

By Legislators Long and Maffucci

Intro. No. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2025

**ACCEPTING GRANT FROM UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, OFFICE OF VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN, FOR ENHANCING INVESTIGATIONS AND PROSECUTION PROGRAM FOR OFFICE OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND AUTHORIZING CONTRACT WITH WILLOW DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CENTER OF GREATER ROCHESTER**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF MONROE, as follows:

Section 1. The County Executive, or his designee, is hereby authorized to accept a \$500,000 grant from, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the United States Department of Justice – Office of Violence Against Women, for the Enhancing Investigations and Prosecution Program in the Office of the District Attorney for the period of October 1, 2024 through September 30, 2027.

Section 2. The 2025 operating budget of the District Attorney’s Office is hereby amended by appropriating the sum of \$500,000 into general fund 9300, funds center 2505020000, Domestic Violence Bureau.

Section 3. The County Executive, or his designee, is hereby authorized to create one (1) new Special Assistant District Attorney position, Group 21.

Section 4. The County Executive, or his designee, is hereby authorized to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with Willow Domestic Violence Center of Greater Rochester in the amount of \$50,000 for the period of October 1, 2024 through September 30, 2027.

Section 5. The County Executive is hereby authorized to appropriate any subsequent years of the grant award in accordance with the grant terms, to reappropriate any unencumbered balances during the grant period according to the grantor requirements, to make any necessary funding modifications within the grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments, and to enter into any amendments to extend the time period of the grant.

Section 6. Should funding of this program be modified or terminated for any reason, the County Executive is hereby authorized to terminate or modify the program and, where applicable, to terminate or abolish some or all positions funded under such program. Any termination or abolishment of positions shall be in accordance with New York State Civil Service Law and, when applicable, the terms of any labor agreement affecting such positions.

Section 7. This resolution shall take effect in accordance with Section C2-7 of the Monroe County Charter.

Public Safety Committee; January 28, 2025 – CV: 11-0  
Ways and Means Committee; January 28, 2025 - CV: 11-0  
File No. 25-0019

ADOPTION: Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Vote: \_\_\_\_\_

**ACTION BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE**

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_ VETOED: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

EFFECTIVE DATE OF RESOLUTION: \_\_\_\_\_