

RESOLUTION NO. 17

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A PROPOSAL TO THE NYS LEGISLATIVE WOMEN'S CAUCUS REGARDING A PILOT PROJECT TO PROVIDE SERVICES TO FEMALE VETERANS

Introduced: 2/13/17

By Law Committee and Mr. Bullock, Ms. Chapman, Messrs. Clay, Clenahan, Comisso, Ms. Cunningham, Messrs. Duncan, Feeney, Fein, A. Joyce, Mss. Lekakis, McKnight, McLean Lane, Messrs. Miller, O'Brien, Simpson, Smith, Touchette, Ward and Ms. Willingham.

WHEREAS, The Director of the Crime Victim and Sexual Violence Center has requested authorization to submit a proposal to the Legislative Women's Caucus New York State regarding a Pilot Project to provide services to female veterans in an amount up to \$85,354, and

WHEREAS, If granted said funding, it will be used to contract with a woman veteran who has experience in counseling to provide safety planning, individualized case management, therapy, peer support groups and promote self-sufficiency to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault who are active military, veterans or connected to the military, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a proposal to the Legislative Women's Caucus New York State regarding a Pilot Project to provide services to female veterans, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said proposal 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. 2/13/17