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Honorable Andrew Joyce, Chairman  
Albany County Legislature  
112 State Street, Room 710  
Albany, New York 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce:

The Albany County Department of Health (ACDOH) requests a grant acceptance and contract authorization for the Public Health Strengthening Infrastructure, Workforce and Data Systems funding sponsored by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). The ACDOH was awarded \$858,886 split evenly each year for the five years of the grant term, which is December 1, 2022 – November 30, 2027. This is additional funding that was not solicited by the ACDOH. Per the parameters of the grant, funds will be used for the hiring and retention of staff; staff training and education; and office upgrades, including updating equipment and software/technology solutions.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth F. Whalen, MD, MPH  
Commissioner of Health

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



**Albany County Department of Health** is nationally accredited and meets rigorous public health standards set forth to best meet the needs of our community.