RESOLUTION NO. 393

AUTHORIZING A TOWER SPACE LEASE AGREEMENT WITH MID-HUDSON CABLEVISION REGARDING ENHANCEMENT OF THE COUNTYWIDE EMERGENCY RADIO SYSTEM

Introduced: 10/12/10
By Public Safety Committee:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Sheriff's Department has been developing a region wide interoperable radio system that will be available to police, fire, EMS, and emergency management officials in Albany, Schenectady, and Rensselaer Counties, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff's Department has requested authorization to enter into a five-year agreement with the option to renew for another five years with Mid-Hudson Cablevision in the amount of $20,000 per year regarding tower space located on Route 23 in East Durham, New York to enhance the Countywide emergency radio system, and

WHEREAS, The lease will improve the overall communications coverage and will allow the Department to relocate radio equipment located at two other sites, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into a five-year tower space agreement with Mid-Hudson Cablevision in the amount of $20,000 per year with an option to renew for another five years to enhance the Countywide emergency radio system, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreement as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 10/12/10