RESOLUTION NO. 260

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS OFFICE FOR THE AGING REGARDING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A LONG TERM CARE POINT OF ENTRY PROGRAM

Introduced: 8/14/06

By Social Services Committee and Mr. Nichols:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Departments of Aging and Social Services have been advised by the New York State Office for the Aging that \$75,000 is available for the development of a Long Term Care Point of Entry Program, and

WHEREAS, Said grant funding is allocated to support information, referral assistance services and public education to all persons in need of long term services regardless of age or income, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioners of Aging and Social Services are of the opinion that it is in the best interest of the County to enter into an agreement with New York State to capture said grant funds, 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 Office for the Aging regarding the development of a Long Term Care Point of Entry Program for the period commencing October 1, 2006 and ending September 30, 2007 in an amount up to \$75,000, 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. 8/14/06