RESOLUTION NO. 389

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

Introduced: 10/12/10

By Health Committee, Messrs. Aylward, Beston, Bullock, Ms. Chapman, Messrs. Clay, Clenahan, Commisso, Ms. Connolly, Messrs. Cotrofeld, Dawson, Domalewicz, Ethier, Gordon, Higgins, Horstmyer, Houghtaling, Infante, Joyce, Ms. Maffia-Tobler, Messrs. Mayo, McCoy, Ms. McKnight, Messrs. Morse, Nichols, Rahm, Reilly, Scavo, Steck, Timmins, Ward and Ms. Willingham:

WHEREAS, The County Health Commissioner has been notified by the NYS Department of Health that Albany County has been awarded \$378,929 in grant funding for the period commencing October 1, 2010 and ending September 30, 2011 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 Department of Health targeted Albany County for the program and requested 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 \$378,929 for the period commencing October 1, 2010 and ending September 30, 2011 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. 10/12/10