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Committee Assignment

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

Subject: Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements and Contracts with Fire Agencies for Vehicle Mobile Data Terminal Access to the Monroe County 911 Computer Aided Dispatch System

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize intermunicipal agreements and contracts with fire agencies for vehicle mobile data terminal access to the Monroe County 911 Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) system, for the period of July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2022, with the option to renew for three (3) additional five-year terms.

Currently, fire agencies throughout Monroe County communicate on the radio for routine call traffic such as: en route, on scene, and returning to service. This takes up radio "air time" on shared radio channels that often causes conflicting, lost, and garbled audio. Allowing direct cellular (air card) connections between the fire vehicles and the 911 CAD system will allow for timely incident updates, reduce radio traffic conflicts and assist in reducing voice radio traffic volumes, providing more airtime for urgent transmissions and resulting in improved accuracy in recording actual call times.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or her designee, to execute intermunicipal agreements and contracts, and any amendments thereto, with fire agencies for vehicle mobile data terminal access to the Monroe County 911 Computer Aided Dispatch system, for the period of July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2022, with the option to renew for three (3) additional five-year terms.

Environmental assessments were completed for this action and it was determined there would be no significant effect on the environment.

This 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,

Cheryl Dinolfo
Monroe County Executive

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