

position of where they could be afforded the opportunity for any misconduct.

Mrs. Bradley stated there have been several items that have come up in the auditing area and there still has not been an Audit Committee meeting and Mrs. Bradley wondered if it was still functioning, since Chairman Abrams had not asked for a report.

Mr. Collins, Clerk, related that he had just asked the Chairman that with the advertising and selection of an Accountant for St. Lawrence County, that the Audit Committee be revitalized and get somebody to work with him. Mr. Collins stated that the auditing practices in St. Lawrence County are very important and that he agrees they should be worked on and that Mr. Collins also suggested to the Chairman that perhaps coinciding with the beginning of the year the new staff person should be available right away to work with that Committee and get it functioning, and there is no reason it cannot function ahead of time.

Mrs. Bradley stated there had been no auditing done this year. The other point Mrs. Bradley wished to make was that there is one Committee, and apparently the Audit Committee agrees that we should get a listing of our telephone calls and suddenly Mrs. Bradley has never received any more and she asked if that suddenly went away.

Mr. Collins asked if they hadn't sent a list of the telephone calls out, to which Mrs. Bradley replied "One month, after the Audit Committee requested it." Mrs. Bradley asked if that had been rescinded or what?

Mr. Collins stated that maybe, and probably is, his fault. It seems like those telephone bills are now, and the amount of time involved in sectioning them off. Mr. Collins stated that Mrs. Bradley was right and that the decision to discontinue sending them should have gone back to the Audit Committee.

Chairman Abrams asked if there was any citizen who wished to participate, and since there were no citizens wishing to participate, Mr. Peters made the motion that the Legislature go to Executive Session for the purpose of discussing personnel matters, seconded by Mr. Cooke, carried unanimously.

#### RESOLUTION NO. 324—78

##### ADOPTING LOCAL LAW NO. 9 FOR THE YEAR 1978

By Mr. Rishe, Chairman, Personnel Committee

WHEREAS, Local Law No. 9 for the year 1978 was introduced at the meeting of the St. Lawrence County Board of Legislators on November 13, 1978, and

WHEREAS, a Public Hearing was conducted by the Chairman of the Board of Legislators on December 11, 1978,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Local Law No. 9 for the year 1978 is hereby adopted.

Mr. Rishe made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 324—78, seconded by Mr. Greco.

On a roll call vote, Resolution No. 324—78 was carried unanimously with 20 yes votes and 2 members absent, shown as follows:

	Yes	No	Absent	Abstain
Legislator Thompson			x	
Legislator Smith	x			
Legislator Marscher	x			
Legislator Kilcoyne	x			
Legislator Lemieux	x			
Legislator Peters	x			
Legislator Moore	x			
Legislator Greco	x			
Legislator Hess	x			
Legislator Livingston			x	
Legislator Cooke	x			
Legislator Bell	x			
Legislator Healey	x			
Legislator Bradley	x			
Legislator LaBaff	x			
Legislator Bixby	x			
Legislator Burns	x			
Legislator Rishie	x			
Legislator Sovie	x			
Legislator Vukovich	x			
Legislator Abrams	x			
Legislator Hammill	x			
Yes:	20			
No:	0			
Absent:	2			
Abstain:	0			
Total:	22			

LOCAL LAW NO. 9 FOR THE YEAR 1978

A LOCAL LAW PROVIDING CIVIL SERVICE COVERAGE  
AND STATUS TO CERTAIN PERSONNEL IN THE  
ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Be it enacted by the Board of Legislators of the County of St. Lawrence as follows:

**Section 1.** The Office of Civil Deputy in the St. Lawrence County Sheriff's Department is hereby placed in the Classified Service of the Civil Service, pursuant to the Civil Service Law of the State of New York.

**Section 2.** Such offices and positions shall be held and filled according to the provisions of the Civil Service Law, and the Rules and Regulations of the St. Lawrence County Personnel Office, and shall be governed, controlled and subject to such Civil Service Law and such Rules and Regulations.

Section 3. The foregoing provisions notwithstanding, all employees in the Sheriff's Department who are presently employed in positions to be classified under Section 1 of this Local Law, who have been continuously employed in said Department for a period of six (6) months or longer prior to the effective date of this Local Law, shall be covered in their respective positions without examination.

Section 4. If any section, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Local Law shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the section, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered.

Section 5. This Local Law shall take effect upon appropriate filing in the Secretary of State's Office of the State of New York.

**RESOLUTION NO. 325-78**

**ADOPTING LOCAL LAW NO. 10 FOR THE YEAR 1978**  
**By Mr. Greco, Chairman, Finance Committee**

WHEREAS, Local Law No. 10 for the year 1978 was introduced at the meeting of the St. Lawrence County Board of Legislators on November 13, 1978, and

WHEREAS, a Public Hearing was conducted by the Chairman of the Board of Legislators on December 11, 1978,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Local Law No. 10 for the year 1978 is hereby adopted.

Mr. Greco made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 325-78, seconded by Mr. Rische. On a roll call vote, Resolution No. 325-78 was carried unanimously with 2 members absent as shown below:

	Yes	No	Absent	Abstain
Legislator Thompson			X	
Legislator Smith	X			
Legislator Marseher	X			
Legislator Kilcoyne	X			
Legislator Lemieux	X			
Legislator Peters	X			
Legislator Moore	X			
Legislator Greco	X			
Legislator Hess	X			
Legislator Livingston			X	
Legislator Cooke	X			
Legislator Bell	X			
Legislator Healey	X			
Legislator Bradley	X			
Legislator LaBaff	X			