RESOLUTION NO. 264

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF AN UPDATED SUPERVISION AND TREATMENT SERVICES FOR JUVENILES PROGRAM PLAN TO THE NYS OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES

Introduced: 7/13/15

By Social Services Committee:

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department for Children, Youth and Families has requested authorization to submit an updated Supervision and Treatment Services for Juveniles Program Plan to the NYS Office of Children and Family Services in order to accept funding in the amount of \$173,738 for the period commencing April 1, 2015 and ending March 31, 2016, and

WHEREAS, Albany County DCYF has been chosen as one of six counties that comprise New York State's first cohort of official Juvenile Detention Alternative Initiative (JDAI) sites, the goal of the Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative is to further reduce unnecessary and inappropriate placement of youth to secure detention, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit an updated Supervision and Treatment Services for Juveniles Program Plan to the NYS Office of Children and Family Services in order to accept funding in the amount of \$173,738 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 plan as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of the resolution the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 7/13/15