## **Resolution Authorizing the Purchase of the Cellebrite Premium Project and the Distribution of American Rescue Act (ARPA) Funding – [Sponsoring Department]**

- WHEREAS, Resolution 2022-12-192 outlined a plan for the strategic use and distribution of American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding; and
- **WHEREAS,** a total of \$1,750,000 of ARPA funding was identified for the Livingston County Sheriff's Office for projects; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Sheriff's Office is requesting \$34,800 of this allocation for the Cellebrite Premium Project which is the expansion of the extraction and analysis capabilities for Livingston County mobile device investigation. The increase in violent crimes during the COVID pandemic in Livingston County has caused law enforcement to search for effective and efficient investigative tools.
- **WHEREAS,** this is an eligible use of ARPA funding and will be listed under the *Expenditure Category:* 6.1 / *Provision of Government Services* for federal reporting purposes.
- **THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby approves the distribution of ARPA funds and purchases of Cellebrite Premium in the amount of \$34,800 to support Livingston County law enforcement agencies in protecting the public and combatting the rise in violent crime by helping to identify suspects and collecting evidence.
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Board of Commissioners authorizes any budget amendments needed to effectuate this project.
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that from the date of approval of this resolution until the project is completed, as outlined in Resolution 2022-12-192, the Sheriff's Office shall provide a written update on the status of the project every three (3) months and shall present, in person, to the Finance and Asset Management Committee every six (6) months until the project is complete.

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