RESOLUTION NO. 233

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES REGARDING THE MUTUALINK SYSTEM

Introduced: 6/8/15 By Public Safety Committee:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Sheriff's Department has requested authorization to enter into a one-year agreement with the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding participation in the Mutualink Program, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff indicated that the Mutualink system is an IP based multimedia network used to share radio, video and telephone directly with responders, emergency operations centers and communication centers, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff indicated that the Mutualink edge software and equipment will allow for a connection between disparate radio systems which would otherwise be incompatible, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into a one-year agreement with the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding participation in the Mutualink Program, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreement as to form and content, 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.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 6/8/15