



**LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC HEARING
October 12, 2021
Council Meeting Room
Luzerne County Courthouse
200 N. River Street
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18701
AND
Video/Teleconference via ZOOM**

5:50 PM CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND MOMENT OF SILENCE

ROLL CALL

PUBLIC COMMENT ON PROPOSED ORDINANCE Amending the 2021 Fiscal Year Budget for Luzerne County (DA LEO).

This is an opportunity for members of the public to address the Council on the matter listed on the Agenda. Each speaker shall have three (3) minutes to address Council. Speakers may not yield or transfer their time to another speaker.

Those attending in person are asked to complete and submit a Speaker Card to the Clerk of Council before the first speaker is called.

Those attending virtually are asked to refer to the Public Meetings Online page of County's Website at <https://www.luzernecounty.org/1279/Public-Meetings-Online> for more information on how to participate in Public Comment via technology.

ADJOURNMENT

No. 2021-
ORDINANCE

*An Ordinance of County Council for the County of
Luzerne Amending the 2021 Fiscal Year Budget for
Luzerne County*

WHEREAS, Luzerne County Council authorized, by Resolution 2021-121, the execution of an Agreement between the Luzerne County District Attorney's Office (DAO) and the Wilkes-Barre/Scranton International Airport in which the Luzerne County District Attorney's Office shall be compensated for providing Law Enforcement Officers (LEO) to the Airport at security checkpoints; and

WHEREAS, The agreement states the DAO will supply qualified LEOs to the Airport to perform security checkpoint functions at the Airport 365 days per year, during operational periods of security checkpoint screening between the hours of 5:00 am through 7:00 pm. and

WHEREAS, The Airport shall pay the DAO on a monthly basis all amounts owed for LEO services rendered within ten (10) days of receipt of an itemization of said services from the Township. and

WHEREAS, The Airport shall pay for or reimburse the DAO for LEO Uniforms which shall consist of 2 pairs of BDU/Cargo-type pants, 2 short –sleeve shirts and 2 long-sleeve shirts

WHEREAS, Section 5.10.F. of the Home Rule Charter states County Council may amend any of the budgets at any time during the fiscal year by ordinance adopted by an affirmative vote of at least a majority plus one of its current members after a public hearing has been held; and

WHEREAS, County Council for Luzerne desires to amend the Budget at the appropriate line items in order to account for the receipt of funds to the 2021 Fiscal Year budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, the following is hereby ENACTED and ORDAINED by the Luzerne County Council:

SECTION ONE. Incorporation of Preamble.

The provisions set forth in the preamble to this Ordinance are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

SECTION TWO. Amendment of Fund Items in Budget.

A public hearing having been held on _____2021, County Council hereby desires to create Fund 526-12-4194 District Attorney Law Enforcement Office Fund, to account for the reimbursed revenue and expenditures for the District Attorney Law Enforcement Officers provided by the Wilkes –Barre/Scranton International Airport.

SECTION THREE. Remainder of Budget.

All other line items in the 2021 Fiscal Year Luzerne County Budget shall remain unchanged.

SECTION FOUR. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective fifteen (15) days after enactment.

ADOPTED at a meeting of the Luzerne County Council held on _____2021

Attest: _____

Chairman