

## Legislation Text

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**Narrative of Resolution:**

To confirm the appointment of Scott Schulte as the Commissioner of Public Safety.

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

**Amount to be authorized by Resolution:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Are funds already budgeted?** Yes

**Specify Compliance with Procurement Procedures:**

N/A

**WHEREAS**, a vacancy has existed in the position of Commissioner of Public Safety since November, 2022, and;

**WHEREAS**, in order to qualify for appointment an applicant for this position must have extensive experience in emergency management and homeland security; and

**WHEREAS**, this position is responsible to work with law enforcement to make recommendations for and provide guidance to improve the County's response to public safety incidents and to ensure the health and safety of the residents of Sullivan County against terrorist actions and natural disasters; and

**WHEREAS**, the County has duly advertised to recruit for this position; and

**WHEREAS**, Scott Schulte possesses the requisite education, experience, and physical fitness to perform the functions of this position; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the provisions of Section A7-7 of the Sullivan County Administrative Code, Scott Schulte has been appointed by County Manager, Joshua Potosek to the position of Commissioner of Public Safety; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section A7-7 of the Sullivan County Administrative Code, the Sullivan County Legislature has the power and duty to confirm the appointment of the Commissioner of Public Safety, made by the County Manager; and

**WHEREAS**, the confirmation of this appointment of Scott Schulte as Commissioner of Public Safety shall take effect May 30, 2023 to serve at the pleasure of the County Manager pursuant to Section A7-7 of the Sullivan County Administrative Code.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Sullivan County Legislature hereby confirms the appointment of Scott Schulte as the Commissioner of Public Safety, with a salary set in accordance with the

Management Salary Schedule, subject to annual increases.