RESOLUTION NO. 404

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES REGARDING THE COMMUNITY RESPONSE TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TEAM PROGRAM

Introduced: 12/4/06 By Law Committee and Mr. Shafer:

WHEREAS, The District Attorney has indicated that the NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services has notified his office that grant funding in the amount of \$31,320 is available to Albany County regarding the Community Response to Domestic Violence Team Program, and

WHEREAS, This Team links law enforcement, prosecution and victim services in a combined three department grant to enhance prosecution of domestic violence cases, and

WHEREAS, The grant funding will be used to finance three positions: one in the DA's Office, one in the Sheriff's Office and one in the Crime Victim and Sexual Violence Center for the period April 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services to accept grant funding in the amount of \$31,320 for the period April 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007, regarding the continuation of the Community Response to Domestic Violence Team Program in Albany County, 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. 12/4/06