

RESOLUTION NO. 478

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION WITH THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES REGARDING THE RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION GRANT

Introduced: 10/9/18

By Public Safety Committee and Mr. Miller

WHEREAS, The Albany County Sheriff has been notified by the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (NYS DHSES) that funding is available for the Recruitment and Retention Grant, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff has indicated that no County share or in-kind match is required and the NYS DHSES funding will be used to offset the costs involved in the recruitment and retention of volunteer firefighters, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff requested authorization to submit a grant application with the NYS DHSES regarding a Recruitment and Retention Grant in an amount not to exceed \$25,000 for a one year period commencing with the award of the grant, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application to the NYS DHSES regarding a Recruitment and Retention Grant not to exceed \$25,000, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said application 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 – 10/9/18

Mr. A. Joyce abstained