

PUBLIC SAFETY

RESOLUTION NO. 2025117

RE: AMENDING THE 2025 ADOPTED COUNTY BUDGET AS
IT PERTAINS TO THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY (A.1165.05)

Legislators FAUST, HOUSTON, POLASEK, GORMAN, and VERSACI offer the following and moves its adoption:

WHEREAS, the District Attorney has requested the appropriation of forfeiture of crime proceeds post-conviction, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 13-A of the CPLR, said funds must be used to enhance prosecutorial and law enforcement efforts, enforcement training, equipment and operations, and not to supplement ordinary budgetary expenses, and

WHEREAS, the District Attorney has requested that the sum of \$26,970 be placed in various District Attorney Asset Forfeiture accounts to be used for the purchase of or pay for: various equipment which are listed on the attached Asset Forfeiture Expenditure sheet, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Finance is authorized and directed to amend the 2025 Adopted County Budget as follows:

APPROPRIATIONS

Increase

A.1165.05.4765.312	Asset Forfeiture Expenses Municipalities	<u>\$26,970</u>
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REVENUES

Increase

A.9998.95110.01	Forfeiture – State Reserve	<u>\$26,970</u>
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CA-072-25
LDF/rjw
G-0135; 7/08/25
Fiscal Impact: See attached

APPROVED

Susan J. Serino

SUSAN J. SERINO
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date 08/14/2025

STATE OF NEW YORK

ss:

COUNTY OF DUTCHESS

This is to certify that I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Dutchess, have compared the foregoing resolution with the original resolution now on file in the office of said clerk, and which was adopted by said Legislature on the 11th day of August 2025, and that the same is a true and correct transcript of said original resolution and of the whole thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Legislature this 11th day of August 2025.



Leigh Wagner
LEIGH WAGNER, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

☐ NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

(To be completed by requesting department)

Total Current Year Cost \$ 26,970

Total Current Year Revenue \$ 26,970
and Source

Source of County Funds (check one): ☐ Existing Appropriations, ☐ Contingency,
☐ Transfer of Existing Appropriations, ☐ Additional Appropriations, ☒ Other (explain).

Identify Line Items(s):

Related Expenses: Amount \$ _____

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: _____

Net County Cost (this year): _____
Over Five Years: _____

Additional Comments/Explanation:

This resolution is to appropriate post-conviction asset forfeiture funds (A.9998.95110.01 - Asset Forfeiture State - Reserve) to enable the purchase of equipment, etc. listed on the attached Post-Conviction Asset Forfeiture Expenditure sheet.

Prepared by: Heidi Owens

Prepared On: 6/30/2025



Anthony P. Parisi
District Attorney

Office of the Dutchess County DISTRICT ATTORNEY



Michael W. Brady
Chief Assistant

MEMORANDUM

Date: June 27, 2025

To: Sue Serino, County Executive
Rachel Kashimer, Deputy County Executive

From: Anthony P. Parisi, District Attorney

Copy: Michael W. Brady, Linda Fakhoury, Jessica Edwards, Tiffanie Massey, Cullen D. O'Shea, Colleen Pillus, Gregg Pulver, Rachel Whispell, Jessica White

Re: Resolution request asset forfeiture funds to 2025 appropriations

I respectfully request that a resolution be prepared authorizing the expenditure of post-conviction asset forfeiture funds by my department. These funds were seized and forfeited pursuant to federal statutes, in accordance with the United States Code and Article 13-A of the CPLR. In compliance with governing guidelines, these monies are restricted to use in support of law enforcement training, equipment, and operations, and may not be used to supplement routine budgetary expenses. The request outlined in this resolution fully adheres to these requirements.

My office has verified that post-conviction asset forfeiture proceeds are available for appropriation from A.9998.95110.01 - Asset Forfeiture State Reserve.

The District Attorney's Office seeks to:

- **Contribute to the City of Poughkeepsie Police Department** for expenses related to updating equipment in an existing covert surveillance van. The upgrade will allow personnel to remotely access the camera system and monitor activity in real time from multiple locations.
- **Contribute to the Town of East Fishkill Police Department** for expenses related to implementing AXON's Draft One — a generative AI platform that uses body camera audio to produce high-quality draft report narratives within seconds.

Thank you for your consideration.

APP:hjo

Asset Forfeiture Budget Amendments

APPROPRIATION

<u>Increase</u>		
A.1165.05. 4765.312	Asset Forfeiture Expenses Municipalities	\$26,970
	TOTAL	\$26,970

REVENUE

<u>Increase</u>		
A.9998.95110.01	Forfeiture - State Reserve	\$26,970
	TOTAL	\$26,970

Asset Forfeiture Expenditures

5.312	Asset Forfeiture Expenses Municipalities	
Update equipment in a surveillnace van	11,970.00	City of Poughkeepsie Police Department
AXON Draft One	15,000.00	Town of East Fishkill Police Department
TOTAL:	26,970.00	
TOTAL TO BE APPROPRIATED:	26,970.00	
TOTALS BY PROGRAM		
City of Poughkeepsie Police Department	11,970.00	
Town of East Fishkill Police Department	15,000.00	
TOTAL TO BE APPROPRIATED:	26,970.00	

Public Safety Roll Call

<i>District</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>No</i>
District 7 - Hyde Park and Pleasant Valley	Truitt*	✓	
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Houston*		
District 3 - LaGrange	Polasek*		
District 16 - Fishkill and Beacon	Valdés Smith*		
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins*		
District 4 - Hyde Park and Town of Poughkeepsie	Lawler		
District 11 - Clinton, Pleasant Valley, and Rhinebeck	Kearney		
District 14 - Wappinger and Town of Poughkeepsie	Versaci		
District 15 - Wappinger	Faust (C)		
District 19 - North East, Stanford, Pine Plains, Milan & Red Hook	Drago	Absent	
District 22 - Beekman and Union Vale	Garito		
District 23 - Pawling, Beekman and East Fishkill	Rolison (VC)		

Present: 11
 Absent: 1
 Vacant: 0

Resolution: ✓
 Motion:

Total : 11 0
 Yes No
 Abstentions: 0

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AUGUST 7, 2025

Roll Call Sheets

District	Last Name	YES	NO
District 7 - Hyde Park and Pleasant Valley	Truitt	✓	
District 25 - Amenia, Washington, Pleasant Valley & Millbrook	Houston		
District 3 - LaGrange	Polasek		
District 16 - Fishkill and Beacon	Valdés Smith		
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins		
District 1 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Gorman		
District 2 - LaGrange, Pleasant Valley & Town of Poughkeepsie	Travelpiece	Absent	
District 4 - Hyde Park and Town of Poughkeepsie	Lawler		
District 5 - Town of Poughkeepsie	D'Aquanni		
District 6 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Kaul		
District 8 - City and Town of Poughkeepsie	Brendli		
District 10 - City of Poughkeepsie	Johnson	Absent	
District 11 - Clinton, Pleasant Valley, and Rhinebeck	Kearney		
District 12 - East Fishkill	Metzger		
District 13 - East Fishkill and Wappinger	Paoloni		
District 14 - Wappinger and Town of Poughkeepsie	Versaci		
District 15 - Wappinger	Faust		
District 17 - Town and Village of Fishkill	McHoul		
District 18 - City of Beacon and Fishkill	Page		
District 19 - North East, Stanford, Pine Plains, Milan & Red Hook	Drago	Absent	
District 20 - Red Hook, Tivoli, and Rhinebeck	Munn		
District 21 - East Fishkill	Caswell	Absent	
District 22 - Beekman and Union Vale	Garito		
District 23 - Pawling, Beekman and East Fishkill	Rolison	Absent	
District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House		

Present: 20 Resolution: ✓ Total : 20 0
 Absent: 5 Motion: Yes No
 Vacant: 0 Abstentions: 0

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