## **RESOLUTION NO. 423**

## AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE ALTAMONT PROGRAM, INC. REGARDING EMPLOYMENT SERVICES FOR TANF AND SAFETY NET RECIPIENTS

Introduced: 11/14/11 By Social Services Committee, Ms. Connolly and Mr. Domalewicz:

WHEREAS, The NYS Welfare Reform Act allows for the utilization of education and training programs with an increased emphasis on employment and post-employment services to end welfare dependency, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of Social Services has recommended the Altamont Program, Inc. based on the demonstrated abilities, ability to reach the target population, project location, experience and expertise, and

WHEREAS, The Altamont Program, Inc. will provide job placement, postemployment services, work preparation activities and educational and vocational training services for TANF and/or Safety Net recipients including those who are non-English speaking or have disabilities, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the Altamont Program, Inc. regarding employment services for TANF and/or Safety Net recipients for a term commencing January 1, 2012 and ending December 31, 2012 in an amount not to exceed \$252,400, 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. 11/14/11