



ONEIDA COUNTY
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Request for Action

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.
County Executive

Gerald J. Fiorini
Chairman, Board of Legislators

Date:	4/10/2025
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Originating Department: District Attorney

Request made by: Kevin Nugent, Planning Specialist

Request Type: Supplemental Appropriations

Regarding: 2025 Supplemental Appropriation

Dear Anthony J. Picente, Jr.:

The District Attorney's Office hereby requests a supplemental appropriation of funds in the amount of \$200,000 be approved from A 1165 1165.3389-150 (State Aid-Public Safety Aid to Prosecution) to A 1165 1165.495-160 (Other Expense Grant Funded Expenditures). These funds were unexpectedly awarded to the DA's Office by the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) in September 2024, as part of a larger \$300,000 grant, through DCJS's Fentanyl Aid to Prosecution Grant Program for State Fiscal Year 2023-24. A plan to spend these funds was not created by the DA's Office before the end of the 2023-24 fiscal year.

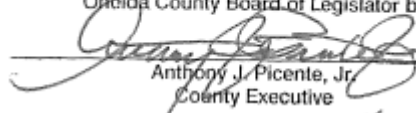
Funds will be used to purchase equipment, hardware and software to investigate and prosecute the use of fentanyl in Oneida County. For example, handheld narcotics analyzers will be purchased and used to quickly and conveniently test and identify potential illegal substances. Funds will also be used to support law enforcement overtime necessitated by fentanyl investigations.

Assuming this supplemental appropriation meets with your approval. I respectfully request that you forward this matter to the Board of Legislators for its review.

Thank you for your attention and consideration.

Todd C. Canella

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the
Orinda County Board of Legislators by


Anthony J. Picente, Jr.
County Executive
