RESOLUTION NO. 47

AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 233 FOR 2015 REGARDING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES REGARDING THE MUTUALINK SYSTEM

Introduced: 2/13/17

By Public Safety Committee:

WHEREAS, By Resolution No. 233 for 2015, this Honorable body authorized 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 also indicated that the Mutualink edge software and equipment will allow for a connection between disparate radio systems which would otherwise be incompatible, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff has requested authorization to extend the agreement for the period of January 1, 2017 through January 31, 2018, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to extend the agreement with the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding participation in the Mutualink Program for the period January 1, 2017 through January 31, 2018 and accept 10 additional Edge client software licenses, 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. 2/13/17 Mr. A. Joyce abstained.