



Resolution
Board of Supervisors
County of Columbia
New York

RESOLUTION NO.: 70-2013

DATE: February 13, 2013

BY SUPERVISOR _____
FINANCE COMMITTEE
CHAIRMAN: LAWRENCE ANDREWS

**AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF THE PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
(CENTRAL GARAGE) AND THE PAYROLL DEPARTMENT TO THE
CONTROLLER/AUDITOR'S DEPARTMENT**

UPON, recommendation of the Finance Committee at a meeting held on the 5th day of February 2013;

WHEREAS, the Columbia County Purchasing, Accounts Payable and Payroll Departments have historically been closely associated with each other in an effort to address the fiscal needs of the County; and

WHEREAS, although these Departments are affiliated in their responsibilities, they have always operated as separate divisions within the County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors passed Resolution No. 101-2012, transferring the Accounts Payable Department to the Controller's Department; and

WHEREAS, this transfer has since proven that consolidating the County's fiscal Departments by directing them to report to the Controllers Department will allow them to function in the best possible manner and will minimize the duplication of resources within the County, furthermore resulting in overall cost savings as well as the potential to increase effectiveness; and

WHEREAS, combing these Departments correlates with the County Controllers mission to provide efficient services to taxpayers, As well as ensuring the prudent use of municipality resources;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Columbia County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes and approves the transfer and consolidation of the Purchasing/Central Garage and Payroll Departments into the Controller/Auditor's Department; and be it further

RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall take effect February 13, 2013; and be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Payroll Department, Civil Service Administrator, the Purchasing Department, the Controller, the Columbia County Attorney and the Columbia County Treasurer.

Approved:

County Attorney

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