

By Legislators Dondorfer and Delchanty

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

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_ OF 2022

**ACCEPTING GRANT FROM NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES FOR 2022 PAUL COVERDELL FORENSIC SCIENCE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (MONROE COUNTY CRIME LAB)**

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 \$54,656 grant from, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the 2022 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Program (Monroe County Crime Lab) for the period of October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023.

Section 2. The 2022 operating budget of the Monroe County Department of Public Safety is hereby amended by appropriating the sum of \$54,656 into general fund 9300, funds center 2408040100, Monroe County Crime Laboratory.

Section 3. 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, and to make any necessary funding modifications within the grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments.

Section 4. 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 5. This resolution shall take effect in accordance with Section C2-7 of the Monroe County Charter.

Public Safety Committee; September 28, 2022 - CV: 9-0  
Ways and Means Committee; September 28, 2022 - CV: 11-0  
File No. 22-0292

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

ACTION BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

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

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

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



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Monroe County, New York

**Adam J. Bello**  
*County Executive*

September 9, 2022

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

**Subject:** Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the 2022 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Program (Monroe County Crime Lab)

**Honorable Legislators:**

I recommend that Your Honorable Body accept a grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services in the amount of \$54,656 for the 2022 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Program for the period of October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023.

This program provides funding for the Monroe County Crime Laboratory to fund accreditation expenses, supplies, and travel for training which will improve the quality and timeliness of forensic services. This is the twenty-first year the County has received this grant. This year's funding represents a decrease of \$2,555 from last year.

**The specific legislative actions required are:**

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept a \$54,656 grant from, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the 2022 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Program (Monroe County Crime Lab) for the period of October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023.
2. Amend the 2022 operating budget of the Monroe County Department of Public Safety by appropriating the sum of \$54,656 into general fund 9300, funds center 2408040100, Monroe County Crime Laboratory.

3. Authorize the County Executive 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, and to make any necessary funding modifications within the grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments.
4. 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.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5 (c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

This grant is 100% funded by the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services. No 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adam Bello", written over the word "Sincerely,".

Adam J. Bello  
Monroe County Executive

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