

RESOLUTION NO. 190

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF ALBANY REGARDING THE SOLUTIONS TO END HOMELESSNESS GRANT AND AMENDING THE 2012 SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT BUDGET

Introduced: 6/11/12

By Social Services Committee and Mr. Clenahan:

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department of Social Services has requested authorization to enter into an agreement with the City of Albany for funding up to \$181,077 regarding the Solutions to End Homelessness Program for a period commencing June 1, 2012 and ending May 31, 2013, and

WHEREAS, The Solutions to End Homelessness Program is funded through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and is intended to enhance and support the quality and quantity of facilities and services currently available to address the needs of homeless individuals and families and those households at risk of homelessness in Albany County, and

WHEREAS, The program will provide services to at-risk individuals and families including landlord-tenant mediation, legal services, tenant education, legal and benefits advocacy, relocation assistance, case management and referrals to support services, and

WHEREAS, Follow-up case management and supportive services will also be provided to families being discharged from emergency shelters to permanent housing, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into agreement with the City of Albany for funding up to \$181,077 regarding the Solutions to End Homelessness Program for a period commencing June 1, 2012 and ending May 31, 2013, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the 2012 Social Services Department Budget is amended as follows:

Create and Increase Revenue Account A3605 ESG - City of Albany by \$181,077

Increase Appropriation Account A6010.4 by \$181,077 by creating and increasing Line Item A6010 4 4448 ESG - City of Albany by \$181,077

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. 6/11/12