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6:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER ROLL CALL PRAYER BY LEGISLATOR PAVLOCK PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES FOR 12/20/2023 PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Members of the public may comment on any subject relating to any local law, resolution, or motion appearing on the agenda. Individual comments are limited to 3 minutes and comments representing a group shall be limited to 5 minutes.

COMMENDATIONS:

Chautauqua Lake Girls Volleyball State Champions By County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. and Legislator Martin Proctor

> Dr. Lilian Ney Board of Health By County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.

VETO MESSAGES FROM COUNTY EXECUTIVE WENDEL NO VETOES FROM 12/20/2023

COMMUNICATIONS:

- 1. Letter Chairman Chagnon Cornell Cooperative Extension Board of Directors Appointment
- 2. Letter Chairman Chagnon Portland-Pomfret-Dunkirk- Sewer District Board Appointment
- 3. Letter Chairman Chagnon Chautauqua County IDA Appointment
- 4. Letter NYS Department of State Acknowledgement of Local Law 12-23
- 5. Letter County Attorney Legal Services for County Legislature 2024

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<u>LOCAL LAW INTRO. 1-24 –</u> A Local Law Amending Local Law 13-22 Providing for a Management Salary Plan for County Officers and Employees (Re: Administrative Coordinator for the Department of Health)

<u>LOCAL LAW INTRO. 2-24 –</u> A Local Law Amending Local Law 13-22 Providing for a Management Salary Plan for County Officers and Employees (Re: Deputy Compliance Officer)

TABLED RES. NO. 327-23 – Authorize Use of 3% Reserve Funding and AuthorizeAgreement with Chautauqua Region EconomicDevelopment Corporation to initiate a Public ArtProgram

RESOLUTIONS:

- 6-24 Confirm Appointment Parks Commission
- 7-24 Confirm Appointments and Reappointment Airport Commission
- 8-24 Confirm Appointment Landfill Commission
- 9-24 Confirm Appointment New York State Fish and Wildlife Management Board
- 10-24 Confirm Re-Appointment North Chautauqua Lake Sewer District Board
- 11-24 Confirm Re-Appointment South and Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts' Board
- 12-24 Confirm Reappointments- Chautauqua County Ethics Board
- 13-24 Confirm Appointments and Re-Appointments Chautauqua County Fire Advisory Board
- 14-24 Confirm Appointments and Reappointments Chautauqua County Emergency Medical Services Council
- 15-24 Confirm Appointment Chautauqua County Youth Board
- 16-24 Confirm Appointments to the Chautauqua County Agricultural & Farmland Protection Board
- 17-24 Confirm Appointment Lake Erie Management Commission
- 18-24 Confirm Appointment and Re-Appointment- Chautauqua County Visitors Bureau Board of Directors
- 19-24 Confirm Appointment County of Chautauqua Industrial Development Agency Board of Directors
- 20-24 Amend Capital Budget for Underground Fuel Tank Removal
- 21-24 Amend CARTS Hub Capital Project Account
- 22-24 Compromise of Disputed Chargeback Amount
- 23-24 Authorize acceptance of funds from the Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance for the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) for FY 2023
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- 25-24 Amend Emergency Services 2024 Budget 2024 Eclipse Preparedness
- 26-24 Accept Southern Tier Community Impact Grant
- 27-24 FY2023 Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) Grant Program
- 28-24 Amend 2024 Budget to Implement Round 3 of the Marketing Assistance to Businesses and Not-for-Profits Project within the Chautauqua County American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Spending Plan
- 29-24 Authorize Extension of Lease Agreement for Department of Planning & Development at the BWB Center
- 30-24 Amend Rules and Regulations of the Chautauqua County Legislature
- 31-24 Authorize Agreement with NYS ITS for Orthoimagery Enhancements
- 32-24 Reallocating Salary Grade for Resource Assistant (Human Resources)
- 33-24 Reallocating Salary Grade for Communications Technician Trainee, Communications Technician, Sr. Communications Technician and Communications System Coordinator

MOTIONS:

- A. Proclaiming February Black History Month
- **B.** Proclaiming January Human Trafficking Awareness Month

PRESENTATIONS:

Jefferson Project 2023 Report

Salary Review Commission Final Recommendations

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

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TABLED RES. NO. 327-23

Authorize Use of 3% Reserve Funding and Authorize Agreement with Chautauqua Region Economic Development Corporation to initiate a Public Art Program

By Planning and Economic Development and Audit & Control Committees: At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, Chautauqua County has established a 3% occupancy tax program for the purposes of promoting, developing and protecting the area's tourism industry; and

WHEREAS, public art is an essential building block in driving tourism, economic development and quality of place; and

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua 20/20 Comprehensive Plan defines applicable strategies in the Tourism/Cultural Resources section specific to:

- Developing several new, primary tourist attractions that increase visitation in all four seasons; and
- Promote vibrant communities that excite Chautauqua's youth and attract new residents, and improve the connections between the County's adults and employers with younger generations; and

WHEREAS, recreation opportunities, wine trails, historic attractions, arts, natural features and other assets of Chautauqua County make it an obvious destination for tourists; and

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua Region Economic Development Corporation ("CREDC") and its public/private economic development collaborative, the Chautauqua County Partnership for Economic Growth ("CCPEG"), in partnership with the Chautauqua County Department of Planning & Development will develop a public art program to encourage further community investment in public art/arts, attract new tourism and foster local pride in place; and

WHEREAS, as of November 15, 2023, the 3% Occupancy Tax Reserve has a balance of \$678,854; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is hereby authorized to enter into any and all contracts necessary to implement the terms of this resolution; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the A Fund Balance is appropriated as follows:

INCREASE THE USE OF FUND BALANCE:

A.----.883.0000 Reserved Fund Bal – Reserve for Occupancy Tax \$100,000

; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2024 Adopted Budget:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

A.6420.TOUR.4Contractual – Promotion of Industry, Tourism\$100,000(12/14/23 AC - Carried with Legislator Niebel voting "No")(12/20/23 Leg – Tabled with Legislator Niebel voting "No")

RES. NO. 6-24 Confirm Appointment – Parks Commission

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of Chairman Pierre E. Chagnon:

WHEREAS, Chairman Pierre E. Chagnon, has submitted the following appointment for action by the Legislature; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature confirms the following appointment to the Chautauqua County Parks Commission.

Appointment:

Legislator Robert Scudder 348 W. Main Street Fredonia, NY 14063 Term Expires: 12/31/25 Signed: Scudder, Anthony, Nelson

RES. NO. 7-24 Confirm Appointments and Reappointment – Airport Commission

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. has submitted the following appointments and reappointment for action by the Chautauqua County Legislature; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature does hereby confirm the following appointments and reappointment to the Airport Commission.

David Wilfong 39 Norton Ave. Jamestown, NY 14701 Term Expires 12/31/25 (Reappointment)

Phillip Landy 4461 360 E. Virginia Blvd. Jamestown, NY 14701 Term Expires: 12/31/25 (New Appointment)

John Shedd 7 Walnut St. Lakewood, NY 14750 Term Expires: 12/31/25 (New Appointment) Signed: Scudder, Anthony, Nelson

RES. NO. 8-24 Confirm Appointment – Landfill Commission

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. has submitted the following appointment for action by the Chautauqua County Legislature; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature does hereby confirm the following appointment to the Chautauqua County Landfill Commission.

Legislator John Penhollow 5575 Fenner Rd. Sinclairville NY 14782 Term Expires 12/31/24 (New Appointment – Legislator - Replacing John Davis) Signed: Scudder, Anthony, Nelson

RES. NO. 9-24 Confirm Appointment – New York State Fish and Wildlife Management Board

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. has submitted the following appointment for action by the Chautauqua County Legislature; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature does hereby confirm the following appointments and reappointment to the New York State Fish and Wildlife Management Board.

Dalton Anthony 17 Prospect St. Frewsburg, NY 14738 Term Expires: 12/31/25 (New Appointment) Signed: Scudder, Anthony, Nelson

> RES. NO. 10-24 Confirm Re-Appointment - North Chautauqua Lake Sewer District Board

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of Chairman Pierre E. Chagnon:

WHEREAS, the North Chautauqua Lake Sewer District was established as a County Sewer District by Resolution 86-75, as amended, and Resolution 37-76; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to County Law §261 and County Resolution 38-76, as amended by Resolutions 263-19 and 148-21, the District is administered by a board consisting of six (6) members, five (5) of whom are appointed by the County Legislature and serve six year terms, and one (1) of whom is appointed by the Chairman of the County Legislature and serves at the pleasure of the Chairman of the County Legislature; and

WHEREAS, the North Chautauqua Lake Sewer District Board has recommended the following re-appointment; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Legislature re-appoints the following individual to the North Chautauqua Lake Sewer District Board:

David A. Thomas 35 Maple Drive West Mayville, NY 14757 Term Expires: 12/31/2029 Signed: Scudder, Anthony, Nelson

RES. NO. 11-24 Confirm Re-Appointment – South and Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts' Board

By Public Facilities Committee:

At the Request of Chairman Pierre E. Chagnon:

WHEREAS, pursuant to County Law §261 the County Legislature designates officers, boards or bodies to serve as administrative heads or bodies of County districts; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolutions 170-70 and 173-70 Center and South Chautauqua Lake Sewer District board members are appointed to serve for six (6) year terms; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 297-82 a single Administrative Board serves as the administrative body for both the South and the Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts (Administrative Board); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 253-20 the size of the Administrative Board is fixed at seven (7) members; and

WHEREAS, the Administrative Board has recommended the following re-appointment; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature confirm the following reappointment to the South & Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts Board:

Thomas Erlandson 26 Valley View Dr. Frewsburg, NY 14738 Term Expires: 12/31/2029 Signed: Scudder, Anthony, Nelson

RES. NO. 12-24

Confirm Reappointments- Chautauqua County Ethics Board

By Administrative Services Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. has submitted the following reappointments for action by the Chautauqua County Legislature; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature does hereby confirm the following reappointments to the Chautauqua County Ethics Board.

Dr. John P. Hamels 5996 Welch Hill Rd. Ripley, NY 14775 Term Expires: 1/31/27 (Reappointment)

Diane Hannum 10435 Bay Shore Dr. Dunkirk, NY 14048 Term Expires: 1/31/27 (Reappointment) Signed: Scudder, Anthony, Parker, Vanstrom, Heiser

RES. NO. 13-24

Confirm Appointments and Re-Appointments – Chautauqua County Fire Advisory Board

By Public Safety Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. has submitted the following appointments and re-appointments to the Chautauqua County Legislature for action; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature hereby confirms the following appointments and re-appointments to the Chautauqua County Fire Advisory Board.

1st Battalion

E. Lawrence Barter 9 Pine Dr. Fredonia, NY 14063 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment Mike Edwards 143 West 4th St Dunkirk, NY 14048 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment Thomas Kolassa 23 Seymour St Fredonia, NY 14063 Term Expires: 1/31/24 Re-appointment

Joshua Newark 8121 Rt 60 Cassadaga, NY 14718 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-Appointment

2nd Battalion

Lisa Babcock 9126 Belson Rd Ripley, NY 14775 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Appointment

Mark Smith 9437 E. Main Rd Ripley, NY 14775 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment

3rd Battalion

Jordan Bailey 797 Fairmount Ave Jamestown, NY 14701 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-Appointment

Charles Piazza 181 FrewRun Rd Frewsburg, NY 14738 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment

4th Battalion

David Bartkowiak 2575 Palm Rd Jamestown, NY 14701 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-Appointment

Jeff Molnar 30 Main St Bemus Point, NY 14712 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment Brian Purol 3681 New Road Dunkirk, NY 14048 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment

Rusty Hardenburg 12 Maple Dr. West Mayville, NY 14757 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment

Ronald H. Trippy 6755 S. Portage Rd Westfield, NY 14787 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment

Mike Gleason 6524 Eiden Rd Mayville, NY 14757 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Appointment

Daniel Sisson 1514 Bunce Rd Frewsburg, NY 14738 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-Appointment

Ryan Delahoy 205 N. Dow St Falconer, NY 14733 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment

Barry Swanson 4870 Bayview Rd Bemus Point, NY 14712 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-Appointment Aaron Weiskerger 12155 Angell Rd Lot 77 Silver Creek, NY 14136 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-Appointment

Lyle Holland 47 Clinton St Westfield, NY 14787 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-appointment

David Walker 7577 North Gale St Westfield, NY 14787 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Appointment

Nick Niles 15 Howard St Frewsburg, NY 14738 Term Expires:1/31/2024 Re-Appointment

Michael Zamborik 948 Blockville - Watts Flats Rd Ashville, NY 14710 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Re-Appointment

> John Griffith 3659 Dean School Rd Falconer, NY 14733 Term Expires:1/31/2024 Re-Appointment

Brenton Yager 1888 East Elmwood Ave Falconer, NY 14733 Term Expires: 1/31/2024 Appointment

Signed: Niebel, Proctor, Nelson, Landy

RES. NO. 14-24 Confirm Appointments and Reappointments – Chautauqua County Emergency Medical Services Council

By Public Safety Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. has submitted the following appointments and reappointments for action by the Chautauqua County Legislature; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature does hereby confirm the following appointments and reappointments to the Chautauqua County Emergency Medical Services Council.

<u>Name:</u>	<u>Address:</u>	Term Expires:	Affiliation:	<u>Appointment/</u> <u>Reappointment:</u>
Samantha Stokes	231 Lincoln Ave. Dunkirk, NY 14048	12/31/2024	Battalion 1	New Appointment
Lisa M. Babcock	9126 Belson Rd. Ripley, NY 14775	12/31/2025	Battalion 2	New Appointment
Shannon Raynor	6714 Beech Hill Rd. Dewittville, NY 14728	12/31/2026	Battalion 2	New Appointment
Deborah Weaver	6 Nottingham Circle, Jamestown, NY 14767	12/31/2025	Battalion 3	New Appointment
Alicia L. Elderkin	2191 Page Rd. Kennedy, NY 14747	12/31/2026	Battalion 4	Reappointment
Charlene Unger	3327 West Oak Hill Rd. Jamestown, NY 14701	12/31/2026	Battalion 4	New Appointment
Julie Morton	44 Temple St. Fredonia, NY 14063	12/31/2026	Brooks Hospital	Reappointment
Kayla Justham	53 Melvin Ave. Celoron, NY 14775	12/31/2025	DOH Course I	New Appointment

E. Lawrence Barter	9 Pine Dr. Fredonia, NY 14063	12/31/2026	Fire Advisory Board	Reappointment
Brian M. Walters	38 Alpine Meadows, Ellicottville, NY 14731	12/31/2026	Medical Director I	Reappointment
Nicholas Barter	61 Maple Ave. Fredonia, NY 14063	12/31/2026	North AT Large	Reappointment
Hanny Qardri	17 Westwood Dr. Jamestown, NY 14701	12/31/2026	South At Large	New Appointment
William R. Johnston	401 Palmer St. Jamestown, NY 14701	12/31/2026	South At Large	Reappointment

Signed: Niebel, Proctor, Nelson, Landy

RES. NO. 15-24 Confirm Appointment - Chautauqua County Youth Board

By Human Services Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. has submitted the following appointment for action by the Chautauqua County Legislature; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature does hereby confirm the following appointment to the Chautauqua County Youth Board.

Dalton Anthony 17 Prospect St. Frewsburg, NY 14738 Term Expires: 12/31/26 (New Appointment) Signed: Proctor, Parker, Landy, Pavlock, Gustafson

> RES. NO. 16-24 Confirm Appointments to the Chautauqua County Agricultural & Farmland Protection Board

By Planning and Economic Development Committee:

At the Request of Chairman Pierre Chagnon:

WHEREAS, Legislature Chairman Pierre Chagnon, has submitted the following reappointments for action by the Chautauqua County legislature; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature does hereby confirm the following appointments to the Agricultural & Farmland Protection Board for terms in accordance with Section 302 of the New York State Agriculture & Markets Law:

Legislator Fred Johnson 8415 W. Main Road Westfield, N.Y. 14787 Term Expires: 12/31/2025 (New Appointment – Legislative Representative)

William Northrop Active Farmer 8482 Hardscrabble Road Westfield, New York 14787 Term Commence: 1/1/2024 Term Expires: 12/31/2027 (New Appointment – Replacing Stephen Kimball) Signed: Harmon, Johnson, Wilfong, Gustafson

RES. NO. 17-24 Confirm Appointment – Lake Erie Management Commission

By Planning & Economic Development Committee:

At the Request of Chairman Pierre E. Chagnon:

WHEREAS, Chairman Pierre E. Chagnon, has submitted the following appointment for action by the Chautauqua County Legislature, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature hereby confirms the appointment of the following member of the Lake Erie Management Commission to serve at the pleasure of the Legislature:

<u>Appointment:</u> Legislator Marcus Buchanan 200 Brooks Ave. Dunkirk, NY 14048 Signed: Harmon, Johnson, Gustafson, Wilfong

RES. NO. 18-24

Confirm Appointment and Re-Appointment- Chautauqua County Visitors Bureau Board of Directors

By Planning & Economic Development Committee:

At the Request of Chairman Pierre E. Chagnon:

WHEREAS, per Resolution 66-84 there shall be two legislators named as voting members of the Chautauqua County Visitors Bureau Board of Directors; and

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Legislature has submitted the following names for appointment and re-appointment by the Legislature; now therefore be it RESOLVED, That the following named individuals be appointed to the Chautauqua County Visitors Bureau Board of Directors.

> <u>Re-Appointment</u> Martin Proctor 2276 Route 426 Clymer, NY 14724

<u>Appointment</u> Frederick Larson 175 Pleasantview Drive Jamestown NY, 14701

Signed: Harmon, Johnson, Wilfong, Gustafson

RES. NO. 19-24 Confirm Appointment – County of Chautauqua Industrial Development Agency Board of Directors

By Planning and Economic Development Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr. has submitted the following appointment for action by the Chautauqua County Legislature; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Chautauqua County Legislature does hereby confirm the following appointment to the County of Chautauqua Industrial Development Agency Board of Directors.

Kevin Muldowney 10 Beach Rd. Dunkirk, NY 14048 Term Expires: 12/31/27 (New Appointment – Filling Rhonda Johnson Vacancy) Signed: Harmon, Johnson, Wilfong, Gustafson

RES. NO. 20-24 Amend Capital Budget for Underground Fuel Tank Removal

By Public Facilities and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the South and Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts (Districts) are removing an underground fuel tank (the Project); and

WHEREAS, the Districts are seeking to increase the Capital Budget to complete the Project; and

WHEREAS, an above-ground tank has been purchased and will be installed on site by the Districts' staff rather than a third party vendor for cost saving purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Administrative Board for the Districts has approved the addition of \$93,670.00 to the Capital Project budget; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the ESS Fund Balance be appropriated as follows:

INCREASE THE USE OF FUND BALANCE: ESS924.0000 Unassigned Fund Balance-Nets Assets-Unrestricted (Deficit) ; and be it further RESOLVED, That the Director of Finance is hereby directed to m changes to the 2023 Adopted Budget:	\$93,670 ake the following
INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT: ESS.8130.27005.4 Contractual-Sewage Treatment-Underground Fuel Tank Rem (2022) Signed: Scudder, Niebel, Pavlock, Wilfong, Anthony, Nelson, Johnson	\$93,670
RES. NO. 21-24 Amend CARTS Hub Capital Project Account	
By Public Facilities and Audit & Control Committees: At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.: WHEREAS, Chautauqua County approved Capital Project H.5630 of CARTS Hub in the 2023 Capital Budget; and WHEREAS, the funding needs exceed original estimates and now \$820,000; now therefore be it RESOLVED, That the A Fund Balance is adjusted as follows:	
INCREASE THE USE OF FUND BALANCE: A917.0000 Reserved Fund Balance – Reserve for Capital	\$155,258
; and be it further RESOLVED, That the Director of Finance is authorized and direc following amendments to the 2024 Budget:	ted to make the
<u>INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:</u> A.99509 Interfund Transfers – Transfer to Capital	\$155,258
INCREASE CAPITAL REVENUE ACCOUNT: H.5630.25261.R503.1000 Interfund Transfers – Interfund Transfer	\$155,258
INCREASE CAPITAL APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:H.5630.25261.4Contractual—Renovations of CARTS Hub (2033)Signed: Scudder, Niebel, Pavlock, Anthony, Nelson, Johnson, Wilfong	\$155,258

RES. NO. 22-24 Compromise of Disputed Chargeback Amount

By Administrative Services and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, tax identification number 065889-95-9-95..PS1, relates to certain telecommunications infrastructure in the Town of Pomfret; and

WHEREAS said parcel was assigned a new parcel number and assessed to a new owner, but the old number remained on local assessment rolls and was taxed from 2004 to 2021; and

WHEREAS, the County of Chautauqua, upon discovering the error, cancelled the duplicate taxation and charged back amounts previously paid via the guarantee of taxes; and

WHEREAS, the Fredonia Central School District objected to the amount of the chargeback, being \$85,047.97, and retained legal counsel who engaged in discussions with the County Attorney; and

WHEREAS, the prospect of litigation raised by counsel risks adverse court holdings and a financial and personnel cost greater than settlement of the claim; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the County of Chautauqua shall limit the chargeback of tax debt to the most recent six years of taxes, representing an amount of \$36,318.71; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the County of Chautauqua shall pay the sum previously withheld as chargeback, minus the six years of taxes, to the Fredonia CSD within sixty (60) business days after a settlement is executed; and be it further

RESOLVED, The County Executive is authorized to execute any and all documents effecting the settlement of claims herein on these terms, or such terms closely approximating those set out herein.

Signed: Scudder, Niebel, Pavlock, Wilfong, Anthony, Parker, Vanstrom, Heiser, Johnson

RES. NO. 23-24

Authorize acceptance of funds from the Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance for the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) for FY 2023

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Sheriff received notice the Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance has approved the application submitted for the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) FY23; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance will provide funding in the amount of \$16,553 with no local funds required for the contract period from July 1, 2021 to September 30, 2024; and

WHEREAS, this funding is included in the 2024 budget, therefore no budget amendment is needed; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, The Chautauqua County Executive is authorized to accept the appropriate agreement with the Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Assistance to secure the grant funding as set forth above.

Signed: Niebel, Pavlock, Wilfong, Proctor, Nelson, Landy, Scudder, Johnson

RES. NO. 24-24 Amend 2024 Budget to Implement the Jail Property Packaging System Project, Using Funding from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees: At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, President Biden signed into law the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) on March 11, 2021, and this legislation contains a wide array of stimulus and recovery funding designed to ensure the nation's swift economic and public health recovery from COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, Chautauqua County received an award of \$24,649,420 in ARPA funding, all of which is available for general county spending based on the Treasury Department's revenue loss formula and other guidance; and

WHEREAS, an ARPA Spending Plan was thoroughly reviewed by an ARPA working group, the County Executive, and the County Legislature, and was adopted pursuant to Resolution No. 202-21; and

WHEREAS, some funds allocated in the ARPA Spending Plan are no longer needed for the originally designated project(s), and are now available for other projects, and a procedure has been established for the ARPA working group to review new requests for APPA funds and to allocate the available funds; and

WHEREAS, the Jail Property Packaging System project fits within the guidelines for ARPA spending, is needed because it separates and seals inmate's property so Jail staff does not come in contact, and budget amendments are necessary to authorize spending for the project; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2024 Adopted Budget:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS:

A.31502	Equipment— Jail		\$10,850
A.31504	Contractual— Jail		\$1,150
		Total	\$12,000

INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:

A.3150.----.R408.9ARP Federal Aid—Oth Fed Aid ARPA Funds \$12,000 Signed: Niebel, Wilfong, Pavlock, Proctor, Nelson, Landy, Scudder, Johnson

RES. NO. 25-24

Amend Emergency Services 2024 Budget - 2024 Eclipse Preparedness

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Office of Emergency Services is planning for the operations and safety for Chautauqua County for the upcoming April 8th, 2024 Total Solar Eclipse; and

WHEREAS, this event is expected to have a large impact on Chautauqua County and additional steps are being taken to help ensure safety and security for all; and

WHEREAS, additional DisasterLAN Computer Software (DLAN), estimated to cost \$12,000, is needed to assist in the emergency planning and execution of this event; and

WHEREAS, additional EMS and mass casualty medical supplies, estimated to cost \$25,000, are needed to stage in areas around the county to assist in the event of a large scale EMS response; and

WHEREAS, a First Net Compact Rapid Deployable (CRD, Cell-on-wheels), estimated to cost \$98,000, is needed to facilitate back-up communications and 911 redundancy, where said device will help to ensure communications during this event and beyond; and

WHEREAS, additional traffic supplies including 2 (Two) Variable Message Sign (VMS) Trailers, 2 (Two) vehicle mounted Variable Message Sign Boards and 30 minute traffic flares are needed and are estimated to cost \$59,350, and

WHEREAS, these expenditures are not included in the 2024 Adopted Budget; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the A Fund Balance is appropriated as follows:

INCREASE THE USE OF FUND BALANCE:

A.----.917.0000 Unassigned Fund Balance—Unassigned Fund Balance \$194,350

; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Director of Finance is hereby directed to make the following changes to the 2024 Adopted Budget:

INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT:

A.3010.----.2Equipment – Emergency Services\$151,319A.3010.----.4Contractual – Emergency Services\$43,031(1/17/24 P.S. – Failed with Legislators Niebel, Proctor, Nelson and Landy voting "No")(1/18/24 A.C. – Carried with Legislator Niebel voting "No")Signed: Scudder, Johnson, Wilfong, PavlockServices

RES. NO. 26-24 Accept Southern Tier Community Impact Grant

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Office of Emergency Services was awarded a grant from Chautauqua Region Community Foundation in the total amount of \$14,504.75; and

WHEREAS, The intent of the award is to work with schools in the Southern Tier Region of Chautauqua County for a Stop the Bleed Outfitting Initiative for local schools; and

WHEREAS, the term of the grant is October 18, 2023 through October 17, 2024, and may be extended; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute all necessary agreements to accept the grant and subsequent changes to work plans if necessary; now therefore be it also

RESOLVED, That the Director of Finance is hereby directed to make the following changes to the 2024 Adopted Budget:

<u>INCREASE APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT</u> : A.3989.EMT.4Contractual - Emergency Medical Svc, EMT/CPR Training	\$14,505
INCREASE REVENUE ACCOUNT:	
A.3989.EMT.R158.9000 Departmental Income - Other Public Safety Inc.	\$14,505
Signed: Niebel, Wilfong, Proctor, Nelson, Landy, Scudder, Johnson, Pavlock	

RES. NO. 27-24 FY2023 Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) Grant Program

By Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, Chautauqua County and its regional partnership were awarded funds of \$16,000.00 under the FY2023 Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) Grant Program and funding is provided by the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) and administered by the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES); and

WHEREAS, an in-kind local match of \$4,000.00 is required; and

WHEREAS, the HMEP Planning grants are used to develop, improve, and implement emergency plans; determine flow patterns of hazardous materials within a state and between states; and determine the need within a state for regional hazardous materials emergency response teams; and

WHEREAS, the term of the grant is December 13, 2023 through December 31, 2024, and as maybe extended;

WHEREAS, the grant budget is not yet finalized, so no budget amendment is needed at this time; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute all necessary agreements to accept the award and subsequent changes to work plans if necessary. Signed: Niebel, Pavlock, Wilfong, Proctor, Nelson, Landy, Scudder, Johnson

RES. NO. 28-24

Amend 2024 Budget to Implement Round 3 of the Marketing Assistance to Businesses and Not-for-Profits Project within the Chautauqua County American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Spending Plan

By Planning and Economic Development and Audit & Control Committees: At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, President Biden signed into law the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) on March 11, 2021, and this legislation contains a wide array of stimulus and recovery funding designed to ensure the nation's swift economic and public health recovery from COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, Chautauqua County received an award of \$24,600,000 in ARPA funding, of which \$18,219,169 is available for general county spending based on the Treasury Department's revenue loss formula and other guidance, and the remaining \$6,380,831 in funding can only be spent on designated ARPA categories including premium pay; water, sewer, and broadband projects; and responding to the COVID-19 pandemic and its associated economic impacts; and

WHEREAS, an ARPA Committee consisting of the County Executive, several legislators, and several department heads worked for many months to create an ARPA Spending Plan (Plan) consisting of priority projects to address the key strategic categories as defined by the Department of Treasury, to be sustainable, and to have a County-wide impact; and

WHEREAS, the Plan, consisting of the priority projects, was thoroughly reviewed by the ARPA Committee, the County Executive, and the County Legislature and was adopted pursuant to Resolution No. 202-21; and

WHEREAS, the Marketing Assistance to Businesses and Not-for-Profits project, identified as one of the priority projects recommended in Resolution 202-21, received \$400,000 in funding in November 2021 via an ARPA allocation, a significant portion of which (\$320,679) was used to provide grants to businesses for marketing upgrades; and

WHEREAS, the CCIDA partnered with CCCC and JCC SBDC to establish a program that would support businesses throughout the County to provide them with grants of up to \$10,000 to upgrade their marketing presence, which includes branding, website development, social media, signage, etc.; and

WHEREAS, 40 businesses were assisted in "Round 1"; however, it didn't service all of the businesses that applied and were placed on a waiting list (84). As such, the project team applied for and secured Ralph Wilson Jr. Foundation funding in the amount of \$258,000, which assisted another 35 businesses (aka, "Round 2"); and

WHEREAS, There are still 9 businesses on the "waiting list." Assistance for to the remaining 9 business is estimated to be \$71,411; and

WHEREAS, on December 20, 2023, the ARPA Advisory Group recommended this project for funding; and

WHEREAS, the project is ready to proceed and budget amendments are necessary to authorize spending for the projects; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Director of Finance is hereby authorized and directed to make the following changes to the 2024 Adopted Budget in order to implement the Marketing Assistance to Businesses and Not-for-Profits project:

INCREASE APPROPRIA	TION ACCOUNT:	
A.6420.COMC.4	Contractual—Promotion of Industry,	
	Community Contracts	\$71,411
ESTABLISH & INCREA	<u>SE REVENUE ACCOUNT:</u>	
A. 6420.COMC.R408.9A	RP Federal Aid—Oth Fed Aid: ARPA	\$71,411
Signed: Harmon, Niebel, l	Pavlock, Johnson, Wilfong, Gustafson, Scudder	

RES. NO. 29-24

Authorize Extension of Lease Agreement for Department of Planning & Development at the BWB Center

By Planning and Economic Development and Audit & Control Committees: At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Chautauqua County Department of Planning & Development ("CCDPD") and the Chautauqua County Industrial Development Agency ("CCIDA") have shared office space for many years; and

WHEREAS, the County entered into a lease agreement with CCIDA for such office space at the BWB Center; and

WHEREAS, the County is desirous of extending the lease agreement for an additional 27 months upon the following terms and conditions; and

WHEREAS, the expense associated with this contract is included in the 2024 Adopted Budget so no amendment is needed; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is hereby authorized and empowered to execute an extension of a lease agreement with the Chautauqua County Industrial Development Agency for office space in the BWB Center on substantially the following terms and conditions:

- 1. <u>Premises</u>: 1,900 square feet on the first floor of the BWB Center, 201 West Third Street, Jamestown, New York.
- 2. <u>Rent</u>: At \$6.58 a square foot, an annual sum not to exceed \$12,000.00 to be paid monthly at a rate of \$1,000.00 per month beginning in January 2024.
- 3. <u>Utilities</u>: Landlord to pay utilities.
- 4. <u>Term</u>: Twenty-seven (27) months commencing on January 1, 2024 and terminating on March 31, 2026, subject to termination by prior notice.

5. <u>Other</u>: As negotiated by County Executive. Signed: Harmon, Niebel, Pavlock, Johnson, Wilfong, Gustafson, Scudder

> RES. NO. 30-24 Amend Rules and Regulations of the Chautauqua County Legislature

By Administrative Services Committee:

At the Request of Chairman Pierre E. Chagnon:

WHEREAS, the County Legislature's current rules and regulations were enacted and amended pursuant to Resolutions 142-02, 243-02, 74-03, 160-03, 216-03, 55-05, 86- 06, 09-06, 224-07, 82-09, 88-10, 203-18 and 165-21; and

WHEREAS, Chairman Chagnon has reviewed the current rules and regulations and has recommended amendments to Section I; and

WHEREAS, Rule 3(D) of Section I in the rules and regulations sets forth the process of providing Legislators, and members of the press and public, a listing of the communications

received, the agenda for the day and other special business that may be brought to the attention of the legislature; and

WHEREAS, Rule 3(D) of Section I in the rules and regulations further provides that all correspondence or communications for the meeting shall be made available or read by the Clerk, if requested; and

WHERAS, Rule 3(D) does not currently require the Clerk to email each legislators copies of correspondence and communications received; and

WHEREAS, Rule 3(A) and (C) of Section I in the rules and regulations provide time limits to individuals speaking during Privilege of the Floor in order to maintain good order and to allow the Legislature to conduct business, and

WHEREAS, the intent of Rule 3(D) of Section I in the rules and regulations was to provide Legislators, and members of the press and public, information regarding the Legislative Meeting and was not intended to circumvent Rule 3(A) and (C) regarding Privilege of the Floor; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable to amend the rules and regulations to ensure that legislators are provided, via email, all correspondence and communications received prior to meetings, and further to ensure clarity and continuity regarding Privilege of the Floor; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the County Legislature's Rules and Regulations are hereby amended with strikeout and inserted underlined text in Section I, as follows:

Rule 3(D) of Section 1 – Order of Business

Before the commencement of business at any meeting, the Clerk shall provide each Legislator, by email, a listing of the copies of all correspondence and communications received, the agenda for the day and other special business that may be brought to the attention of the Legislature. The Clerk shall also provide an appropriate number of copies of the agenda for the day for members of the press and public who may be present at the meeting. All correspondence or communications received by the Clerk for the meeting shall be listed on the agenda for the day, and will be made available at the Clerk's office or sent via email, upon request. or read by the Clerk, if requested. Before action upon any local law, motion, or resolution, the Clerk shall read the number assigned and the short title of the local law, motion, or resolution.

New Rule 3(G) of Section I-Order of Business

Before action upon any local law, motion, or resolution, the Clerk shall read the number assigned and the short title of the local law, motion or resolution. Signed: Scudder, Anthony, Parker, Vanstrom, Heiser

RES. NO. 31-24

Authorize Agreement with NYS ITS for Orthoimagery Enhancements

By Audit & Control Committee:

At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the New York State Office of Information Technology Services (hereinafter "ITS") conducts a Geographic Information System (hereinafter "GIS") Coordination Program designed to improve and enhance various forms of spatial data related to the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, ITS will be enhancing and improving the State's spatial data through a Statewide Digital Orthoimagery program; and

WHEREAS, ITS has contracted with a third party for Chautauqua County to be covered by 1.0 foot ground sample distance resolution, four-band orthoimagery in the spring of 2024; and

WHEREAS, the third party contract includes other options (hereinafter "upgrades") for higher resolution and alternate imagery type, to be utilized if Chautauqua County opts to contribute additional funding for this purpose; and

WHEREAS, orthoimagery is used on a regular basis by Chautauqua County departments, including Planning & Economic Development, Department of Public Facilities, Real Property, North Chautauqua Lake Sewer District, South & Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts, and Emergency Services; and

WHEREAS, orthoimagery is also used on a regular basis by the private sector, including developers, real estate agencies, engineers, surveyors, architects, planners, land trusts, and a multitude of outdoor recreation users; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned County departments have determined and agreed that an orthoimagery upgrade to a resolution of .5 foot ground sample distance for the area surrounding Chautauqua Lake would benefit the County of Chautauqua; and

WHEREAS, the City of Jamestown Board of Public Utilities will also benefit from an orthoimagery upgrade for the City of Jamestown to a resolution of .5 foot ground sample distance; and

WHEREAS, the North Chautauqua Lake Sewer District has committed funds in the amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$2,500.00), for an orthoimagery upgrade over the North Chautauqua Lake Sewer District; and

WHEREAS, the South & Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts have committed funds in the amount of Ten Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$10,000.00), for an orthoimagery upgrade over the South & Center Chautauqua Lake Sewer Districts; and

WHEREAS, the City of Jamestown Board of Public Utilities has committed funds in the amount of Eight Thousand Five Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$8,500.00), for an orthoimagery upgrade over the City of Jamestown; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That Chautauqua County pay to the State a sum not to exceed Twenty-one Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$21,000.00) as payment for ITS' actual costs in securing orthoimagery upgrades requested by the County, with the County forwarding the City of Jamestown's share, and requesting the City of Jamestown's desired upgrade, if City funds are received by the County in a timely fashion; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Executive be authorized to execute any and all agreements and documents with the State and with the City of Jamestown which are necessary to implement the above-referenced upgrades.

Signed: Niebel, Wilfong, Scudder, Johnson

RES. NO. 32-24 Reallocating Salary Grade for Resource Assistant (Human Resources)

By Administrative Services and Audit & Control Committees: At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Director of Human Resources requested a review of the Resource Assistant (Human Resources) salary grade; and

WHEREAS, the Human Resources staff reviewed the salary grade and duties currently being performed by Resource Assistant (Human Resources) positions as compared to similar positions in that department; and

WHEREAS, the position of Resource Assistant (Human Resources) is covered by the terms of the CSEA 6300 Agreement and is allocated to Grade 12 of the CSEA 6300 salary schedule; and

WHEREAS, the Human Resources staff has recommended that the position of Resource Assistant (Human Resources) be increased two (2) grades on the CSEA 6300 salary schedule; and

WHEREAS, the Reallocation Committee as defined by the CSEA Unit 6300 Collective Bargaining Agreement, comprised of the County Executive, Director of Human Resources, and President of CSEA Unit 6300, met and approved the recommended grade change; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the title of Resource Assistant (Human Resources) currently allocated to salary grade 12 shall be reallocated to salary grade 14.

2024 CS	2024 CSEA 6300 SALARY SCHEDULE										
Grade	Step 1	Step 2	Step 3	Step 4	Step 5	Step 6	Step 7	Step 8	Step 9	<u>Step 10</u>	<u>Step 11</u>
12			22.9	23.89	24.54	25.34	26.21	27.04	27.85	28.69	29.55
14			24.3	25.34	26.21	27.04	27.94	28.94	29.81	30.7	31.62

Signed: Scudder, Niebel, Pavlock, Wilfong, Anthony, Parker, Vanstrom, Heiser, Johnson

RES. NO. 33-24

Reallocating Salary Grade for Communications Technician Trainee, Communications Technician, Sr. Communications Technician and Communications System Coordinator

By Administrative Services, Public Safety and Audit & Control Committees: At the Request of County Executive Paul M. Wendel, Jr.:

WHEREAS, the Sheriff requested a review of the Communications Technician Trainee, Communications Technician, Sr. Communications Technician and Communications System Coordinator salary grades; and

WHEREAS, the Human Resources staff reviewed the salary grade and duties currently being performed by Communications Technician Trainee, Communications Technician, Sr.

Communications Technician and Communications System Coordinator positions as compared to similar positions in that department; and

WHEREAS, the positions of Communications Technician Trainee, Communications Technician, Sr. Communications Technician, and Communications System Coordinator are covered by the terms of the CSEA 6300 Agreement and are allocated to Grade 12, Grade 14, Grade 17, and Grade 21; respectively, of the CSEA 6300 salary schedule; and

WHEREAS, the Human Resources staff has recommended that all four (4) positions be increased four (4) grades on the CSEA 6300 salary schedule; and

WHEREAS, the Reallocation Committee as defined by the CSEA Unit 6300 Collective Bargaining Agreement, comprised of the County Executive, Director of Human Resources, and President of CSEA Unit 6300, met and approved the recommended grade changes; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the title of Communications Technician <u>Trainee</u> currently allocated to salary grade 12 shall be reallocated to salary grade 16; be it also

RESOLVED, That the title of Communications Technician currently allocated to salary grade 14 shall be reallocated to salary grade 18; be it also

RESOLVED, That the title of Sr. Communications Technician currently allocated to salary grade 17 shall be reallocated to salary grade 21; be it also

RESOLVED, That the title of Communications System Coordinator currently allocated to salary grade 21 shall be reallocated to salary grade 25.

	2024 CSEA 6300 SALARY SCHEDULE										
<u>Grade</u>	<u>Step 1</u>	<u>Step 2</u>	<u>Step 3</u>	<u>Step 4</u>	<u>Step 5</u>	<u>Step 6</u>	<u>Step 7</u>	<u>Step 8</u>	<u>Step 9</u>	<u>Step 10</u>	<u>Step 11</u>
12			22.90	23.89	24.54	25.34	26.21	27.04	27.85	28.69	29.55
14			24.3	25.34	26.21	27.04	27.94	28.94	29.81	30.7	31.62
16			25.87	27.04	27.94	28.94	29.99	30.98	31.91	32.87	33.86
17			26.81	27.94	28.94	29.99	30.98	32.11	33.07	34.06	35.08
18			27.67	28.94	29.99	30.98	32.11	33.26	34.26	35.29	36.35
21			30.76	32.11	33.26	34.52	35.77	37.14	38.25	39.4	40.58
25			35.47	37.14	38.63	40.1	41.62	43.26	44.56	45.9	47.28

(1/17/24 – Typo Correction – First "RESOLVED" added the word "<u>Trainee"</u>) Signed: Scudder, Anthony, Parker, Vanstrom, Heiser, Wilfong, Pavlock, Niebel, Proctor, Nelson, Landy, Johnson

LOCAL LAW INTRODUCTORY NO. 1-24 CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW 13-22 PROVIDING FOR A MANAGEMENT SALARY PLAN FOR COUNTY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES (re: ADMINISTRATIVE COODINATOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH)

BE IT ENACTED, by the County Legislature of the County of Chautauqua, New York, as follows:

Section 1. <u>Purpose.</u>

The purpose of this Local Law is to amend the Management Salary Plan set forth in Local Law 13-22, and as amended, to set the salary for Administrative Coordinator for Department of Health.

Section 2. <u>Salary Levels.</u>

The title of Administrative Coordinator for Department of Health shall be placed in Range 5 (\$53,674 - \$82,248) of the 2024 Management Salary Plan.

Section 3. <u>Severability.</u>

In the event any provisions or part of this Local Law shall for any reason be adjudged invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of the Local Law.

Section 4. <u>Effective Date.</u>

This Local Law shall become effective upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsor: Legislator Bob Scudder

LOCAL LAW INTRODUCTORY NO. 2-24 CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING LOCAL LAW 13-22 PROVIDING FOR A MANAGEMENT SALARY PLAN FOR COUNTY OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES (Re: Deputy Compliance Officer)

BE IT ENACTED, by the County Legislature of the County of Chautauqua, New York, as follows:

Section 1. <u>Purpose.</u>

The purpose of this Local Law is to amend the Management Salary Plan set forth in Local Law 13-22, as amended, to set a non-schedule salary range for the position of Deputy Compliance Officer. The position of Deputy Compliance Officer is an additional title which may be designated by the County Executive for a department head in Range 12 or above of the Management Salary Plan. In addition to their department head duties, the Deputy Compliance Officer will assist the Compliance Officer as directed. The Deputy Compliance Officer will, in the absence of a Compliance Officer, be the point of contact on all compliance questions and issues, directly consult with the Compliance Committee, assist in the formulation of Countywide compliance policies and procedures, and performs such other duties as legally mandated of a Compliance Officer.

Section 2. <u>Salary Level.</u>

The position of Deputy Compliance Officer shall have a non-scheduled salary range of \$5,000 to \$92,778, which shall be in addition to the regular salary of the department head designated with the title.

Section 3. <u>Severability.</u>

In the event any provisions or part of this Local Law shall for any reason be adjusted invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of the Local Law.

Section 4. <u>Effective Date.</u>

This Local Law shall take effect upon filing with the Secretary of State.

Sponsor: Legislator Bob Scudder

CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY MOTION NO. ____

TITLE: Proclaiming February Black History Month

AT THE REQUEST OF: Legislators Dave Wilfong, Niebel, Proctor, Gustafson, Vanstrom, Larson, Parker, Bankoski, Nelson:

WHEREAS, the idea to observe and honor the accomplishments of Black Americans was first established as Negro History Week in 1926 at the suggestion of one of the greatest Black historians of all time, Dr. Carter Woodson; and

WHEREAS, February was first proclaimed Black History Month in 1979 and sponsored as such by the Association for the Study of Afro-American Life and History; and

WHEREAS, Black Americans contributed to the development of Chautauqua County as slaves and as free men and women since the county's inception and continue to contribute to the richness and vitality of our County community today; and

WHEREAS, the observance of Black History Month affords the special opportunity to become more knowledgeable concerning our Black heritage in this County and our country and to honor the many black leaders who have contributed to the progress of our nation; and

WHEREAS, the knowledge and awareness of the many and varied contributions of Black men and women can strengthen the insight of all our citizens regarding the issues of human rights, the great strides that have been made in the crusade to eliminate the barriers to equality for minority groups, and the continuing struggle against racial discrimination and poverty; therefore be it

KNOWN, The Chautauqua County Legislature, with great pride, hereby proclaims February 2024 Black History Month in Chautauqua County; and let it be

MOVED, The County Legislature urges all residents to familiarize themselves with the significant contributions made by Black Americans in the field of science, industry, religion, entertainment, and others, and to join together to make this a period when all of us rededicate ourselves to the principles of justice and equality for all people.

CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY MOTION NO. _____

TITLE: Proclaiming January Human Trafficking Awareness Month

AT THE REQUEST OF: Legislators Dave Wilfong, Vanstrom, Niebel, Proctor, Gustafson, Larson, Parker, Bankoski, Nelson:

WHEREAS, more than 20 years ago the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 enshrined the United States' commitment to combating human trafficking domestically and internationally; and

WHEREAS, since 2010, each United States President has declared January, by presidential proclamation, to be National Human Trafficking Prevention Month; and

WHEREAS, human trafficking, which includes both forced labor and sex trafficking, not only represents a threat to international peace and security, but also undermines the rule of law, robs millions of their dignity and freedom, enriches criminals and terrorists, and threatens public safety and national security everywhere; and

WHEREAS, there are estimated to be more than 27.6 million people-adults and childrensubjected to human trafficking around the world, including the United States; and

WHEREAS, despite efforts to address and prevent human trafficking, there continues to be exploitation of people around the world and in the United States; therefore be it

KNOWN, The Chautauqua County Legislature, hereby proclaims January 2024 Human Trafficking Month in Chautauqua County; and let it be

MOVED, that the County Legislature urges all residents to recognize the vital role everyone can play in combating all forms of human trafficking.