

**RESOLUTION NO. 21**

**AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS HEALTH DEPARTMENT REGARDING THE PRIMARY PREVENTION OF CHILDHOOD LEAD POISONING PROGRAM**

Introduced: 2/8/10

By Health Committee, Messrs. Domalewicz, Gordon, Mss. Maffia-Tobler, McKnight, Messrs. Nichols, Scavo and Ms. Willingham:

WHEREAS, The County Health Commissioner has been notified by the NYS Department of Health that Albany County has been awarded \$329,130 in grant funding for the period commencing October 1, 2009 and ending September 30, 2010 to implement a Primary Prevention of Childhood Lead Poisoning Pilot Program to combat a high incidence of lead poisoning among children under age six, and

WHEREAS, The State DOH targeted Albany County for the program and asked the County to submit a standardized work plan and budget describing actions the Department will take to identify and correct lead paint hazards in older housing units containing lead paint, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the NYS Department of Health to accept grant funding in the amount of \$329,130 for the period commencing October 1, 2009 and ending September 30, 2010 for the Primary Prevention of Childhood Lead Poisoning Pilot 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. 2/8/10*