

RESOLUTION NO. 321

AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 511 FOR 2016 REGARDING ADDITIONAL FUNDING FROM THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REGARDING DISEASE INTERVENTION SERVICES

Introduced: 7/9/18

By: Ms. Lekakis, Messrs. Clenahan, Ward, Drake, Domalewicz, Mss. Chapman and McKnight:

WHEREAS, By Resolution No. 511 of 2016, this Honorable Body authorized an agreement with the New York State Department of Health regarding grant funding regarding Disease Intervention Services for sexually transmitted diseases (STD) in the amount of \$625,000 for the period beginning January 1, 2017 and ending December 31, 2021, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Albany County Health Department indicates that additional funding is available from the New York State Department of Health regarding the Disease Intervention Services in the amounts of \$31,250 for the grant year January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017 and \$125,000 per year for grant years January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2021, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner indicates that this grant funding will be used to improve STD Partner Services to ensure persons who are reactive to STD/HIV and their partners are promptly linked to medical care, HIV testing, additional STD screening and other essential prevention and support services, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that Resolution No. 511 for 2016 is amended to indicate that the agreement with the New York State Department of Health regarding grant funding for Disease Intervention Services for sexually transmitted diseases is amended to an amount not to exceed \$1,156,250 for the period January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2021 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 – 7/9/18