

RESOLUTION NO. 426

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH LASALLE SCHOOL REGARDING FAMILY ASSESSMENT INTERVENTION SERVICES

Introduced: 10/13/16

By Social Services Committee:

WHEREAS, The Department for Children, Youth and Families is focusing on truancy prevention and reduction for at risk youth in elementary, middle and high schools in communities that do not have access to an existing truancy prevention program, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department for Children, Youth and Families, after an RFP process, has requested authorization to enter into an agreement with LaSalle School regarding Family Assessment Intervention Services in the amount of \$134,143 for a term commencing January 1, 2017 and ending December 31, 2017 with two one-year renewal options, and

WHEREAS, The Family Assessment Intervention is a two-pronged direct intervention at Family Court prior to when a youth is brought to court and the program proposes to postpone immediately presenting youth to court in order to provide an opportunity for information to be gathered about the youth, their family and community in order to determine if a reasonable safety plan can be made for the youth to avoid detention, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with LaSalle School regarding Family Assessment Intervention Services in the amount of \$134,143 for a term commencing January 1, 2017 and ending December 31, 2017 with two one-year renewal options, 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 LaSalle School and the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 10/13/16