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PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE AGENDA

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9:00 a.m. July 15, 2025 401 Montgomery St., Room 407 Court House Syracuse, New York 13202

- A. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.
- B. Presentation of Resolutions and Local Laws:

1. **PROBATION:**

- a. Amending the 2025 Onondaga County Budget to Accept Grant Funds from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE) (\$298,116)
- b. Personnel Resolution

2. DISTRICT ATTORNEY:

- a. Amending the 2025 Onondaga County Budget to Accept Grant Funds from the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services for Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE) (\$621,678)
- b. Personnel Resolution

3. SHERIFF:

- a. Authorizing the Onondaga County Sheriff's Office to Accept Reimbursement for Expenses Incurred in Assisting the United States Capitol Police
- C. Adjournment

1a.

August 5, 2025

Motion Made By Mr. Olson

RESOLUTION NO.

AMENDING THE 2025 ONONDAGA COUNTY BUDGET TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES FOR STATEWIDE TARGETED REDUCTIONS IN INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE (STRIVE)

WHEREAS, New York State, through the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS), has awarded the Onondaga County Probation Department grant funding in the amount of \$298,116 for Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE); and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to include such funds in the Onondaga County Probation Department's 2025 budget and authorize the execution of agreements; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to execute agreements and such other documents as may be reasonably necessary to implement the intent of this resolution; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the 2025 County budget be amended as follows:

<u>REVENUES</u>:

In Admin Unit 730000000 Probation Department Speed Type #401232 Project 776119 STRIVE In Acct. 590022 St Aid – Public Safety

APPROPRIATIONS:

In Admin Unit 730000000 Probation Department Speed Type #401232 Project 776119 STRIVE In Acct. 695700 Contractual Expenses \$298,116

\$298,116

1b.

August 5, 2025

Motion Made By Mr. Olson

RESOLUTION NO.

PERSONNEL RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, New York State Department of Criminal Justice Services provided the Onondaga County Probation Department with a grant of \$298,116 for Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE); and

WHEREAS, the Probation Department desires to utilize said grant funding to create and fund the position of Probation Supervisor 1 who will oversee a newly created dedicated Domestic Violence Unit in the Probation Department and assist with coordination of the Department's STRIVE strategies and efforts; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the County to provide for changes to personnel; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the following personnel changes be and hereby are authorized, effective the first full pay period after August 5, 2025:

<u>Onondaga County Probation Department</u> Create 1 Probation Supervisor at Grade 13 (\$76,289-84,286)

and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the aforementioned position created herein will be abolished when grant funding to support such position terminates; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Personnel is authorized to make any administrative corrections as may be reasonably needed to effectuate the intent of this resolution.



DEPARTMENT **PROBATION** PROGRAM AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION SHEET

PURPOSE:

For Onondaga County Probation Department to accept the \$298,116 Statewide Targeted reductions in Intimate Partner Violence Initiative grant funds from the NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services.

OBJECTIVE/ WORK PLAN:

This grant program is intended to improve the public safety response to intimate partner abuse and domestic violence. Funding will be used for the prevention of and intervention (e.g., enforcement, prosecution) in incidences of intimate partner violence through evidence-based, survivor-centered, trauma-informed, and culturally responsive strategies. These strategies are part of a collaborative plan developed through partnership with the Onondaga County District Attorney's Office, Onondaga County Sheriff's Office, Syracuse Police Department, and Vera House, Inc. It should be noted that this funding is structured similarly to GIVE (Gun Involved Violence Elimination) and is expected to be renewed annually. Probation will be creating a new dedicated Domestic Violence Unit and will have dedicated personnel that will support this collaborative strategy.

FUNDING SOURCE:

New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services

BUDGET:

\$298,116

August 5, 2025

Motion Made By Mr. Olson

RESOLUTION NO.

AMENDING THE 2025 ONONDAGA COUNTY BUDGET TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES FOR STATEWIDE TARGETED REDUCTIONS IN INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE (STRIVE)

WHEREAS, New York State, through the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS), has awarded the Onondaga County District Attorney's Office grant funding in the amount of \$621,678 for Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE); and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to include such funds in the Onondaga County District Attorney's Office's 2025 budget and authorize the execution of agreements; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to execute agreements and such other documents as may be reasonably necessary to implement the intent of this resolution; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the 2025 County budget be amended as follows:

<u>REVENUES</u>:

In Admin Unit 310000000 District Attorney Speed Type #300215 Project 728229 STRIVE In Acct. 590022 St Aid – Public Safety

APPROPRIATIONS:

In Admin Unit 310000000 District Attorney Speed Type #300215 Project 728229 STRIVE In Acct. 695700 Contractual Expenses \$621,678

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2b.

August 5, 2025

Motion Made By Mr. Olson

RESOLUTION NO.

PERSONNEL RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, New York State Department of Criminal Justice Services provided the Onondaga County District Attorney's Office with a grant of \$621,678 for Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE); and

WHEREAS, the District Attorney's Office will utilize said grant funding to create and fund the positions of Senior Assistant District Attorney, Assistant District Attorney 3, and Confidential District Attorney Investigator 2 to support the statewide efforts to reduce intimate partner violence through the combination of a coordinated community response; survivor-centered, trauma-informed, and culturally-responsive interventions; and accountability for offenders; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the County to provide for changes to personnel; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the following personnel changes be and hereby are authorized, effective the first full pay period after August 5, 2025:

<u>Onondaga County District Attorney's Office</u> Create 1 Senior Assistant District Attorney at Grade 4 (\$119,065-129,780) Create 1 Assistant District Attorney 3 at Grade 3 (\$108,241-117,983) Create 1 Confidential District Attorney Investigator 2 at Grade 31 (\$62,364-82,674)

and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the aforementioned positions created herein will be abolished when grant funding to support such positions terminates; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Personnel is authorized to make any administrative corrections as may be reasonably needed to effectuate the intent of this resolution.



DEPARTMENT DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE PROGRAM AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION SHEET

PURPOSE:

For Onondaga County District Attorney's Office to accept the \$621,678 Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE) grant funds from the Division of Criminal Justice Services.

OBJECTIVE/ WORK PLAN:

This funding will support the efforts to reduce intimate partner violence in Onondaga County. The funds will be used to assist our partnering agencies and organizations, both law enforcement and service providers, in implimenting a coordinated community response to intimate partner violence. The focus is on survivor-centered, trauma-informed, and culturally-responsive interventions that focus on the needs of the survivor. The efforts also go towards holding the offender accountable for their behavior and for the consequences of their actions.

FUNDING SOURCE:

New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services

BUDGET: \$621,678

August 5, 2025

Motion Made By Mr. Olson

RESOLUTION NO.

AUTHORIZING THE ONONDAGA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO ACCEPT REIMBURSMENT FOR EXPENSES INCURRED IN ASSISTING THE UNITED STATES CAPITOL POLICE

WHEREAS, the Onondaga County Sheriff's Office has expended its time and equipment in assisting the United States Capitol Police on matters including, but not limited to, physical dignitary protection, physical site protection, perimeter security, and emergency response readiness; and

WHEREAS, the Onondaga County Sheriff's Office may be asked again in the future to perform such duties for the United States Capitol Police; and

WHEREAS, the United States Capitol Police are willing to defray the costs associated with the Onondaga County Sheriff's Office performing such duties from the Onondaga County taxpayers; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to execute agreements and such other documents as may be reasonably necessary to accept reimbursement funds from the United States Capitol Police and to implement the intent of this resolution.

ONONDAGA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE PROGRAM AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION SHEET

PURPOSE:

To authorize the Onondaga County Sheriff's Office (OCSO) to enter into an agreement with the United States Capitol Police (USCP) with respect to an intergovernmental agreement to accept reimbursement for expenses incurred in assisting the United States Capitol Police.

OBJECTIVE/ WORK PLAN:

The United States Capitol Police desire to engage in an agreement with the Onondaga County Sheriff's office where the United States Capitol Police may ask the Onondaga County Sheriff's Office to expend its time and equipment to assist the United States Capitol Police on matters including, but not limited to, physical dignitary protection, physical site protection, perimeter security and emergency response readiness. The United States Capitol Police are willing to defray the costs assoications with the Onondaga Couty Sheriff's Office performing such duties from the Onondaga County tapayers.

FUNDING SOURCE:

Overtime and expenses reimbursed through 525260-Public Safety Other Govt based on expenses.

BUDGET:

United States Capital Police will reimburse OCSO for expenses incurred in connection with the OCSO's provisions of services requested by USCP, to include law enforcements services, equipment and resources utilized on behalf of the USCP.