

RESOLUTION NO. 191

**AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS OFFICE OF
HOMELAND SECURITY REGARDING THE STATE HOMELAND
SECURITY STRATEGY**

Introduced: 5/9/11

By Public Safety Committee, Messrs. Clenahan and Scavo:

WHEREAS, The County Executive has requested approval to enter into an agreement with the New York State Office of Homeland Security for the implementation of the State Homeland Security Strategy, and

WHEREAS, The identified planning, equipment, training and exercise needs for acts of terrorism and other catastrophic events will be addressed by the State Homeland Security Strategy funded by a \$1,340,538 award from the State Homeland Security Program (SHSP), and

WHEREAS, These funds will be spent by the Departments of Health, Information Services, General Services, Public Works and the Sheriff's office on items such as equipment, computer software, consultants and personnel to improve the safety and security of Albany County residents, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the New York State Office of Homeland Security and to accept funding in the amount of \$1,340,538 from the State Homeland Security Program, 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. 5/9/11