## **RESOLUTION NO. 343**

APPROVING THE PROBATION DEPARTMENT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT WITH THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES FEDERATION, AFL-CIO

Introduced: 10/10/06

By Public Safety and Personnel Committees, Messrs. Aidala, Aylward, Beston, Clay, Collins, Commisso, Ms. Connolly, Messrs. Cunningham, Dawson, Domalewicz, Ethier, Feeney, Frederick, Gordon, Houghtaling, Infante, Joyce, Ms. Maffia-Tobler, Messrs. Mayo, McCoy, Ms. McKnight, Messrs. Monjeau, Morse, Nichols, Reilly, Riddick, Shafer, Steck, Ward, Mss. Wiley and Willingham:

WHEREAS, The County of Albany and the Public Employees Federation, AFL-CIO have been negotiating a contract for the employees of the County Probation Department represented by said unit and the terms and conditions of employment have been agreed upon, and

WHEREAS, Under terms of the agreement, employees of the bargaining unit will receive a retroactive 4% raise to January 1, 2005; a retroactive 3% raise to January 1, 2006; a 3% raise effective January 1, 2007, followed by a new Step 15 and step increases for Probation Officers, Probation Assistants and Part-time Probation Officers; and a 2% pay raise effective January 1, 2008, followed by another 2% raise on July 1, 2008, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the portions of said agreement setting forth salary and benefit provisions for members of the bargaining unit in the Albany County Probation Department are ratified and confirmed, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the 2006 Probation Department Budget is amended to accommodate said agreement per the spreadsheet filed with the Clerk of the Legislature, 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. 10/10/06