

RESOLUTION NO. 415

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH STEUBEN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES REGARDING NON-SECURE DETENTION SERVICES

Introduced: 10/15/19

By Social Services Committee, Mss. McKnight and Willingham:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Department for Children, Youth and Families is required by New York State Social Services law to provide non-secure detention, temporary care, and maintenance services for court ordered youth in the County, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department for Children, Youth and Families has requested authorization to enter into an agreement with Steuben County Department of Social Services for the provision of non-secure detention beds, temporary care, and maintenance for court ordered youth in an amount not to exceed \$25,000 for the term commencing January 1, 2020 and ending December 31, 2020, and

WHEREAS, Steuben County Department of Social Services will provide non-secure detention programming for Albany County youth charged at the daily rate, currently \$289.00 per bed per day based on 8 bed capacity, any usage above 8 beds will be charged at the standard rate of \$369 per bed per day, while Raise The Age youth will be charged at a rate currently up to \$1,209 per bed night, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with Steuben County Department of Social Services for the provision of non-secure detention beds, temporary care, and maintenance for court ordered youth in an amount of \$289 per day not to exceed \$25,000 with a local share of 51% for the term commencing January 1, 2020 and ending December 31, 2020, 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 – 10/15/19