## **RESOLUTION NO. 110**

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE NYS DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION REGARDING LOCAL GOVERNMENT RECORDS MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENT FUNDS FOR THE HALL OF RECORDS

Introduced: 4/9/12 By Law Committee:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Clerk indicated that grant funds are available to the County in an amount up to \$75,000 for a one-year period beginning July 1, 2012 and ending June 30, 2013 through the NYS Department of Education pertaining to Local Government Records Management Improvement Funds, and

WHEREAS, Said grant funds will be used to pay to professionally conserve sixteen volumes of Dutch, colonial English and early New York State records from the period 1652 to 1835, and

WHEREAS, Conserving these records will allow the Hall of Records to properly image all manual records and make the images available to the public for educational and genealogical purposes at no cost to the County, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application to the NYS Department of Education requesting financial assistance up to \$75,000 for the period of July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013 regarding Local Government Records Management Improvement Funds for the Hall of Records, 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. 4/9/12