June 27, 2013

FINANCE & MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 10

ALL MEMBERS PRESENT.

CHAIR GRANT PRESENT AS EX-OFFICIO MEMBER.

- 1. RESOLVED, the following items are hereby received and filed:
- a. COMM. 11E-4 (2013)

COMPTROLLER: "Letter to Chair of Legislature Concerning Appointments to the EC Audit Committee" (6-0)

b. COMM. 12E-4 (2013)

COUNTY EXECUTIVE

"Letter to Legislature Concerning Comm. 11E-6, Comptroller Request to Hire Capital Markets Advisors as Financial Advisor" (6-0)

c. COMM. 12E-5 (2013)

COMPTROLLER: "Letter to Legislature Concerning April 2013 Sales Tax" (6-0)

d. COMM. 12E-6 (2013)

COUNTY EXECUTIVE: "Letter to Legislature Concerning Comptroller Financial Advisor Contract" (6-0)

e. COMM. 12D-3 (2013)

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE: "Letter to Legislature Concerning Comm. 11E-6 (2013)" (6-0)

f. COMM. 12M-6 (2013)

ECFSA: "Letter to Chair of the Legislature Concerning Resolution 13-06 - Approving the Issuance of Notes by ECFSA & Resolution 13-08 - Approving the 2012 ECFSA Annual Financial Audit" (6-0)

g. COMM. 12M-7 (2013)

ECFSA: "ECFSA Report to the Board - 12/31/2012" (6-0)

2. COMM. 12E-10 (2013)

COMPTROLLER

WHEREAS, the County has utilized the services of a Financial Advisor since 2006; and

WHEREAS, that contract has expired; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Comptroller issued a Request for Proposal ("RFP") this year and received four responses, one was subsequently withdrawn; and

WHEREAS, the lowest responder to the RFP was First Southwest Co,, and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Comptroller wishes to contract with First Southwest Co.; as the County's Financial Advisory on Bond and Note sales.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Office of the Comptroller is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with First Southwest Co.. At the terms stipulated in their response, \$20,000 for negotiated or competitively sold bond transactions, \$30,000 for refunding bond transactions and \$15,000 for note transactions plus expenses; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the initial contract term be one year with automatic annual renewals at the same terms for up to a total of five years if acceptable to both parties; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a certified copy of this resolution be sent to the Erie County Comptroller, the Erie County Attorney and First Southwest Co. (6-0)

TIMOTHY R. HOGUES CHAIR