RESOLUTION NO. 301

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE NYS GOVERNOR'S TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REGARDING HIGHWAY SAFETY PROGRAM FUNDING

Introduced: 7/11/11

By Messrs. Ethier, Ward, Beston, Tunny, Clenahan and Scavo:

WHEREAS, The Sheriff's Department has requested permission to submit a grant application to the NYS Governor's Traffic Safety Committee regarding highway safety funding, and

WHEREAS, The NYS Governor's Traffic Safety Committee has informed the Sheriff that funds are available regarding highway safety in the approximate amount of \$419,313 for the period commencing October 1, 2011 and ending September 30, 2012, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff indicated that the County may apply for federal highway safety funding in the amount of \$89,523 for Buckle Up New York, \$38,1053 for the Child Passenger Safety Program, \$287,185 for the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program and \$4,500 for the Bicycle and Motorcycle Safety through Education Program, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application to the NYS Governor's Traffic Safety Committee regarding highway safety funding for the period October 1, 2011 to September 30, 2012 in the approximate amount of \$419,313, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said application 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. 7/11/11