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COMMITTEE ON BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS REPORT

CONCERNING THE 2024 COUNTY BUDGET (Final Report)

December 8, 2023

Honorable Board of Legislators County of Westchester 800 Michaelian Office Building White Plains, New York 10601

Honorable Colleagues:

On October 17, 2023, County Executive George Latimer forwarded his proposed 2024 County Capital Budget and on November 9, 2023 forwarded his proposed 2024 County Operating and Special Districts Budgets to the Committee on Budget & Appropriations. The Budget & Appropriations Committee of this Honorable Board has devoted full attention to analyze and discuss them.

The Budget & Appropriations Committee held a duly noticed public hearing, as required by the County's Charter, on Wednesday, December 6, 2023. Meetings of the Board of Legislators and its committees are held at the Michaelian Office Building, 148 Martine Avenue, White Plains, New York, 10601, and remotely via the WebEx video conferencing system allowing both in-person and remote participation via Webex. The hearing was attended by concerned residents. In addition, the Budget & Appropriations Committee has benefited from the testimony of Commissioners and heads of major departments, as well as from analysis of the proposed budgets by the Citizens' Budget Advisory Committee and by our auditors.

On Monday, December 4, 2023, pursuant to Section 167.81 of the Westchester County Charter as amended by Local Law 8-1994, the Committee on Budget & Appropriations filed a memorandum of proposed additions to the proposed 2024 Budgets.

The Board of Legislators will continue to debate the legally required balanced budgets for 2024. We are committed to continuing to find the balance between investment in our residents, services and infrastructure while stabilizing the tax levy.

Your Committee finds that amounts appropriated in the 2024 County Budgets pursuant to the policies of this Board are for the purposes of performing the operations of the County and

providing essential services to County residents. Therefore, the Budget & Appropriations Committee offers the attached amendments at this time.

Dated: December 8, 2023

White Plains, New York

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The following members attended the meeting remotely and approved this item out of Committee with an affirmative vote. Their electronic signature was authorized and is below

Committee(s) on:

Budget & Appropriations

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Westchester County 2024 Budget Deletions

2024 OPERATING BUDGET DELETIONS LIST

DEPARTMENT	ORG	ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT				
2024 OPERATING BUDGET REVENUE DELETIONS							
COUNTY CLERK (21) SOCIAL SERVICES (22) PARKS, RECREATION & CONSERVATION (42)	101 21 0300 101 22 8900 165 42 4100 165 42 4175 165 42 7150 165 42 7150	9127 County Clerk Various Additional Revenues 9820 Emergency Assistance to Families & Children 9080 Departmental Revenue: Parking 9080 Departmental Revenue: Parking 9080 Departmental Revenue: Parking 9107 Departmental Revenue: Building Use 9149 Departmental Revenue: Other Charges	\$50,000 \$120,000 \$7,500 \$8,250 \$47,750 \$27,250 \$13,500				
PARKS, RECREATION & CONSERVATION (42) MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES (52) MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES (52) MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES (52)	162 42 4051 165 42 4175 165 42 7150 165 42 4100 165 42 4250 101 52 1000 101 52 1000	9160 Departmental Revenue: Sportsman Center 9246 Departmental Revenue: Concessions 9289 Departmental Revenue: Other Charges 9553 Departmental Revenue: Ground Permits 9553 Departmental Revenue: Ground Permits 9031 County Mortgage Tax 9032 County Sales Tax 9035 Auto Use Tax	\$12,250 \$22,000 \$9,500 \$19,000 \$13,000 \$300,000 \$1,742,000 \$150,000				
TOTAL 2024 OPERATING BUDGET REVENUE DELETIONS 2024 OPERATING BUDGET APPROPRIATION DELETIONS DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES (22) SOCIAL SERVICES (22) 101 22 8900 5630 Emergency Assistance to Families & Children (Non-Homeless) \$400,000 SOCIAL SERVICES TOTAL \$400,000							
MISCELLANEOUS BUDGET ITEMS (52) MISCELLANEOUS BUDGET (52)	101 52 2102	5100 Miscellaneous Budget Expense - Municipal Sales Tax Distribution	\$402,000				

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	DEPARTMENT	ORG	ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
	MISCELLANEOUS BUDGET (52) MISCELLANEOUS BUDGET (52) MISCELLANEOUS BUDGET (52)	101 52 2508 101 52 2509 101 52 2509	5100 Miscellaneous Budget Expense - Community Based Organizations 5100 Miscellaneous Budget Expense - Not-for-Profit Programs 5100 Miscellaneous Budget Expense - Not-for-Profit Programs MISCELLANEOUS BUDGET TOTAL	\$15,217 \$231,783 \$375,000 \$1,024,000
TOTAL 2024 OPERATING BUDGET APPROPRIATION DELETIONS		N DELETIONS		\$1,424,000
	NET AMOUNT			(\$1,118,000)

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2024 CAPITAL BUDGET DELETIONS LIST

PROJECT 2024 CAPITAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION DELETIONS	NUMBER	AMOUNT
Port Chester Waste Water Treatment Plant Roof Replacement Replacement of Tarrytown Forcemain (Phase II) and Route 119 Gravity Sewer	SPC11 SYO57	\$4,000,000 \$5,000,000
TOTAL 2024 CAPITAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION DELETIONS		\$9,000,000