



# County of Albany

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## Legislation Text

**File #:** TMP-5529, **Version:** 1

### REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

**Description (e.g., Contract Authorization for Information Services):**

Amend the budgets for several departments to accommodate the New York State Health Care Worker Bonus Program for the fifth vesting period

Date: 5/21/2024  
Department: Management and Budget  
Attending Meeting: Zak Smetana, David Reilly  
Submitted By: Zak Smetana  
Title: Senior Budget Analyst  
Phone: 518-447-7031

Purpose of Request: Budget Amendment      Enter text.

### CONTRACT TERMS/CONDITIONS:

Party Names and Addresses:  
Enter text.

Term: (Start/end date or duration)      Enter text.  
Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee:      Enter text.

### BUDGET INFORMATION:

Is there a Fiscal Impact:      Yes  No   
    Anticipated in Budget:      Yes  No   
    Spreadsheet attached:      Yes  No

### Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal:      Enter text.      County:      Enter text.  
State:      100%      Local:      Enter text.

### County Budget Accounts:

Revenue Account and Line:      See attached Budget Amendment  
Revenue Amount:      \$90,433  
Appropriation Account and Line:      See attached Budget Amendment  
Appropriation Amount:      \$90,433

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Mandated Program/Service:      Yes  No   
If Mandated, Cite Authority:      Enter text.

Request for Bids / Proposals:

Competitive Bidding Exempt: Yes  No

# of Response(s): Enter text.

# of MWBE: Enter text.

# of Veteran Business: Enter text.

Bond Resolution No.: Enter text.

Apprenticeship Program Yes  No

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number and Date: Enter text.

**DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST:** (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

We are requesting to amend the budgets for the Department of Children, Youth & Families, Mental Health, Shaker Place Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, Health, and the Sheriff's Office to accommodate the New York State Health Care and Mental Hygiene Worker Bonus Program for the fifth vesting period.

Employers are required to submit claims for bonus payments for their qualified employees. The State then issues bonus payments to employers, who then distribute the bonus payments to the qualified employees.

The fifth vesting period was October 1, 2023 - March 31, 2024. A qualified employee is eligible for up to two vesting periods per employer. The maximum amount any employee may receive is \$3,000.