RESOLUTION NO. 326

AUTHORIZING AGREEMENTS REGARDING THE HIV REPORTING PROGRAM

Introduced: 9/10/12 By Health Committee, Ms. McKnight, Messrs. Simpson and Clenahan:

WHEREAS, As part of the HIV Reporting Program, the County Commissioner of Health is required to determine whether reported cases merit contact tracing to protect public health, inform contacts of essential information such as the nature of HIV infection, modes of transmission, risk reduction measures and referral resources for health and human services, and

WHEREAS, The NYS Department of Health has awarded the County a grant to cover the costs of this initiative in an amount not to exceed \$599,630 for the period October 1, 2012 to September 30, 2017, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the NYS Department of Health to accept grant funding in an amount not to exceed \$599,630 for the period October 1, 2012 to September 30, 2017 regarding the HIV Reporting Program, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is further authorized to enter into an agreement regarding said grant for the period October 1, 2012 to September 30, 2013 in the amount of \$119,926, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreements 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. 9/10/12