

Warren County Board of Supervisors

RESOLUTION NO. 143 OF 2025

RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY SUPERVISORS GERACI, CONOVER, MADAY, STRAINER, GILLIGAN, DRISCOLL AND PATCHETT

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE RURAL LAW CENTER OF NEW YORK, INC. FOR ASSIGNED COUNSEL APPELLATE CASES

WHEREAS, Warren County is charged with providing free legal services for indigents in Warren County seeking appellate review, and

WHEREAS, the Rural Law Center of New York, Inc. is a not-for-profit corporation established to represent the indigent in appellate review cases assigned through County Assigned Counsel Offices, and

WHEREAS, the Assigned Counsel Administrator requested, and the Criminal Justice, Public Safety & Emergency Services Committee agreed, to enter into agreement with the Rural Law Center of New York, Inc., 22 US Oval, Suite 101, Plattsburg, New York 12903, for a one (1) year period commencing May 1, 2025 and terminating on April 30, 2026, with the first fourteen appeals services being provided for an amount not to exceed Fifty-Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$57,500), payable in quarterly installments equal to Fourteen Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars (\$14,375), with any additional appeals to be handled at the fixed fee cost of Four Thousand One Hundred Seven Dollars and Fourteen Cents (\$4,107.14) per appeal, unless extraordinary circumstances justify additional expenses, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Chair of the Board of Supervisors, be and hereby is, authorized to execute said agreement as outlined above, in a form approved by the County Attorney, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the funds for this agreement shall be expended from the appropriate departmental budget codes.