

RESOLUTION NO. 134

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS OFFICE FOR THE AGING REGARDING A SENIOR MEDICARE PATROL GRANT AND AMENDING THE 2011 DEPARTMENT FOR THE AGING BUDGET

Introduced: 4/11/11

By Social Services Committee and Mr. Scavo:

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of Aging has been notified by the NYS Office for the Aging that funds are available for a Senior Medicare Patrol Grant, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner has requested authorization to enter into an agreement with the NYS Office for the Aging regarding a Senior Medicare Patrol Grant in the amount of \$25,000 for the period commencing September 30, 2010 and ending September 29, 2011, and

WHEREAS, The Senior Medicare Patrol Grant will provide Albany County with the opportunity to educate Medicare recipients about fraud, abuse and waste in the Medicare Program, and

WHEREAS, The Senior Medicare Patrol Grant will also provide Albany County with the opportunity to work with federal, state and local law enforcement agencies to prevent fraud in the Medicare Program, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner also requested a budget amendment in order to incorporate the aforementioned funding into the 2011 budget, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the NYS Office for the Aging regarding a Senior Medicare Patrol Grant in the amount of \$25,000 for the period commencing September 30, 2010 and ending September 29, 2011, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the 2011 Department for Aging Budget is amended as follows to incorporate said funding:

Create and Increase Revenue Account A4786 Senior Medicare Patrol Grant by \$25,000

Increase Appropriation Account A6772.4 by \$25,000 by increasing Line Item A6772 4 4046 Fees For Services by \$25,000

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. 4/11/11