RESOLUTION NO. 147

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH HUDSON VALLEY WIRELESS REGARDING INTERNET ACCESS IN RURAL COMMUNITIES

Introduced: 4/12/17 By Audit and Finance Committee and Mr. Clenahan:

WHEREAS, The County Executive has requested authorization to enter into an agreement with Hudson Valley Wireless LLC regarding the provision of broadband internet access to rural areas of Albany County, and

WHEREAS, The County Executive indicated that the agreement would grant access by Hudson Valley Wireless to County-owned communications towers and facilities in the future for further expansion of services, and they would provide access to broadband internet services in many rural communities, and

WHEREAS, After an RFP process, Hudson Valley Wireless was the sole responsible proposer and was deemed capable and qualified to accomplish the project, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with Hudson Valley Wireless LLC., 34 Russell Road Albany, NY 12205 regarding access to County-owned communications towers and facilities for the provision of broadband internet access to rural areas of Albany County 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. 4/12/17