

RESOLUTION NO. 155

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION AND AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY REGARDING THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TERRORISM PREVENTION PROGRAM

Introduced: 5/14/12

By Public Safety Committee and Mr. Clenahan:

WHEREAS, The Sheriff has been notified by the New York State Office of Homeland Security that \$850,478 is available to fund the Law Enforcement Initiatives and Terrorism Prevention and Preparedness program in Albany County, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff indicated that no County share or in-kind match is required and the State Homeland Security Program grant funds will support establishing redundant fiber optics to the Sheriff's Patrol Station and the County Emergency Operations Center, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff requested authorization to submit a grant application and to enter into an agreement with the NYS Office of Homeland Security in the amount of \$850,478 regarding terrorism preparedness and prevention activities commencing September 1, 2011 and ending August 31, 2014, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application to the New York State Office of Homeland Security to fund the Law Enforcement Initiatives and Terrorism Prevention and Preparedness program in the amount of \$850,478 as outlined above, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is further authorized to enter into an agreement with the New York State Office of Homeland Security commencing September 1, 2011 and ending August 31, 2014 in the amount of \$850,478 regarding terrorism preparedness and prevention activities, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said grant application and 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. 5/14/12