RESOLUTION NO. 53

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH NEW YORK STATE INDUSTRIES FOR THE DISABLED REGARDING ANCILLARY LAUNDRY SERVICES FOR ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS IN THE EISEP PROGRAM

Introduced: 2/9/15

By Social Services Committee and Mr. Clenahan:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Department of Social Services is mandated by NYS law to provide cost-effective personal care/homemaker services including Expanded in Home Services to the Elderly Program (EISEP) services to eligible persons as they preclude or delay more costly nursing home care, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department of Social Services has requested authorization to enter into an agreement with the New York State Industries for the Disabled regarding the provision of laundry services as an ancillary service under the EISEP Program for the period commencing April 1, 2015 and ending March 31, 2016, and

WHEREAS, The New York State Industries for the Disabled will subcontract with Plaza Linens to provide the laundry bags, pick up, delivery, cleaning and processing of laundry at a rate of \$22 per bag of laundry per week per client (\$10 for each additional bag with Albany County Department of Social Services approval), now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with New York State Industries for the Disabled in an amount not to exceed \$100,000 regarding laundry services under the EISEP Program with the understanding that said service will be subcontracted to Plaza Linens at the aforementioned rate of \$22 per bag of laundry per week per client (\$10 for each additional bag with Albany County Department of Social Services approval) for the period commencing April 1, 2015 and ending March 31, 2016, 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. 2/10/15