

**RESOLUTION NO. 235**

**AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION WITH THE NYS OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY REGARDING EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS INITIATIVES**

Introduced: 6/8/15

By Public Safety Committee and Mr. Clenahan:

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of Management and Budget has requested authorization to apply for \$361,264 in funding from the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding Emergency Preparedness Initiatives, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner indicated that funding in the amount of \$297,539 will be allocated to the Albany County Department of Health for the sustainment of citizen preparedness, emergency preparedness, public health planning, preparedness training and exercise needs for acts of terrorism and other catastrophic events, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner also indicated that funding in the amount of \$63,275 will be allocated to the Albany County Division of Information Services for the replacement and enhancement of data storage and disaster recovery array, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application to the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding Emergency Preparedness Initiatives in the amount not to exceed \$361,264, 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. 6/8/15*