

RESOLUTION NO. 296

AUTHORIZING AN INTERMUNICIPAL AGREEMENT REGARDING DISPATCH SERVICES

Introduced: 7/11/11

By Messrs. Ethier, Ward, Beston and Tunny:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Sheriff has requested authorization to enter into an Intermunicipal agreement with the City of Watervliet, for the transfer of dispatch functions from midnight to 8:00 AM daily, to Albany County, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff has indicated that consolidation of this service has been identified as a priority by the State Commission on Local Government Efficiency and Competitiveness and has the advantages of increasing operational effectiveness, minimizing response times and reducing costs by freeing dispatch officers for enforcement duties and in updating technology, and

WHEREAS, Albany County Communication Center intends to assume the duty and responsibilities of the dispatching functions in the City of Watervliet, from midnight to 8:00 AM daily, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into Intermunicipal agreements with the City of Watervliet, for the transfer of dispatch functions from midnight to 8:00 AM daily, to Albany County Communication Center, 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. 7/11/11