



Sullivan County

Public Safety Committee

Meeting Minutes - Final

Chairman Luis Alvarez
Vice Chairman Nicholas Salomone Jr.
Committee Member Joseph Perrello
Committee Member Matt McPhillips
Committee Member Brian McPhillips

Thursday, May 9, 2024

10:00 AM

Government Center

Call To Order and Pledge of Allegiance

Chair Alvarez called the Public Safety and Law Enforcement Committee to order at 10:22AM.

Roll Call

Nadia Rajs, Catherine Scott

Joshua Potosek, Michelle Huck, Robert Freehill, Tom Cawley, Dan Hust, Scott Schulte, Ed McAndrew, Undersheriff, Camille O'Brien, Alex Rau, Brian Conaty, Pennie Huber

Ken Walter, Martha Scoppa, Star Hesse, Lise Kennedy, Lou Setren, Susan Sherwood, Nancy McClain, Ruby R, Alex K.

Present: Luis Alvarez, Nicholas Salomone Jr., Joseph Perrello, Matt McPhillips
and Brian McPhillips

Comments:

Reports:

1. Division of Public Safety

Public Safety Commissioner Scott Schulte gave an update on the Division of Public Safety

2. Fire Bureau

Public Safety Commissioner Scott Schulte gave an update on behalf of Deputy Commissioner John Hauschild

3. E-911/EMS

E-911 Coordinator Alex Rau gave an update on the E-911/EMS departments.

Susan Sherwood gave an update on the EMS Advisory Board.

4. Probation Department

Director Pennie Huber gave an update on the Probation Dept.

5. Opioid Task Force

Camille O'Brien gave an update on the Opioid Task Force.

6. Sheriff

Undersheriff Chaboty gave an update on the Sheriff's Office.

7. District Attorney

District Attorney Brian Conaty gave an update on the office.

8. County Coroner

No one was available from the Coroner's Office.

9. NYSP Update

No one was present from the New York State Police.

Public Comment

Ken Walter made a public comment.

Star Hesse made a public comment.

Resolutions:

1. Authorize a grant application under the NYS DOH County Emergency Medical Services support grant to develop programs that will increase EMS Sustainability at the County level. [ID-5826](#)

Attachments: [2024_NYSDOH_EMS_Support_Grant](#)

A motion was made by District 3 Legislator Brian McPhillips, seconded by District 1 Legislator Matt McPhillips, that this Resolution be carried at Committee to the County Legislature meeting on 5/16/2024. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Chairman Alvarez, Vice Chairman Salomone, District 7 Legislator Perrello, District 1 Legislator McPhillips and District 3 Legislator McPhillips

2. Acknowledge the Sullivan County Correctional Officers and Correctional Employees [ID-6433](#)

A motion was made by District 1 Legislator Matt McPhillips, seconded by Vice Chairman Nicholas Salomone Jr., that this Resolution be carried at Committee to the County Legislature meeting on 5/16/2024. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Chairman Alvarez, Vice Chairman Salomone, District 7 Legislator Perrello, District 1 Legislator McPhillips and District 3 Legislator McPhillips

Adjourn

There being no further business, Joseph Perrello moved to adjourn, seconded by Brian McPhillips. The Public Safety and Law Enforcement Committee adjourned at 11:00am.