



# Sullivan County

## Public Safety Committee

### Meeting Agenda - Final

100 North Street  
Monticello, NY 12701

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

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**Thursday, April 11, 2024**

**10:00 AM**

**Government Center**

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#### **Call To Order and Pledge of Allegiance**

#### **Roll Call**

#### **Comments:**

#### **Reports:**

- 1. Division of Public Safety**
- 2. Fire Bureau**
- 3. E-911/EMS**
- 4. Probation Department**
- 5. Opioid Task Force**
- 6. Sheriff**
- 7. District Attorney**
- 8. County Coroner**
- 9. NYSP Update**

#### **Discussion:**

- 1. Squatters Rights**

#### **Public Comment**

#### **Resolutions:**

- 1. Authorize a Memorandum of Understanding with Garnet Health Medical Center for Morgue Services** [ID-6304](#)

**Adjourn**



Sullivan County  
Legislative Memorandum

100 North Street  
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**File #:** ID-6304

**Agenda Date:** 4/11/2024

**Agenda #:** 1.

**Narrative of Resolution:**

Authorize a Memorandum of Understanding with Garnet Health Medical Center for Morgue Services

**If Resolution requires expenditure of County Funds, provide the following information:**

**Amount to be authorized by Resolution:** \$38,242.333

**Are funds already budgeted?** Yes

**Specify Compliance with Procurement Procedures:** N/A

**RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY PUBLIC SAFETY AND LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE TO AUTHORIZE A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH GARNET HEALTH MEDICAL CENTER FOR MORGUE SERVICES**

**WHEREAS**, Garnet Health Medical Center operates an acute care general hospital pursuant to Article 28 of the New York State Public Health Law and related regulations; and

**WHEREAS**, the Sullivan County Coroner’s Office (“SCCO”) requires access to morgue facilities and other services to enable its Medical Examiner (“ME”) to perform autopsies and other post-mortem activities as needed; and

**WHEREAS**, Garnet Health Medical Center is willing to allow SCCO access to Garnet Health Medical Center’s morgue facilities and to furnish SCCO with related histopathology and radiology services.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Sullivan County Legislature hereby authorizes the County Manager to execute a Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”) with Garnet Health Medical Center with the following terms:

1. The term of the MOU shall be for one year, January 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024, with the option to extend on a yearly basis under the same terms and conditions, and
2. The annual payment from the County of Sullivan to Garnet Health Medical Center shall be an all inclusive fee of (\$38,242.333) for access to and use of its morgue and for provision of histopathology and radiology services, and;
3. The maximum amount of any increase in annual fee for any renewal term shall be 2% of the prior year’s annual fee.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that said MOU in a form approved by the County Attorney’s Office.