RESOLUTION NO. 480

AUTHORIZING THE **PARTICIPATION** OF ALBANY COUNTY EMPLOYEES IN THE NY SOLAR SMART SUNSHARES PROGRAM

Introduced: 11/9/15

By Messrs. Reilly, Feeney, Bullock and Cotrofeld:

WHEREAS, NYSERDA has awarded a grant to Sustainable CUNY (City University of New York and partners under the NY-Sun Initiative for NYSolar Smart Sunshares Program, and

WHEREAS, Albany County and the City of Albany have been selected to be part of pilot "group purchasing" program for solar installation that is employerdriven, and

WHEREAS, Employees will have the opportunity to install solar on their homes at reduced rates through bulk purchases, and

WHEREAS, Albany County and the City of Albany have jointly reviewed the RFPs issued for the provision of the necessary services to implement the program and selected Apex Solar and Solar Liberty, and

WHEREAS, The program will be funded through the grant and the County's responsibility will be limited to distributing materials to County employees and providing a place for a workshop, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is authorized to execute any necessary agreements in connection with the County's participation in the NYSolar Smart Sunshares Program, 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. 11/9/15