

**RESOLUTION R-2022-130  
LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL**

*A Resolution of Luzerne County Council Authorizing the  
County Manager to Execute a Contract with Runbeck Election Services for the Purchase of a Mail  
Ballot Sorting System and Five Year Licensing and Service Agreement*

WHEREAS, the Luzerne County Manager has the authority to recommend, and Luzerne County Council has the authority to approve, the execution of certain contracts pursuant to the Luzerne County Home Rule Charter; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 2.09.B.8. of the Luzerne County Home Rule Charter, County Council must approve contracts in excess of \$25,000 for an unbudgeted year or contracts in excess of \$75,000 for an aggregate of three unbudgeted years; and

WHEREAS, the Luzerne County Manager is recommending the purchase of a mail ballot sorting machine and associated license and servicing agreement for the purpose of significantly streamlining and expediting the processing of mail in ballots on election days in order to prevent delays in election night result reporting; and

WHEREAS, County Council desires to authorize the County Manager to execute a contract for the purchase of a mail in ballot sorting machine and associated service and maintenance agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, Luzerne County Council authorizes the County Manager to execute a contract for the purchase of a mail in ballot sorting machine and licensing and service agreement in the aggregate amount of \$490,500 pursuant to the terms and conditions on the documents attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference..

This Resolution shall become effective immediately.

ADOPTED at a meeting of Luzerne County Council held on August 29, 2022.

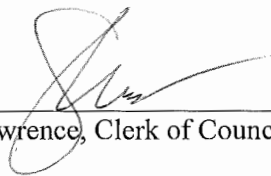
ROLL CALL VOTE (6-5)

YES: Lombardo, McDermott, McGinley, Mitchell, Perry and Radle

NO: Bienias, Lescavage, Thornton, SJ Urban and Wolovich

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

Sharon Lawrence, Clerk of Council



LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL

By: Kendra Radle  
Kendra Radle, Chair

LUZERNE COUNTY MANAGER

By: Randy Robertson  
Randy Robertson, County Manager