

**RESOLUTION NO. 405 -2015, AMENDING THE 2015 CAPITAL BUDGET AND PROGRAM AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS IN CONNECTION WITH EQUIPMENT FOR MED-LEGAL INVESTIGATIONS AND FORENSIC SCIENCES (CP1132)**

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the Medical Examiner has requested funds for the purchase of equipment for Medical, Legal Investigations and Forensic Sciences; and

**WHEREAS**, sufficient funds are not included in the 2015 Capital Budget and Program to cover the cost of said request and pursuant to Suffolk County Charter, Section C4-13, an offsetting authorization must be provided from another capital project, and

**WHEREAS**, Resolution 321-2003 requires that no vehicle shall be purchased or leased unless "explicit approval for the acquisition of such vehicles, via lease or purchase, has been granted via duly enacted Resolution of the Suffolk County Legislature"; and

**WHEREAS**, amortizing the bonds over the period of probable usefulness ("PPU") of the equipment for investigations may be fiscally beneficial as compared to including the items in the weighted average maturity ("WAM") determined for a typical bond issue; and

**WHEREAS**, Resolution No. 471-1994 amended by Resolution No. 461-2006 has established a priority ranking system as the basis for funding capital projects such as this project; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Legislature, by resolution of even date herewith, has authorized the issuance of \$435,000 in Suffolk County Serial Bonds; now, therefore be it

**1<sup>st</sup>** **RESOLVED**, that this Legislature, being the lead agency under the State Environmental Quality Review Act ("SEQRA"), Environmental Conservation Law Article 8, hereby finds and determines that this law constitutes a Type II action, pursuant to Section 617.5 (C) (25) and (27) of Title 6 of New York Code of Rules and Regulations ("NYCRR"), and the Legislature has no further responsibilities under SEQRA; and it be further

**2<sup>nd</sup>** **RESOLVED**, that it is hereby determined that this project, with a priority ranking of fifty-six (56) is eligible for approval in accordance with the provisions of Resolution No. 471-1994 amended by Resolution No. 461-2006; and be it further

**3<sup>rd</sup>** **RESOLVED**, that the 2015 Capital Budget and Program be and they are hereby amended as follows:

Project No: 1109  
Project Title Forensic Sciences Medical and Legal Investigative Consolidated Laboratory

	Current 2015 Capital Budget & Program	Revised 2015 Capital Budget & Program
Total Est'd Cost		

3. Construction	<u>\$935,000</u>	<u>\$100,000B</u>	<u>\$0</u>
TOTAL	\$935,000	\$100,000	\$0

Project No: 1132

Project Title: Equipment for Med-Legal Investigations and Forensic Sciences

	<u>Total Est'd Cost</u>	<u>Current 2015 Capital Budget &amp; Program</u>	<u>Revised 2015 Capital Budget &amp; Program</u>
5. Furniture & Equipment	<u>\$3,063,500</u>	<u>\$335,000B</u>	<u>\$435,000B</u>
TOTAL	\$3,063,500	\$335,000	\$435,000

and be it further

**4<sup>th</sup>** **RESOLVED**, that the purchase of vehicles/equipment as detailed on the attached is hereby approved, pursuant to Section 186-2(B)(6) of the SUFFOLK COUNTY CODE, and in accordance with County Vehicle Standard; and be it further

**5<sup>th</sup>** **RESOLVED**, that if it is determined to be fiscally beneficial, the equipment for investigations will be financed utilizing the PPU of the equipment; and be it further

**6<sup>th</sup>** **RESOLVED**, that the proceeds of \$435,000 in Suffolk County Serial Bonds be and they are hereby appropriated as follows:

<u>Project No.</u>	<u>J.C.</u>	<u>Project Title</u>	<u>Amount</u>
525-CAP-1132.520 (Fund 001-Debt Service)	40	Equipment for Medical, Legal Investigations and Forensic Sciences	\$435,000

DATED: May 12, 2015

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone  
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: May 28, 2015