

RESOLUTION NO. 378

REQUIRING THAT BUDGET DETAILS REGARDING CERTAIN POSITIONS BE POSTED TO THE COUNTY WEBSITE

Introduced: 8/13/18

By Messrs. Ethier, Signoracci and Ms. McKnight:

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Section 209 of the Albany County Charter, the County Legislature has the authority to confirm or reject appointments made by the County Executive to various posts throughout the county, and

WHEREAS, These individuals are appointed to such positions at salaries not to exceed those set forth in the Adopted Budget, and

WHEREAS, It is in the best interest of the people of Albany County that when such individuals are before the Legislature for confirmation, that such salary information be openly disclosed in the text of any resolutions related to said confirmations as well as be easily accessible on the county website, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature, that prior to the confirmation of any proposed individual put forward for such position, the Clerk of the Albany County Legislature shall post to the county website the salary information designated for such position, and shall post to the county website any resolution related to said confirmation with the relevant salary contained therein, and, be it further

RESOLVED, When there is a public hearing on an appointed position, that salary information be stated at such meeting, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Referred to Personnel Committee – 8/13/18

Favorable Recommendation Personnel Committee – 8/29/18

Mr. Ethier proposed the following amendment:

The Second RESOLVED clause shall be amended in its entirety to read as follows:

“RESOLVED, That at any such hearings held by the Personnel Committee or the full Legislature regarding the confirmation of appointments made by the County Executive pursuant to Section 209 of the Albany County Charter, the Clerk of the Legislature shall make available paper copies of such salary information for the members of the public, and, be it further”

Amendment was adopted by unanimous vote

Resolution as amended adopted by unanimous vote – 9/12/18