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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
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Rochester, New York 14614

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Subject: Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with Ontario County for the Coordination of the Counties' Radio Systems and the Placement and Operation of New Interoperable Communications Equipment

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize an intermunicipal agreement with Ontario County for the coordination of the counties' radio systems and the placement and operation of new interoperable communications equipment in each county.

Ontario County was awarded a Statewide Interoperable Communications Grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services that will fund the purchase and installation of microwave equipment on Monroe County's communications site at Willard Road in the Town of Pittsford in order to enhance both counties' public safety radio communication systems. Ontario County is the lead agency for the installation of the new interoperable communications equipment at Willard Road in the Town of Pittsford. Monroe County will assume responsibility for maintenance of the communications equipment once installed at the Willard Road facility.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with Ontario County for the coordination of radio systems between the counties and the placement and operation of interoperable communications equipment at the Willard Road communications site in the Town of Pittsford.

This action is a type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5 (c)(9) ("construction or expansion of a primary or accessory/appurtenant, non-residential structure or facility involving less than 4,000 square feet of gross floor area and not involving a change in zoning or a use variance and consistent with local land use controls, but not radio communication or microwave transmission facilities") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

This intermunicipal agreement will have no impact on the revenues or expenditures of 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