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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Amend the 2021-2026 Capital Improvement Program and the 2021 Capital Budget to Add a Project Entitled "Public Safety Voice and Digital Paging Systems Refresh" and Authorize an Interfund Transfer

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body amend the 2021-2026 Capital Improvement Program and the 2021 Capital Budget to add a project entitled "Public Safety Voice and Digital Paging Systems Refresh" in the amount of \$350,000, and authorize an interfund transfer for the project in the amount of \$350,000.

The Monroe County Department of Public Safety has two long-standing dedicated paging systems designed for alerting local emergency responders to incidents within the County. One system is a voice paging system used primarily for alerting county fire departments and their members. The second system is a digital paging system that services a multitude of public safety agencies, including firefighters, EMS, 911 Center Staff. Both systems are beyond their useful service life and require technology updates in order to maintain reliable communications for local responders.

This project is scheduled to be considered by the Planning Board on June 24, 2021.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Amend the 2021-2026 Capital Improvement Program to add a project entitled "Public Safety Voice and Digital Paging Systems Refresh" in the amount of \$350,000.
2. Amend the 2021 Capital Budget to add a project entitled "Public Safety Voice and Digital Paging Systems Refresh" in the amount of \$350,000.

3. Authorize the Controller to transfer \$350,000 from general fund 9001 to the capital fund to be established for the "Public Safety Voice and Digital Paging Systems Refresh" project.

This action is a Type II action pursuant to 6 NYCRR §617.5(c)(31) ("purchase or sale of furnishings, equipment or supplies, including surplus government property, other than the following: land, radioactive material, pesticides, herbicides, or other hazardous materials") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for this project, consistent with authorized uses, will be included in the capital fund to be established and any other capital fund(s) created for the same intended purpose. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive

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