RESOLUTION NO. 165

AUTHORIZING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE NATIONAL RUNAWAY SAFELINE

Introduced: 5/8/17

By Law Committee, Mr. Clenahan and Ms. McLean Lane:

WHEREAS, National Runaway Safeline provides 24-hour crisis intervention services for runaway, homeless, exploited and at-risk youth in Albany County, and

WHEREAS, Director of the Crime Victim and Sexual Violence Center has requested authorization to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the National Runaway Safeline to provide 24-hour crisis intervention services, and

WHEREAS, The Director has indicated that through this MOU, Albany County will not incur any expenses and through the terms of the MOU, digital services, telephonic communication, conference calls, message relay and information and referral services will be available to youth and families in Albany County once the MOU is executed through the end date of July 31, 2018, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to execute an MOU with National Runaway Safeline regarding 24-hour crisis intervention services for runaway, homeless, exploited and at-risk youth in Albany County at no expense to County, and that the MOU be effective once executed with an end date of July 31, 2018, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said MOU 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. 5/8/17