RESOLUTION NO. 217

AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 335 FOR 2009: EXTENDING THE AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS **OFFICE** OF **TEMPORARY AND DISABILITY** ASSISTANCE REGARDING THE HOMELESSNESS PREVENTION AND RAPID REHOUSING PROGRAM

Introduced: 6/13/11

By Social Services Committee:

WHEREAS, By Resolution No. 335 for 2009, this Honorable Body authorized a twenty-two month agreement with the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance commencing on October 1, 2009 and ending July 31, 2011 in an amount not to exceed \$1,160,354 regarding the Homelessness Intervention and Rapid Rehousing Program, and

WHEREAS, The Homelessness Intervention and Rapid Rehousing Program targets homeless families and single individuals being temporarily housed in emergency shelters, motels and transitional housing programs with financial assistance for utility deposits, moving cost assistance, utility arrears payments and rental assistance, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Albany County Department of Social Services has requested authorization to extend the contract with the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance regarding the Homelessness Intervention and Rapid Rehousing Program for the period October 1, 2009 to January 31, 2012 rather than October 1, 2009 to July 31, 2011, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that Resolution No. 335 for 2009 is amended to indicate that the term of the agreement with the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance regarding the Homelessness Intervention and Rapid Rehousing Program is October 1, 2009 to January 31, 2012 rather than October 1, 2009 to July 31, 2011, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said contract extension 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. 6/13/11