

Summary of Minutes
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
April 22, 2025
5:30 p.m.

Chairman Long called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dave Long (Chair), Howard Maffucci (Vice Chair), William Burgess, Susan Hughes-Smith, Mercedes Vazquez Simmons, Santos Cruz, Robert Colby, Tracy DiFlorio, Richard B. Milne, Jackie Smith, Yversha Román (Ex Officio)

MEMBERS ABSENT: Paul Dondorfer (RMM) (Excused)

OTHER LEGISLATORS PRESENT: Steve Brew, Blake Keller, Rachel Barnhart, Rose Bonnick, John B. Baynes, Albert Blankley, Michael Yudelson, Lystra Bartholomew McCoy

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Anthony Plonczynski-Figueroa (Assistant County Executive), Robert Franklin (CFO), John Bringewatt (County Attorney), Brendon Fleming (Sr. Deputy County Attorney), Miguel Munoz (Deputy County Attorney), Tim Henry (Public Safety Deputy Director), Adrienne Green (Legislative Liaison), Sean Murphy (Chief of Engineering & Facilities), Jennifer Curley (Sheriff's Admin), Richard Tantalo (Public Safety Director), Clement Chung (DES Deputy Director), Dawn Staub (DA Admin), Julie Cianca (Public Defender), Sarah Holt (Conflict Defender), Michael Fowler (Chief Deputy), Mike Garland (DES Director), Peter Elder (BOE Commissioner), Jackie Ortiz (BOE Commissioner)

PUBLIC FORUM: There were no speakers.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of March 25, 2025 were approved as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS:

25-0127 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services for the 2024 Statewide Interoperable Communications Grant Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Maffucci, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.
ADOPTED: 10-0

25-0128 - Amend Resolution 129 of 2024 to Accept Additional Funding from the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services for the Offices of the Public Defender, the Conflict Defender and the Assigned Counsel Program for the 2nd Statewide Expansion of the Hurrell-Harring Program - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Maffucci, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.
ADOPTED: 10-0

25-0129 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services for the Fourth Upstate Model Family Representation Program for the Office of the Public Defender - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Maffucci, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.

ADOPTED: 10-0

25-0135 - Adopt a Resolution Allowing Monroe County to Install Automatic License Plate Reader Equipment and Technology Within Right-of-Way Owned by New York State – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Maffucci, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.

ADOPTED: 8-2 (*Legislators Cruz and Hughes-Smith Voted in the Negative.*)

25-0136 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for the 2024 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Program (Monroe County Crime Lab) - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Maffucci, SECONDED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons.

ADOPTED: 10-0

OTHER MATTERS:

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no other matters, Chairman Long adjourned the meeting at 6:02 p.m.

The next Public Safety Committee Meeting **will be held on Tuesday, May 20, 2025 at 5:30 p.m.**

Respectfully submitted,
David Grant
Clerk of the Legislature