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PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
OF THE
SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE
MINUTES

A meeting of the Public Safety Committee of the Suffolk County Legislature was held via in-person and Zoom videoconferencing in the Rose Y. Caracappa Legislative Auditorium of the William H. Rogers Legislature Building, 725 Veterans Memorial Highway, Smithtown, New York on March 24, 2022.

Members Present:

Legislator Steve Flotteron - Chairman
Legislator James Mazzarella - Vice-Chair
Legislator Sarah Anker
Legislator Stephanie Bontempi
Legislator Tom Donnelly
Legislator Manuel Esteban
Legislator Leslie Kennedy
P.O. Kevin J. McCaffrey - Ex Officio

Members Not Present:

Legislator Bridget Fleming - Excused Absence

Also in Attendance:

Legislator Dominick Thorne - Legislative District No. 7
William Duffy - Counsel to the Legislature
Frank Tassone - Clerk of the Legislature
Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk of the Legislature
Bob Doering - Senior Budget Analyst/Legislative Budget Review
Ali Nazir - Aide to Presiding Officer McCaffrey
Brendan Sweeney - Aide to Presiding Officer McCaffrey
Chris DeLuca - Aide to Presiding Officer McCaffrey
Timothy Freeman - Aide to Legislator Flotteron
Tim Rothang - Aide to Legislator Mazzarella
Gay Campisi - Aide to Legislator Kennedy
Maria Abbatiello-Farley - Aide to Legislator Thorne
Robert Braun - Bureau Chief/Suffolk County Attorney's Office
Zachary Hardy-Intergovernmental Relations/County Executive's Office
Andrew Manfredonia - Lieutenant/Chief of Department's Office-SCPD
Konrad Wojciechowski - Sergeant/SC Civilian Police Academy-SCPD
Sylvia Gill - Police Officer/SC Civilian Police Academy-SCPD
Jen Andriano - Police Officer/SC Civilian Police Academy-SCPD
Charles L'Hommedieu-Chief of Staff/Suffolk County Sheriff's Office
Christopher Brockmeyer - Chief Deputy Sheriff/SC Sheriff's Office
Kevin Kelley - Captain/Suffolk County Sheriff's Office
Ron Schmitt - Chief Dispatcher/Suffolk County Sheriff's Office
Craig Pavlik - Finance & Asset Forfeiture Bureau Chief &
Director of Finance/SC District Attorney's Office
John Hnat - Treasurer/Suffolk County PBA
George Michels - Trustee/Suffolk County Detective's Association
Matt Porter - President/Suffolk County Probation Officers Assoc.
Angelo Starpopoulos - Resident of Riverhead

1 **Minutes Taken By:**

2 Alison Mahoney - Court Stenographer

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6 ***(*The meeting was called to order at 9:34 a.m. *)***

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8 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

9 I call the meeting of the Public Safety Committee to order.
10 If everybody can please stand, and if Legislator -- Legislator
11 Donnelly can lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

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13 ***Pledge of Allegiance***

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15 Please remain standing for a minute. If we can offer -- give our
16 prayers to all the families and the people in the Ukraine, and also
17 locally for our First Responders and our military.

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19 ***Moment of Silence Observed***

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21 Please be seated. Can I ask the Clerk to do a roll call.

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23 ***(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)***

24
25 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

26 Here.

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28 **LEG. MAZZARELLA:**

29 Here.

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31 **LEG. FLEMING:**

32 *(Absent)*.

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34 **LEG. ANKER:**

35 Here.

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37 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

38 Here.

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40 **LEG. ESTEBAN:**

41 Here.

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43 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

44 Here.

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46 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

47 Here.

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49 **CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:**

50 *Seven (Absent: Legislator Fleming)*.

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52 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

53 I'll ask the Clerk if there's any correspondence.

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55 **CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:**

56 No, Mr. Chairman.

1 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

2 Okay. And the Public Portion, I'll open the Public Portion and our
3 first speaker is Angelo Starpopoulos.

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5 **ANGELO STARPOPOULOS:**

6 Good morning, Ladies and Gentlemen. Good morning. I guess my
7 English is going to be a little bit difficult. I'm an immigrant.

8
9 So, today I'm representing myself and I hope I'm going to give you
10 the opportunity because you have the power to go more higher
11 because I think I'm level; I guess that's the farthest I can go.
12 And I'm going to represent all of the Long Islanders, the working
13 people like me who, unfortunately, will have the luxury to drive
14 every day to Expressway back and forth.

15
16 So, as you know, I'm pretty sure every one of us and thousands and
17 thousands more go through Expressway, and unfortunately we go
18 through the holes.

19
20 *(*Mr. Starpopoulos held up a bag of crumbled black top*)*

21
22 Every day they work between Exit 67 to 49. After 49 and over,
23 Expressway is like the floor here; not brand new but very safe to
24 drive. From Exit 67 and over, because I'm living in Riverhead and
25 I have a business in Riverhead, it's almost the same. The only
26 problem is here and they keep working the same way for three years.
27 Not three months, not three days, not three weeks, three years, the
28 same exactly way. Seven trucks, heavy duty, which they work for
29 the snow, direct the traffic on the long way like a half a mile
30 away from the working people, direct us to go to the right or the
31 left, it depends where they're going to work. A police car escorts
32 them and three people with a shovel and three different ways on the
33 three different areas to try to put it down, the black top. One of
34 them is the square top by 12, a little thing you buy in the Home
35 Depot -- I don't know how you call that. I guess you know what I'm
36 talking about -- and that's between between 49 south to Exit 51.

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38 And the second way is the same exact thing, but the different is
39 they have nothing and the machine go-go-go-go, like a little
40 cobrasare (*sic*), little machine. And the thirth (*sic*) way after
41 Exit 64 to 67 it's with actually a roller, not a heavy duty but
42 much better way to be done.

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44 *(Timer Sounded)*

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46 So, last year I changed my truck three times a windshield. I tried
47 to give the car back so I could get a new one, that was the deal,
48 and my deal was 17,500, and the dealer that I got, the dealer say,
49 "My friend, I'm sorry but you have windshield problem here, you
50 have a lot of scratches from the body." I said, "What do you
51 mean?" So I went to my insurance, my broker and I asked him to
52 give me a report from the insurance because I don't have any
53 accidents, I have no tickets. Why --

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55 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

56 I don't mean to interrupt, but we have a --

1 **ANGELO STARPOPOULOS:**
2 Oh, I'm sorry, I apologize.

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4 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**
5 -- procedure of three minutes.

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7 **ANGELO STARPOPOULOS:**
8 Anyway, to make it short, I lost money from there. I drive every
9 day. I have the '21 Toyota now, I just got one more. I have three
10 of them already now on my new truck. I have video, I take a video
11 from the way they work, each place.

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13 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**
14 I think we fully understand. I'm going to have my associate talk
15 to you afterwards --

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17 **ANGELO STARPOPOULOS:**
18 Beautiful.

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20 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**
21 -- he can explain the process of what's going on. Okay?

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23 **ANGELO STARPOPOULOS:**
24 Thank you for the opportunity. I'm sorry I waste your time.

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26 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**
27 No, not at all. Thank you very --

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29 **ANGELO STARPOPOULOS:**
30 But here is the proof from all of us (*held up bag of crumbled black*
31 *top*).

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33 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**
34 I think we all fully agree. Okay?

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36 **ANGELO STARPOPOULOS:**
37 Thank you so much.

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39 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**
40 Thank you.

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42 **ANGELO STARPOPOULOS:**
43 So you want me to wait here, right?

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45 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**
46 He'll speak to you outside, Tim.

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48 **ANGELO STARPOPOULOS:**
49 Oh, it's all right. Thank you so much. And I'm sorry, like I say,
50 to waste your time.

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52 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**
53 Any other speakers today? It doesn't look like it, we'll close the
54 Public Portion.

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1 Also want to put on the record, Legislator Fleming has an excused
2 absence.

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4 Okay, next on the list any Appointment Resolutions? There's none.

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6 Today we have a presentation; the Suffolk County Police
7 Department's Intern Program. Please come up to the podium.

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9 **OFFICER GILL:**

10 Good morning. My name is Sylvia Gill, I am a Police Officer over
11 at the Academy, In-Service Training section. I am here with
12 Sergeant Wojciechowski and Jennifer Andriano who helps me run the
13 Intern Program.

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15 Our program -- I do have some paperwork for you guys, if you want
16 to follow along with me. Can I hand this over to anyone?

17
18 So our Internship Program started with Legislator Gaffney, and in
19 1993 it was transferred over to the Suffolk County Police
20 Department's Police Academy and we've been conducting it since
21 then. We run it three times a year, it is 12 weeks. We have a
22 spring, a summer and a fall program. We're in our 29th year. And
23 as you guys can see in the paperwork that I've given you, I've
24 given you an overview of the program. Our anticipated fall start
25 date is September 16th and the end date will be December 9th.

26
27 Every Friday the interns meet with us and we go on a group tour or
28 we have a training session there at the Police Academy. They
29 include 1st District Court, arraignments, jail, Yaphank Jail,
30 Riverhead Jail, the courtroom there, Brookhaven Safety Town does a
31 distracted driver course for us. We go to Special Patrol with
32 Emergency Service, Aviation and Crime Scene. They do a tour of the
33 Crime Lab, they have an emergency vehicle operations course at our
34 EVOC facility out East. We do a range day with them, they have a
35 CPR certification, they do PTDT drills and they do our firearms
36 training simulator machine.

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38 We also have outside lecturers come in and speak. Our focus to get
39 any students that are interested in any type of law enforcement job
40 to meet people from different agencies, so we have whoever is
41 available to come in and talk about their agency and how they can
42 get involved with them, and then they pick a second day of their
43 choice and they do ride-alongs. So we pick two to four different
44 precincts depending on the availability of officers; they do one of
45 those on an evening shift so that they can see Patrol with an
46 officer, an evening as opposed to during the day. We also have
47 them do a ride-along with Marine Bureau, a day with the Canine
48 Section for their trainings with their dogs. We do a day with
49 Communications, 911 Operators and Dispatchers, and they also do a
50 day with Highway Patrol.

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52 Additional events that we have been asked for our interns to
53 participate in are active shooter drills with Homeland Security,
54 fire prevention events with Brookhaven Safety Town, they go to
55 different elementary schools and explain, you know, all fire
56 prevention drills and our interns help assist them do that.

1 They do Buy and Busts with Precinct Crime Controls if they are
2 under the age of 21, and if they are over the age of 21 they can
3 participate with our Highway Department and do the DWI field
4 sobriety tests for our intern -- for our Police recruits.

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6 They also do community events with Community Relations Bureau, that
7 can be, you know, Coffee with a Cop or anything that they have
8 going on in the community. I know they do ice skating and all of
9 those events, sometimes they need our help.

10
11 I've also given you guys a mock schedule, so it just shows you a
12 day in the life of an intern. On that second page, if the intern
13 has Wednesday as their available date, you'll see that on Fridays
14 they are with me or Officer Andriano and we are going with them to
15 that facility. And then on that Wednesday they are on their own to
16 go to their designated area and they get somebody to sign it.

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18 To be included as an intern, we have applicants send us their
19 resumes. We then have an interview process. We do a background
20 check and we pick around 20 students per semester, in the summer we
21 sometimes can go up to 30 but we're trying to keep it around 20
22 right now. And once their background checks are cleared and we
23 have our 20 students, we send all that information over to the
24 County Exec's Office. We have letters of liability on file with
25 the department. And our interns stay in contact with us over the
26 years, send us pictures when they graduate different police
27 academies and let us know what they have been doing in their lives
28 and it's a great program for anyone that's interested in law
29 enforcement.

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31 Does anybody have any questions about the program?

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33 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

34 I'll even start. So the ages, these are college students,
35 basically?

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37 **OFFICER GILL:**

38 They are.

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40 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

41 Yeah. And it's 20 -- is there a waiting list sometimes? Is there
42 more than 20 or are you having problems filling the class?

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44 **OFFICER GILL:**

45 There sometimes is a waiting list. We have had upwards of 64
46 applicants for a semester sometimes. Most colleges give credits
47 for the program, so I like to choose students that need the college
48 credits first. We've had students that you have gotten three
49 credits, that's usually what colleges give and they anticipate 80
50 to 90 hours. Our program is 120 hours minimum to complete it. So,
51 as you can see in that schedule, I have 174 -- or a hundred and
52 something, but well over what they need, and we try to push for
53 that 200 hours because we really want them to get a lot of it. But
54 I had one college give 12 credits for the student, but there's was
55 a 500-hour internship. So I work with the colleges, they tell me
56 what they need and I see if I can, you know, get a schedule that

1 works for them.

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3 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

4 Okay. And this is all done over at the Brentwood Campus?

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6 **OFFICER GILL:**

7 It is.

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9 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

10 Okay.

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12 **OFFICER GILL:**

13 We host it there, but a lot of the activities, as you can see on
14 the schedule, are off-campus, so, you know, going to the jails, you
15 know, we're going all over the place with them. They all drive so
16 they can meet us there.

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18 And I also have -- I mean, I didn't give it to you because it's
19 kind of lengthy, but, you know, some of the colleges that we've
20 had, Spring and Fall, you know, we're kind of -- we got Suffolk
21 Community College, New Haven, LIU, St. Joe's; it's closer colleges
22 to us, Stony Brook. But in the summer we've had Gettysberg,
23 Marist, Nazarith, John Jay, McDonnell, Rhode Island; we have
24 colleges in Florida, Briarcliffe, Delaware, Adelphi, Franklin
25 Pierce, George Mason. We have numerous, numerous students that are
26 home for the summer and, you know, like to participate in our
27 program. So that one usually I don't get students that need
28 credits, it's more just students interested. I love it when people
29 come in and say, *You know, I'm not really sure about law*
30 *enforcement but I'd like to try*, and then after the program they're
31 like, *No, this is what I want to do*. And sometimes I have students
32 that are in their Masters for Criminal Justice and they're like,
33 *You know what? This isn't for me, but maybe I'm going to go*
34 *forensics, maybe I'm going to go that route*.

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36 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

37 Okay, great. Any other -- any other questions?

38 Legislator Bontempi.

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40 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

41 Hello. So, you asked about it was for colleges students. So what
42 age specifically; do you have to be minimum 18?

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44 **OFFICER GILL:**

45 There is no age.

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47 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

48 Oh.

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50 **OFFICER GILL:**

51 You have to be enrolled in some type of college program. I have
52 had students in their 30s or 40s that -- you know, military, people
53 that have, you know, left the military and now are looking for a
54 job. There is no age limit in corrections, so they think *maybe I*
55 *should look into an internship*, and I've had them intern with me.
56 And then often we have them intern with us and then we push them to

1 intern with the Sheriffs or, you know, with another agency if
2 they're looking to branch out a little bit more.

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4 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

5 Okay. And what about someone who is entering college in the fall?
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7 **OFFICER GILL:**

8 That's fine.
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10 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

11 So this would be pre-college.
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13 **OFFICER GILL:**

14 That's fine.
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16 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

17 The summer. And are you full for the summer, this coming summer?
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19 **OFFICER GILL:**

20 No, we're starting -- because of COVID restrictions, we're starting
21 in the fall.
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23 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

24 Oh, you're starting in the fall, okay.
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26 **OFFICER GILL:**

27 A lot of our facilities weren't letting people come in for tours,
28 so the jails are mandated -- I think five people, they were saying.
29

30 **OFFICER GILL:**

31 Okay, I understand.
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33 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

34 That's really difficult for us.
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36 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

37 Yeah.
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39 **OFFICER GILL:**

40 So we're hoping that with the fall everything's open again.
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42 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

43 Okay, thank you.
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45 **OFFICER GILL:**

46 You're welcome.
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48 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

49 Legislator Kennedy.
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51 *(*Presiding Officer McCaffrey entered the meeting at 9:47 a.m.*)*
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53 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

54 Thank you for coming out. Aside from the age difference that these
55 interns have to be college level, what's the difference in the
56 programatics between the Explorers and the Interns?

1 **OFFICER GILL:**

2 The Explorers are held at precincts, so we don't -- we don't run
3 the Explorer Program. Each precinct has its own program. It is, I
4 think, completely different. I mean, these are students that are
5 really getting a hands-on experience. We're going on ride-alongs
6 with police officers, they're going to actual police calls.
7 They're -- you know, it's not just -- it's not just like a camp,
8 this is more of, you know, involvement. And we get them, you know,
9 doing an undercover buy and bust, you're working with undercover
10 police officers, so it's a completely different experience.

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12 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

13 Thank you.

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15 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

16 Legislator Thorne.

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18 **LEG. THORNE:**

19 Thank you, Mr. Chairman. How are you? Thank you so much for
20 bringing this presentation. Is there pamphlets or information that
21 maybe you could disseminate to all the Legislators' office so
22 people know of this program.

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24 You know, I am obviously very proud of our Police Department. I
25 think you guys do an outstanding job in everything you do. But I
26 want to be able to share that with my constituents as well as other
27 constituents. And also part two of that question -- well, I'll let
28 you answer that question first, go ahead.

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30 **OFFICER GILL:**

31 We do have pamphlets. It is on our website. You can -- anyone can
32 contact our Community Relations Bureau and Headquarters and find
33 out more information about it and they will forward everything to
34 us. All the colleges here know about our program, we get e-mails
35 and phone calls from advisors asking us about their students and we
36 usually get, a month before each program starts, a list from each
37 advisor of students that are in their criminal justice program. So
38 it is out there, I never have a lack of students interested. But I
39 gave out pamphlets today and if there's anything that you guys can
40 suggest, if you want me to put the pamphlets anywhere I can, but
41 they are at all of our local colleges.

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43 **LEG. THORNE:**

44 Outstanding. Thank you. And as far as this program, is there
45 anything that helps a student that may be interested in becoming a
46 law enforcement agent, or law enforcement officer in our County?
47 Is there anything that helps them during your program for prepping
48 for the task or anything like that or getting them to sign up for
49 the test, things like that.

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51 **OFFICER GILL:**

52 We don't offer any, you know, test preps or anything like that.
53 It's just, you know, hands-on with officers that are active right
54 now. When I do have tests that come up, if I learn -- like right
55 now I'm learning that the Air Marshalls are investigating and
56 looking for people to take that. I have sent that link out to all

1 my prior students, if anybody's looking for this information.
2 So once I do hear about anything, I still have their e-mail, they
3 still stay in contact with me and I send the information to our
4 previous students.

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6 **LEG. THORNE:**

7 You know, the fact that they stay in contact with you speaks
8 volumes about your program.

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10 **OFFICER GILL:**

11 Thank you.

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13 **LEG. THORNE:**

14 So, thank you so much for what you folks are doing for our County.
15 And, Mr. Chairman, I yield back.

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17 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

18 Any other questions from my colleagues? Just one clarification,
19 you might have already said this. So this is done during the
20 semester year, first usually I think it's a summer program. So
21 this is during the fall semester is the program.

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23 **OFFICER GILL:**

24 We do a fall semester, that one starts in September, ends in
25 December, we do a spring semester which is February to May, and we
26 do a summer June to August.

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28 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

29 Oh.

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31 **OFFICER GILL:**

32 And we work it around college students. I know students go back to
33 college around August 20th, so I try to make sure that their
34 graduation is prior. We do have a big ceremony for their
35 graduation, it is -- it's really, really nice. Their parents can
36 come; if they have parents that are police officers they can
37 present them with their certificate. So, we try to -- we try to
38 keep it classy.

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40 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

41 So it's three classes a year --

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43 **OFFICER GILL:**

44 Three classes.

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46 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

47 -- of 20 to 30 people, depending, whatever.

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49 **OFFICER GILL:**

50 Yes.

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52 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

53 Okay. So everybody has a chance right now, it seems like, to get
54 in.

1 **OFFICER GILL:**

2 Everybody has a chance.

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4 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

5 Okay. Well, seeing no more questions, thank you very much for
6 coming and explaining the program. I think we're all going to find
7 a recruit for you in the future.

8
9 **OFFICER GILL:**

10 Thank you.

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12 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

13 Okay, back to the agenda.

14
15 **Tabled Resolutions**, there's none.

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17 **Introductory Resolution, IR 1134(-22) - Adopting Local Law No.**
18 **-2022, A Local Law to strengthen the County's regulation on the**
19 **outdoor restraint of pets (Flotteron).** I'll make a motion. Is
20 there a second? Second by Legislator Donnelly. Oh, sorry, this
21 has to be tabled for public hearing. Motion to table and if
22 someone can second.

23
24 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

25 *(Raised hand).*

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27 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

28 Legislator Donnelly. Roll call vote.

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30 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

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32 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

33 Yes.

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35 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

36 Yes.

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38 **LEG. MAZZARELLA:**

39 Yes.

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41 **LEG. ANKER:**

42 Yes.

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44 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

45 Yes.

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47 **LEG. ESTEBAN:**

48 Yes.

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50 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

51 Yes.

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53 **CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:**

54 *Seven (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

1 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

2 IR 1134 passed.

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4 ***IR 1154(-22) - Appropriating funds in connection with the Purchase***
5 ***of Communications Equipment for Sheriff's Office (CP 3060) (County***
6 ***Executive).*** Motion?

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8 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

9 Motion.

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11 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

12 Motion by Legislator Kennedy. Second by?

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14 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

15 Second.

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17 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

18 Legislator Donnelly. Roll call vote.

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20 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

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22 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

23 Yes.

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25 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

26 Yes.

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28 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

29 Yes.

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31 **LEG. MAZZARELLA:**

32 Yes.

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34 **LEG. ANKER:**

35 Yes.

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37 **LEG. ESTEBAN:**

38 Yes.

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40 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

41 Yes.

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43 **CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:**

44 *Seven (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

45

46 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

47 IR 1154 passed.

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49 ***IR 1155(-22) - Appropriating funds in connection with Improvements***
50 ***to various Sheriff's Office facilities (CP 3019) (County Executive) .***

51 Motion by Legislator Mazzarella. Second by Legislator Kennedy.

52 Roll call vote.

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54 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

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1 LEG. MAZZARELLA:

2 Yes.

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4 LEG. KENNEDY:

5 Yes.

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7 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

8 Yes.

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10 LEG. ANKER:

11 Yes.

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13 LEG. ESTEBAN:

14 Yes.

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16 LEG. DONNELLY:

17 Yes.

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19 LEG. BONTEMPI:

20 Yes.

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22 CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:

23 *Seven (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

24

25 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

26 IR 1155 passed.

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28 *IR 1165(-22) - Accepting and appropriating a supplemental award of*
29 *Federal funding in the amount of \$27,000 from the Department of*
30 *Homeland Security, United States Immigration & Customs Enforcement*
31 *(ICE), for the Suffolk County Police Department's participation in*
32 *the ICE El Dorado Task Force with 76.37% support (County*
33 *Executive). Do I hear a motion?*

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35 LEG. MAZZARELLA:

36 Motion.

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38 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

39 Motion by Legislator Mazzarella. Second?

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41 LEG. KENNEDY:

42 Second.

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44 LEG. DONNELLY:

45 Second.

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47 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

48 Legislator Donnelly. Roll call.

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50 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

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52 LEG. MAZZARELLA:

53 Yes.

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55 LEG. DONNELLY:

56 Yes.

1 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

2 Yes.

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4 **LEG. ANKER:**

5 Yes.

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7 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

8 Yes.

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10 **LEG. ESTEBAN:**

11 Yes.

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13 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

14 Yes.

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16 **CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:**

17 *Seven (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

18

19 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

20 IR 1165 passed.

21

22 *IR 1166(-22) - Accepting and appropriating an award of Federal*
23 *funding in the amount of \$6,000 from the United States Department*
24 *of Justice, U.S. Marshals Service, for the Suffolk County Police*
25 *Department's participation in Operation Suffolk Support with 76.37%*
26 *support (County Executive). Do I hear a motion?*

27

28 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

29 Motion.

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31 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

32 Motion by Legislator Kennedy.

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34 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

35 Second.

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37 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

38 Second by Legislator Bontempi. Roll call vote.

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40 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

41

42 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

43 Yes.

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45 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

46 Yes.

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48 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

49 Yes.

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51 **LEG. MAZZARELLA:**

52 Yes.

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54 **LEG. ANKER:**

55 Yes.

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1 LEG. ESTEBAN:

2 Yes.

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4 LEG. DONNELLY:

5 Yes.

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7 CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:

8 *Seven (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

9

10 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

11 IR 1166 passed.

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13 *IR 1191(-22) - Appropriating PAYGO funds in connection with the*

14 *Purchase of Heavy-Duty Vehicles for the Police Department.*

15 *(CP 3135) (County Executive). Motion by --*

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17 LEG. THORNE:

18 Motion.

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20 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

21 -- Legislator Thorne. Second by Legislator Donnelly. Roll call

22 vote.

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24 CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:

25 Thorne's not on the committee.

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27 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

28 Oh, I apologize. I'll make a motion and second by Legislator

29 Donnelly.

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31 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

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33 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

34 Yes.

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36 LEG. DONNELLY:

37 Yes.

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39 LEG. MAZZARELLA:

40 Yes.

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42 LEG. ANKER:

43 Yes.

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45 LEG. KENNEDY:

46 Yes.

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48 LEG. ESTEBAN:

49 Yes.

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51 LEG. BONTEMPI:

52 Yes.

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54 CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:

55 *Seven (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

56

1 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

2 1190 -- IR 1191 passed.

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4 **IR 1192(-22) - Appropriating PAYGO funds in connection with**
5 **Replacement Lifesaving Cardiac Equipment for Police Department.**
6 **(CP 3205) (County Executive).**

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8 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

9 Motion.

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11 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

12 Motion by Legislator Kennedy.

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14 **LEG. MAZZARELLA:**

15 Second.

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17 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

18 Second by Legislator Mazzarella. Roll call vote.

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20 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

21 On the motion, Mr. Chairman.

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23 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

24 Yes, on the motion.

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26 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

27 Could you get the Lieutenant to come forward, I've just got a
28 couple of questions. Good morning, sir. How are you?

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30 **LIEUTENANT MANFREDONIA:**

31 Good morning, Legislator. How are you?

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33 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

34 A couple of quick questions. I know we were working on this last
35 year as well. So we're replacing the life packs, I guess?

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37 **LIEUTENANT MANFREDONIA:**

38 Yes, the AEDs in the PDs in the field have kind of reached the end
39 of life age for them, so this is a systematic replacement of the
40 AEDs that are in the cars. Additionally, we have -- I don't know
41 if you've ever seen the CPR, the compression machine, which is an
42 amazing -- *(laughter)*. It's quite -- when you see it in action
43 it's something else. That's going to our MedCAT team.

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45 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

46 So the CPR machine and the new life packs, each of the MedCAT cars
47 in each of the precincts is going to get upgraded?

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49 **LIEUTENANT MANFREDONIA:**

50 So the MedCATs, they don't have a MedCAT car in each precinct.
51 They've now been moved under their own command, so they are a
52 County-wide unit now.

53
54 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

55 So how many MedCATs are out on any given tour?

1 **LIEUTENANT MANFREDONIA:**

2 I believe a minimum of two, but I will -- I'll have to check with
3 the -- with the MedCAT unit on that. I don't know if they have a
4 minimum.

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6 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

7 If you could just check.

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9 **LIEUTENANT MANFREDONIA:**

10 Sure.

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12 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

13 So it's east and west in the Police District, I guess, or some
14 variation?

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16 **LIEUTENANT MANFREDONIA:**

17 I'll find out how they -- how they separate that. I'm not familiar
18 with the geographic staffing.

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20 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

21 Okay. Because I know that the MedCAT officers in the 1st, I've
22 worked with them, they do a really good job, so. Okay, thank you.

23
24 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

25 Seeing no other questions, roll call vote.

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27 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

28
29 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

30 Yes.

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32 **LEG. MAZZARELLA:**

33 Yes.

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35 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

36 Yes.

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38 **LEG. ANKER:**

39 Yes.

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41 **LEG. ESTEBAN:**

42 Yes.

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44 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

45 Yes.

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47 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

48 Yes.

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50 **P.O. McCAFFREY:**

51 Yes.

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53 **CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:**

54 *Eight (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

1 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

2 IR 1192 passed.

3
4 ***IR 1193(-22) - Accepting and appropriating 100% Federal***
5 ***pass-through grant funds from the NYS Division of Homeland Security***
6 ***and Emergency Services (DHSES) in the amount of \$75,000 for***
7 ***“Operation Shield 2022” under State Homeland Security Program (SHSP***
8 ***FY2018) administered by the Suffolk County Sheriff’s Office in***
9 ***partnership with the Suffolk County Police Department, the Suffolk***
10 ***County Fire Marshal, the Suffolk County Park Rangers to execute***
11 ***grant related agreements (County Executive).*** Motion by Legislator
12 Bontempi. Second by Legislator Kennedy. Roll call vote.

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14 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

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16 **LEG. BONTEMPI:**

17 Yes.

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19 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

20 Yes.

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22 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

23 Yes.

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25 **LEG. MAZZARELLA:**

26 Yes.

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28 **LEG. ANKER:**

29 Yes.

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31 **LEG. ESTEBAN:**

32 Yes.

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34 **LEG. DONNELLY:**

35 Yes.

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37 **P.O. McCAFFREY:**

38 Yes.

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40 **CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:**

41 *Eight (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

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43 **CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:**

44 IR 1193 passed.

45
46 ***IR 1201(-22) - Appropriating funds in connection with the***
47 ***implementation of the District Attorney Crime Fighting Technology***
48 ***Project (CP 3528) (County Executive).*** Motion by Legislator Kennedy.
49 Second by Legislator Bontempi. I can't even say her name right
50 this morning, okay (*laughter*). Roll call vote.

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52 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

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54 **LEG. KENNEDY:**

55 Yes.

1 LEG. BONTEMPI:

2 Yes.

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4 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

5 Yes.

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7 LEG. MAZZARELLA:

8 Yes.

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10 LEG. ANKER:

11 Yes.

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13 LEG. ESTEBAN:

14 Yes.

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16 LEG. DONNELLY:

17 Yes.

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19 P.O. McCAFFREY:

20 Yes.

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22 CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:

23 *Eight (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

24

25 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

26 IR 1201 passed.

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28 *IR 1209(-22) - Accepting and appropriating federal funding in the*
29 *amount of \$15,000 from the United States Department of Justice,*
30 *Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) for the Suffolk County*
31 *District Attorney's Office participation in the 2022 US DOJ DEA*
32 *OCDEF (Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Forces) (County*
33 *Executive). Motion by Legislator -- Presiding Officer McCaffrey.*
34 *Second by?*

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36 LEG. BONTEMPI:

37 Second.

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39 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

40 Second by Legislator Bontempi. Roll call vote.

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42 *(*Roll Called by Brett Robinson - Chief Deputy Clerk*)*

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44 P.O. McCAFFREY:

45 Yes.

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47 LEG. BONTEMPI:

48 Yes.

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50 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

51 Yes.

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53 LEG. MAZZARELLA:

54 Yes.

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1 LEG. ANKER:

2 Yes.

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4 LEG. KENNEDY:

5 Yes.

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7 LEG. ESTEBAN:

8 Yes.

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10 LEG. DONNELLY:

11 Yes.

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13 CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK ROBINSON:

14 *Eight (Absent: Legislator Fleming).*

15

16 CHAIRMAN FLOTTERON:

17 IR 1209 passed.

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19 That's the last in the resolutions.

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21 ***Procedural Motions***, there's none; ***Home Rule Messages***, none;

22 ***Subject to Call Resolutions***, none.

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24 Seeing no more business in front of this meeting of the Public
25 Safety Committee, we are adjourned.

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27 *(*The meeting was adjourned at 10 a.m. *)*

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