

**RESOLUTION NO. 315**

**AUTHORIZING THE ALBANY COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR THE CLIMATE SMART COMMUNITIES PROGRAM THROUGH THE NEW YORK STATE 2021 CONSOLIDATED FUNDING APPLICATION (CFA) PROCESS**

Introduced: 9/13/21

By Audit and Finance Committee and Mr. Miller:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Executive has requested authorization to submit multiple applications through the New York State 2021 Consolidated Funding Application (CFA) process in anticipation of receiving funds for various County projects, including the Climate Smart Communities Program, and

WHEREAS, The County of Albany hereby requests financial assistance from the New York State Climate Smart Communities Grant Program pursuant to Environmental Conservation Law Article 54 Title 15, and

WHEREAS, The County of Albany certifies that it has identified \$30,000 of matching funds from the 2021 Albany County Budget pursuant to the requirements of Environmental Conservation Law Article 54 Title 15, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is hereby authorized behalf of the County of Albany to submit any and all documents necessary for this grant through the Consolidated Funding Application for \$30,000, to be used for the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Climate Smart Communities Certification Project, 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 – 9/13/21*