOTENHAUER

- A. Lead Grant Update (Presentation) Jason Pfotenhauer
- B. Authorizing the Planning Office to Apply for Community Development Block Grant Funding and for the Chair to Sign Necessary Application Documentation and a Contract with the New York State Office of Community Renewal (Res) Mr. Denesha moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Mr. Perkins, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.
- C. National Marine Sanctuary in Eastern Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence River (Discussion) Mr. Pfotenhauer
- Mr. Reagen requested a resolution be prepared by the Planning Office regarding the National Marine Sanctuary.

6. BOARD OF ELECTIONS – JENNIE BACON AND TOM NICHOLS

- A. Authorizing the Chair to Sign an Early Voting Expansion Grant and Modifying the 2021 Budget for the Board of Elections (Res) Mr. Burke moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Ms. Haggard, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.
- B. Authorizing the Chair to Sign a Technology Innovation and Election Resource (TIER) Grant and Modifying the 2021 Budget for the Board of Elections (Res) Mr. Burke moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Mr. Forsythe and Ms. Haggard, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.

7. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY – RICK JOHNSON

A. Authorizing the Chair to Sign a Contract with Juniper Networks and Meridian IT to Purchase Replacement Network Switches and Management Software (Res) – Mr. Burke moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Mr. Forsythe, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.

8. CONFLICT DEFENDER – AMY DONA

A. Authorizing the Chair to Sign a Contract with the New York State Defenders Association for the Public Defender Case Management System (Res) – Mr. Arquiett moved to forward this resolution to full Board, seconded by Mr. Forsythe, and carried unanimously by a voice vote with fifteen (15) yes votes.

9. VACANCY REVIEW COMMITTEE – RUTH DOYLE

- A. Review Committee Summary (Info) Ms. Doyle
- B. Probation Mr. LePage requested to fill a Secretary I, Position No 005100010, in Probation.
- C. Conflict Defender Ms. Dona requested to fill an Assistant Conflict Defender, Position No. 02150003, in the Conflict Defender's Office.
- D. Emergency Services Mr. Denner requested to fill a Dispatcher, Position No. 61210001, in Emergency Services.
- E. Purchasing Mr. Soper requested to abolish a Keyboard Specialist and create and fill a Purchasing Clerk, Position No. 011500001, in Purchasing.

10. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Agriculture & Farmland Protection Board no report
- B. Alternatives to Incarceration Board no report
- C. Board of Trustees for Supreme Court Library Ms. Fiacco
- D. Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board no report
- E. Environmental Management Council no report
- F. Fire Advisory Board no report
- G. Intercounty Legislative Committee Ms. Curran
- H. Jury Board no report
- I. Planning Board Mr. Fay
- 11. OLD/NEW BUSINESS There was no old/new business
- **12. EXECUTIVE SESSION** Executive Session will be held in conjunction with the following Services Committee.
- **13. ADJOURNMENT** Ms. Curran adjourned the July Operations Committee Meeting at 6:50 p.m., as there was no further business.