PUBLIC SAFETY

RESOLUTION NO. 2025107

RE: AUTHORIZING GRANT AWARD WITH NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES FOR STATEWIDE TARGETED REDUCTIONS IN INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE (STRIVE) INITIATIVE AND AMENDING THE 2025 ADOPTED COUNTY BUDGET AS IT PERTAINS TO THE OFFICE OF PROBATION AND COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS

Legislators FAUST, HOUSTON, POLASEK, VERSACI, GORMAN, CASWELL, ROLISON, D'AQUANNI, KAUL, and LAWLER offer the following and move its adoption:

WHEREAS, the Director of Probation and Community Corrections ("Probation") has advised that the New York State Department of Criminal Justice Services ("NYS DCJS") has awarded the County a grant (Contract Number T485143) in the sum of $38,059 for the Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence ("STRIVE") initiative, and

WHEREAS, the STRIVE initiative is a multi-agency approach that involves criminal justice and community agencies working collaboratively with tools, training, resources and strategic support to reduce intimate partner violence in our community, and

WHEREAS, the grant will allow Coordinated Community Response ("CCR") partners to use evidence-based tools and approaches, including problem analysis, community readiness, and local crime analysis to identify and prioritize high-risk intimate partner violence cases, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for this Legislature to authorize the grant and to amend the 2025 Adopted County Budget to accept such funds and provide for the receipt and expenditure of said funds, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that this Legislature hereby authorizes the County Executive or her designee to accept the grant award from NYS DCJS in connection with the above project on behalf of the County of Dutchess, and be it further

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

APPROPRIATIONS		
Increase		
A.3140.4412.1455	Grant Proj. Cost STRIVE	$38,059
REVENUES		
Increase		
A.3140.30890.46	Other St. Aid STRIVE	$38,059

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06/03/25
Fiscal Impact: See Attached

APPROVED

SUSAN J. SERINO
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date July 17, 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 14th day of July 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 14th day of July 2025.

DUTCHESS COUNTY SEAL

LEIGH WAGER, CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

☐ NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED

APPROPRIATION RESOLUTIONS

(To be completed by requesting department)

Total Current Year Cost $ 38,059

Total Current Year Revenue $ 38,059

and Source

We will receive funding under the Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE) grant program from New York State. This grant program was secured by Governor Kathy Hochul and the New York State Legislature to improve the public safety response to intimate partner abuse and domestic violence.

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

Identify Line Items(s):

Expense Line A.3140.4412.1455 Grant Project Costs STRIVE

Revenue Line A.3140.30890.46 Other State Aid STRIVE

Related Expenses: Amount $ 0

Nature/Reason:

Anticipated Savings to County: $0

Net County Cost (this year): $0

Over Five Years: $0

Additional Comments/Explanation:

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KATHY HOCHUL
Governor
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Commissioner
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Deputy Commissioner

Grant Award Notice

Grantee/Contractor: Dutchess County Probation Department		Date: 5/19/2025
Program Name: STRIVE (Year I)		Award Amount: $38,059
Signatory Name and Title: Kathy McQuade Director		Term Dates: 3/1/2025 – 3/31/2026
Email: kmcquade@dutchessny.gov		Contract Number: T485143
Program Description: Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE) Initiative		

I am pleased to inform you that your organization will receive funding under the Statewide Targeted Reductions in Intimate Partner Violence (STRIVE) grant program from State Fiscal Year 2025. This grant program was secured by Governor Kathy Hochul and the New York State Legislature to improve the public safety response to intimate partner abuse and domestic violence.

Please note that this funding is made available to your organization pursuant to the county plan submitted to, and approved by, the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS). Funding shall be used for the prevention of – and intervention (e.g., enforcement, prosecution) in – incidences of intimate partner violence through evidence-based, survivor-centered, trauma-informed, and culturally responsive strategies.

If you have any programmatic questions, please contact the DCJS Office of Public Safety (OPS) at STRIVE@dcjs.ny.gov.

Your DCJS Office of Program Development and Funding (OPDF) Public Safety Grants Representative will be reaching out shortly with the next steps.

We look forward to working with you in our shared efforts to help keep New Yorkers safe and ensure a justice system that works for all. Thank you for your continued partnership.

DUTCHESS		
CITY of POUGHKEEPSIE POLICE DEPARTMENT BUDGET		
PERSONNEL	Requested Budget	Awarded Budget
Job Title / Position		
Job Title/ Position Total	$0	$0
Fringe Benefits for Positions		
Fringe Benefits Total	$0	$0
TOTAL PERSONNEL	$0	$0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HIGH-RISK TEAM (DVHRT)		
TOTAL DVHRT	$0	$0
LETHALITY ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (LAP)		
Infrared Thermal Imaging Camera	$400	$400
Officer Overtime for LAP Training	$13,000	$13,000
Senior Lieutenant Overtime	$58,600	$58,600
Patrol Officer Overtime	$15,000	$15,000
TOTAL LAP	$87,000	$87,000
INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INTERVENTION (IPVI)		
TOTAL IPVI	$0	$0
TRAVEL & TRAINING		
Travel expenses for DCJS Orientation (inclusive of mileage, meals, hotel)	$1,250	$1,250
Additional Training Opportunities	$2,000	$2,000
Additional travel expenses for trainings	$1,000	$1,000
TOTAL TRAVEL & TRAINING	$4,250	$4,250
POLICE DEPARTMENT TOTAL	$91,250	$91,250

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE BUDGET			
	PERSONNEL	Requested Budget	Awarded Budget
Job Title / Position			
	Assistant District Attorney	$91,524	$91,524
	Crime Analyst	$67,572	$67,572
	Job Title/ Position Total	$159,096	$159,096
Fringe Benefits for Positions			
	Assistant District Attorney	$32,034	$32,033
	Crime Analyst	$23,650	$23,650
	Fringe Benefits Total	$55,684	$55,683
	TOTAL PERSONNEL	$214,780	$214,779
	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HIGH-RISK TEAM (DVHRT)		
	TOTAL DVHRT	$0	$0
	LETHALITY ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (LAP)		
	Approx. 900 sf. Office space: 3 personnel (ADA, Analyst, 25% of URDV Coord)	$20,055	$20,055
	3 x Laptop with Accessories and Software	$6,900	$6,900
	3 x Desk with Return	$4,230	$4,230
	3 x Desk Chair	$855	$855
	6 x Guest Chair	$1,500	$1,500
	3 x Bookcase	$1,605	$1,605
	3 x Filing Cabinet	$1,980	$1,980
	3 x Scanner	$810	$810
	2 x Cell (URDV cell is provided by Family Services)	$768	$768
	3 x IP Phone	$423	$423
	TOTAL LAP	$39,126	$39,126
	INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INTERVENTION (IPVI)		
	TOTAL IPVI	$0	$0
	TRAVEL& TRAINING		
	Travel expenses for DCJS Orientation (inclusive of mileage, meals, hotel)	$1,250	$1,250
	Additional Training Opportunities	$2,000	$2,000
	Additional travel expenses for trainings	$1,000	$1,000
	TOTAL TRAVEL & TRAINING	$4,250	$4,250
	DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE TOTAL	$258,156	$258,155

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SERVICE PROVIDER BUDGET

PERSONNEL		Requested Budget	Awarded Budget
Job Title / Position			
	URDV Coordinator	$15,500	$15,500
	STRIVE Victim Advocate	$43,150	$43,150
	Director Center for Victim Safety and Support	$5,865	$5,865
	Program Administrator	$2,703	$2,703
	Vice President for Community Programs	$3,276	$3,276
	High Risk Case Manager	$3,634	$3,634
	Mid year Cola for all funded staff	$741	$741
	Stipend for Peer Connection to Community	$2,000	$2,000
	Job Title/ Position Total	**$76,869**	**$76,869**
Fringe Benefits for Positions			
	URDV Coordinator	$4,495	$4,495
	STRIVE Victim Advocate	$12,514	$12,514
	Director Center for Victim Safety and Support	$1,701	$1,701
	Program Administrator	$784	$784
	Vice President for Community Programs	$950	$950
	High Risk Case Manager	$1,053	$1,054
	Mid year Cola for all funded staff	$215	$215
	Fringe Benefits Total	**$21,712**	**$21,713**
	TOTAL PERSONNEL	**$98,581**	**$98,582**

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HIGH-RISK TEAM (DVHRT)			
	TOTAL DVHRT	**$0**	**$0**

LETHALITY ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (LAP)			
	Job Recruitment and Background checks for new High Risk/LAP Advocate	$750	$750
	Computer set up for new High Risk/LAP Advocate	$1,000	$1,000
	Communication expenses for LAP/HR Advocate - desk and cell phone, internet and email provision	$1,500	$1,500
	Indirect Costs	$16,376	$16,376
	Occupancy Expenses	$2,396	$2,396
	TOTAL LAP	**$22,022**	**$22,022**

INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INTERVENTION (IPVI)			
	TOTAL IPVI	**$0**	**$0**

TRAVEL & TRAINING			
	Travel expenses for DCJS Orientation (inclusive of mileage, meals, hotel) for 2 people	$1,250	$1,250
	Local Travel and Parking	$200	$200
	Food for Community Awareness and Engagement Events	$1,500	$1,500
	Additional Training Opportunities	$2,000	$2,000
	Additional travel expenses for trainings	$1,000	$1,000
	TOTAL TRAVEL & TRAINING	**$5,950**	**$5,950**
	SERVICE PROVIDER TOTAL	**$126,553**	**$126,554**

SHERIFF'S OFFICE BUDGET			
5/1/2025	PERSONNEL	Requested Budget	Awarded Budget
Job Title / Position			

	Detective	$47,486	$47,486
	Job Title/ Position Total	$47,486	$47,486
Fringe Benefits for Positions			
	Detective	$19,107	$19,107
	Fringe Benefits Total	$19,107	$19,107
	TOTAL PERSONNEL	$66,593	$66,593
	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HIGH-RISK TEAM (DVHRT)		
	Strangulation Alternate Light Source Handscope	$13,130	$13,130
	RF Signal Bug Detector	$900	$900
	Overtime for high risk home visits/warrants/monitoring offenders	$30,000	$30,000
	TOTAL DVHRT	$44,030	$44,030
	LETHALITY ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (LAP)		
	Officer Overtime to complete 96 hour follow ups	$10,000	$10,000
	TOTAL LAP	$10,000	$10,000
	INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INTERVENTION (IPVI)		
	TOTAL IPVI	$0	$0
	TRAVEL & TRAINING		
	Travel expenses for DCJS Orientation (inclusive of mileage, meals, hotel) for 2 people	$1,250	$1,250
	Additional Training Opportunities	$2,000	$2,000
	Additional travel expenses for trainings	$1,000	$1,000
	TOTAL TRAVEL & TRAINING	$4,250	$4,250
	SHERIFF'S OFFICE TOTAL	$124,873	$124,873

COUNTY PROBATION BUDGET		
PERSONNEL	Requested Budget	Awarded Budget
Job Title / Position		

	Job Title/ Position Total	$0	$0
Fringe Benefits for Positions			
	Fringe Benefits Total	$0	$0
	TOTAL PERSONNEL	$0	$0
	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HIGH-RISK TEAM (DVHRT)		
	Overtime Request: After hours contacts supported by police agencies and victim advocates including 1 supervisor, 1 senior probation officer, as well as 2 other probation officers doing outreach to enhance offender accountability and victim safety		
	4 hours each operation/outreach ideally bi-monthly(24) details		
	Probation Supervisor, 4hrs, 24 details, $63.77/hr	$6,123	$0
	Senior Probation Officer, 4 hrs, 24 details, $51.58/hr	$4,156	$0
	Two Probation Officers, 4hrs, 24 details, $53.81/hr	$10,332	$0
	Overtime Fringe for all of the above roles	$10,598	$0
	Supervisor, Sr. Probation Officer and Probation Officer OT	$0	$31,209
	TOTAL DVHRT	$31,209	$31,209
	LETHALITY ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (LAP)		
	TOTAL LAP	$0	$0
	INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INTERVENTION (IPVI)		
	TOTAL IPVI	$0	$0
	TRAVEL & TRAINING		
	Travel expenses for DCJS Orientation (inclusive of mileage, meals, hotel)	$1,250	$1,250
	Virtual DVMRT Training - 4 officers - $650/officer	$2,600	$2,600
	Additional Training Opportunities TBD	$2,000	$2,000
	Additional travel expenses for trainings TBD	$1,000	$1,000
	TOTAL TRAVEL & TRAINING	$6,850	$6,850
	COUNTY PROBATION TOTAL	$38,059	$38,059

TOWN OF POUGHKEEPSIE POLICE DEPARTMENT BUDGET			
	PERSONNEL	Requested Budget	Awarded Budget
Job Title / Position			

Job Title/ Position Total	$0	$0
Fringe Benefits for Positions		
Fringe Benefits Total	$0	$0
TOTAL PERSONNEL	$0	$0
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HIGH-RISK TEAM (DVHRT)		
Police Officer Overtime (joint details, DV warrant sweeps, follow up High Risk cases)	$42,919	$42,919
TOTAL DVHRT	$42,919	$42,919
LETHALITY ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (LAP)		
Police Officer overtime for LAP 96 hour follow up	$24,761	$24,761
Infrared Thermal Imaging Camera	$400	$400
TOTAL LAP	$25,161	$25,161
INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE INTERVENTION (IPVI)		
TOTAL IPVI	$0	$0
TRAVEL & TRAINING		
Travel expenses for DCJS Orientation (inclusive of mileage, meals, hotel)	$1,250	$1,250
Additional Training Opportunities TBD	$2,000	$2,000
Additional travel expenses for trainings TBD	$1,000	$1,000
TOTAL TRAVEL & TRAINING	$4,250	$4,250
POLICE DEPARTMENT TOTAL	$72,330	$72,330
COUNTY GRAND TOTAL -	$711,221	$711,221

IPV Incident Data: Document the total number of intimate partner: incidents, simple and aggravated assaults, Contempt, Strangulations, Stalking, Homicides, and High-risk IPV cases (if applicable)

1. Domestic Incident Reports (DIRs): Track the number of DIRs completed by each jurisdiction, specifying the percentage related to IPV.
2. Service Provider Data: Report the number of IPV victims served by domestic violence service providers, including victims from the STRIVE community served and sheltered from the previous five years, with quarterly updates.
3. Probation Data: Report the number of IPV probation cases/sentences or related supervision data.
4. Hotline and Service Data: Include data on local hotline calls and the type of services provided to further understand and address community need.

Submission Process: Data should be submitted through the DCJS web-based Implementation Assessment Tool (IAT)

Compliance and Monitoring

Compliance with STRIVE's reporting requirements includes timely and accurate data submissions each quarter. Failure to submit complete and compliant reports may result in a temporary suspension of contract payments until the jurisdiction meets all requirements.

These reporting requirements ensure comprehensive program development tracking and provide essential data for evaluating progress and identifying areas requiring additional support. Collaboration between STRIVE Field Advisors and IPV stakeholders will be crucial for achieving the initiative's goals.

Ongoing Requirements

Regional Networking and Collaboration

Throughout the contract cycle, DCJS may organize regional roundtable meetings to foster cross-jurisdictional collaboration. These sessions allow jurisdictions to share insights, discuss IPV trends and exchange effective practices. Designated representatives from each jurisdiction are required to attend.

STRIVE and the Office of Probation and Correctional Alternatives

Title 9 NYCRR Rules and Regulations outline the minimum requirements of probation practice and the additional strategies that go beyond the minimum requirements that can help ensure a consistent response that will maximize accountability within the context of victim safety.

Working with the understanding of these principles of enhancing victim safety and holding individuals accountable for their abusive behaviors as a collaborative effort will enhance probation practice in this area.

The following is a non-exhaustive list of considerations for a probation department as methods to enhance probation practices for the STRIVE Initiative.

- Maintain an appropriate level of monitoring and supervision for IPV caseloads.

- Establish dedicated unit/staff to conduct specialized investigations and supervision for individuals on probation for DV/IPV/GBV-related offenses.
- Enhanced specialized conditions of probation in the interest of victim and community safety (curfew, GPS/Electronic Monitoring, etc.).
- Conduct home contacts and surveillance details during non-standard hours.
- Specialized Training for IPV probation staff (survivor-centered, trauma-informed, culturally responsive, lethality assessments, etc.).
- Establish a victim advocacy program, which may include access, referrals, and collaboration with victim advocates, if appropriate and in the interest of victim safety.
- Establish or maintain, where available, approved department-led or community-based Offender Accountability programs that meet the STRIVE criteria.
- Provide enhanced Presentence Investigation Reports to courts for appropriate sentencing/consequences. They can also be used as a tool for community supervision.
- In counties where pretrial supervision is conducted by probation, consideration of approaches that enhance victim safety and hold individuals accountable should be encouraged.
- Utilize a DVSI-R where available. DVSI-R: The Revised Domestic Violence Screening Instrument (DVSI-R) is a specialized assessment tool used by probation departments in the state. It assists probation professionals with supervision decisions, improves accountability for individuals convicted of domestic violence crimes, and promotes victim safety. Many probation departments across the state currently have a DVSI-R trainer on staff.

STRIVE and the Office of Crime Analysis and Strategic Partnerships

The New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) Crime Analysis Center Network (CACN) is comprised of eleven (11) Centers strategically positioned across New York State that provide crime analysis, investigative, and real-time crime support services to police, prosecutors, and other law enforcement stakeholders within their area of responsibility. Staffed with crime analysts serving various disciplines and services as well as sworn and other Intel staff from multiple local, state, and federal agencies, their collective mission is to aid agencies in their efforts to respond and investigate criminal activity, along with supporting the development of evidence-based crime reduction strategies within their respective communities.

Specific Capabilities:
Crime analysts assigned to the Crime Analysis Center within the STRIVE initiative may be positioned within the appropriate Crime Analysis Center, where they will have access to training and all CAC resources, services, and capabilities. This will include access to:

- CACN law enforcement RMS federated search tool (350+ agencies)
- NYS and County Correctional Data
- LPR, DOCCS, Probation GPS Services, and Municipal Camera systems.
- NYS and ATF Crime Gun Intelligence Services
- NYNJ High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas (HIDTA) OD Reporting

Assigned staff will have the capacity and/or access to develop various services in support of STRIVE, including:

- Domestic Violence Incident Analysis

Public Safety Roll Call

District	*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*	Absent	
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)	Absent	

Present: 9
Absent: 3
Vacant: 0

Resolution: ✓
Motion: ___

Total : Yes 9 No 0
Abstentions: 0

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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	Absent	
District 9 - City of Poughkeepsie	Atkins		
District 1 - Town of Poughkeepsie	Gorman		
District 2 - LaGrange, Pleasant Valley & Town of Poughkeepsie	Travelpiece		
District 4 - Hyde Park and Town of Poughkeepsie	Lawler	Absent	
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		
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		
District 20 - Red Hook, Tivoli, and Rhinebeck	Munn		
District 21 - East Fishkill	Caswell		
District 22 - Beekman and Union Vale	Garito		
District 23 - Pawling, Beekman and East Fishkill	Rolison		
District 24 - Dover and Pawling	House		

Present:	23	Resolution:	✓	Total :	23	0
Absent:	2	Motion:			Yes	No
Vacant:	0			Abstentions:	0	

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