

RESOLUTION NO. 395

AUTHORIZING AGREEMENTS WITH NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OR PROBATION AND CORRECTION ALTERNATIVES, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY AND CHESTNUT HEALTH SYSTEMS, INC. REGARDING SCREENING SERVICES FOR AT-RISK YOUTH

Introduced: 9/12/18

By Social Services Committee:

WHEREAS, The Director of the Albany County Department of Probation has requested authorization to enter into agreements with Columbia University and Chestnut Healthcare Systems, Inc. regarding screening and intervention services for youth who may be at-risk of suicide, and

WHEREAS, Such agreements will provide computer equipment and support for Probation Department staff regarding the e-Connect Suicide Risk Assessment project to identify at-risk youth from Columbia University, and analysis and identification of risk factors from Chestnut Healthcare Systems, Inc. under a data-sharing agreement, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature, that the County Executive is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with Columbia University, New York, NY 10032 regarding the e-Connect Suicide Risk Assessment project, for a term commencing October 1, 2018 and ending September 30, 2023, and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive is authorized to enter into a data-sharing agreement with Chestnut Healthcare Systems, Inc. regarding data analysis and support for the e-Connect Suicide Risk Assessment project, for a term commencing October 1, 2018 and ending September 30, 2023, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreements 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 – 9/12/18