

**RESOLUTION NO. 510**

**AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT FUNDING AND AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF TEMPORARY DISABILITY ASSISTANCE REGARDING A SNAP BONUS AWARD ALLOCATION AND AMENDING THE 2018 DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICE BUDGET**

Introduced: 11/13/18

By Social Services and Audit and Finance Committees:

WHEREAS, By Resolution 354 for 2018 this Honorable Body authorized the submission of a grant application to the NYS Office of Temporary Disability Assistance (OTDA) for a SNAP Bonus Award Allocation, and

WHEREAS, The Albany County Department Social Services (DSS) has been notified by the NYS OTDA that Albany County has been awarded the full amount of \$102,893 for the SNAP Bonus Award Allocation, and

WHEREAS, This award will allow DSS to incorporate additional technology including SNAP Application Kiosks, document scanners, to train staff so they can assist clients in utilization of the technology, and the purchase of additional fraud detection software, and

WHEREAS, The Albany County DSS Commissioner has requested authorization for the County Executive to enter into an agreement for grant funding with NYS OTDA regarding the SNAP Bonus Award Allocation in an amount not to exceed \$102,893 and amending the 2018 budget to incorporate this grant funding, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with NYS OTDA to accept grant funding in the amount of \$102,893 regarding the SNAP Bonus Award Allocation, and, be it further

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the 2018 Department of Social Services Budget is amended as follows:

Increase Revenue Account A4610 Social Services Administration by \$102,893

Increase Appropriation Account A6010.2 by \$93,227 by increasing Line Item A6010 2 2050 Computer Equipment by \$93,227

Increase Appropriation Account A6010.4 by \$9,666 by increasing the following Line Items:

Increase Line Item A6010 4 4020 Office Supplies by \$240  
Increase Line Item A6010 4 4039 Conferences/Training/Tuition by \$7,784  
Increase Line Item A6010 4 4043 Legal Fees by \$1,642

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 – 11/13/18*