

RESOLUTION NO. 592

**AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT FOR THE USE OF A RADIO TOWER
LOCATED IN RENSSELAER COUNTY TO ENHANCE THE COUNTYWIDE
EMERGENCY RADIO SYSTEM**

Introduced: 12/16/13

By Mr. Cotrofeld and Audit and Finance Committee:

WHEREAS, The Sheriff has requested authorization to enter into an agreement for the use of a radio tower in the Town of Brunswick, County of Rensselaer to enhance Albany County's emergency radio system, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff indicated that the radio tower site located at Bald Mountain in the Town of Brunswick is owned by WNYT-TV, LLC, and that the agreement includes space for a radio transmission and receiving equipment as well as access and use of the site, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff indicated that the transmitter site agreement is instrumental for the completion of the Albany County VFH Radio Project, and

WHEREAS, The proposed term of the lease will be for four years, expiring on December 31, 2017, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into a site lease agreement with the County of Rensselaer for the use of a radio tower pursuant to the terms of the lease agreement filed with the Clerk of the Legislature, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreement as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 12/16/13