

RESOLUTION NO. 234

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION AND AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY REGARDING AN INTEROPERABLE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

Introduced: 6/8/15

By Public Safety Committee:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Sheriff has been notified by the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services, Office of Interoperable and Emergency Communication that \$3,500,000 is available for a interoperable Public Safety Communications system in Albany County, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff has indicated that no County share or in-kind match is required and the funding will be used to facilitate the development, consolidation and improved operation of public safety communications and enhance statewide interoperable communications for first responders throughout the County, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff requested authorization to submit a grant application and to enter into a two-year agreement with the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding an Interoperable Communications System in the amount of \$3,500,000, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application and enter into a two-year agreement with the New York State Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Services, Office of Interoperable and Emergency Communication regarding an Interoperable Communications System in the amount not to exceed \$3,500,000, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said application and 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