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Honorable Andrew Joyce, Chairman
Albany County Legislature
112 State St., Rm. 710
Albany, NY 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce,

The Albany County Department of Mental Health (ACDMH) requests permission to accept \$97,505.20 in New York Opioid Settlement Funds. The funds originate from the New York Opioid Settlement sharing agreement with Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. This funding is important in addressing the substance use prevention, treatment, harm reduction and recovery service needs at the local level.

Feel free to contact Associate Director Michael Fitzgerald or me if you have any questions concerning this request.

Sincerely,

Stephen Giordano, Ph.D.
Director

cc: Hon. Dennis A. Feeney, Majority Leader
Hon. Frank A. Mauriello, Minority Leader
Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel
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