



County of Albany

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Legislation Text

File #: TMP-2631, **Version:** 1

REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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

Request to contract with NYS/HRI for COVID-19 funding for testing and screening for K-12 schools in Albany County.

Date:	July 26, 2021
Submitted By:	Dr. Elizabeth Whalen
Department:	Health
Title:	Commissioner of Health
Phone:	518-447-4584
Department Rep.	
Attending Meeting:	Dr. Elizabeth Whalen

Purpose of Request:

- ☐ Adopting of Local Law
- ☐ Amendment of Prior Legislation
- ☐ Approval/Adoption of Plan/Procedure
- ☐ Bond Approval
- ☒ Budget Amendment
- ☒ Contract Authorization
- ☐ Countywide Services
- ☐ Environmental Impact/SEQR
- ☐ Home Rule Request
- ☐ Property Conveyance
- ☐ Other: (state if not listed) Click or tap here to enter text.

CONCERNING BUDGET AMENDMENTS

Increase/decrease category (choose all that apply):

- ☒ Contractual
- ☒ Equipment
- ☐ Fringe
- ☒ Personnel

- ☐ Personnel Non-Individual
☒ Revenue

Increase Account/Line No.: \$3,311,672
Source of Funds: NYSDOH/HRI
Title Change: Click or tap here to enter text.

CONCERNING CONTRACT AUTHORIZATIONS

Type of Contract:

- ☐ Change Order/Contract Amendment
☐ Purchase (Equipment/Supplies)
☐ Lease (Equipment/Supplies)
☐ Requirements
☐ Professional Services
☐ Education/Training
☒ Grant

New

Submission Date Deadline 6/28/2021

- ☐ Settlement of a Claim
☐ Release of Liability
☐ Other: (state if not listed) Click or tap here to enter text.

Contract Terms/Conditions:

Party (Name/address):

Health Research Incorporated
150 Broadway, Suite 280
Menands, NY 12204-2719

Additional Parties (Names/addresses):

Click or tap here to enter text.

Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: \$6,611,672
Scope of Services: To support safe, in-person instruction in kindergarten through grade 12 (K-12) schools, screening testing can provide another layer of prevention to protect students, teachers, and staff and slow the spread of SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Bond Res. No.: Click or tap here to enter text.
Date of Adoption: Click or tap here to enter text.

CONCERNING ALL REQUESTS

Mandated Program/Service: Yes ☐ No ☒
If Mandated Cite Authority: Click or tap here to enter text.

Is there a Fiscal Impact: Yes ☒ No ☐
Anticipated in Current Budget: Yes ☐ No ☒

County Budget Accounts:

Revenue Account and Line: 4010. 03343
Revenue Amount: \$3,311,672

Appropriation Account and Line: Various lines
Appropriation Amount: \$3,311,672

Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal: Click or tap here to enter text.
State: 100%
County: Click or tap here to enter text.
Local: Click or tap here to enter text.

Term

Term: (Start and end date) July 1, 2021 - July 31, 2022
Length of Contract: 12 months

Impact on Pending Litigation

If yes, explain: Yes ☐ No ☒
Click or tap here to enter text.

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number: Click or tap here to enter text.
Date of Adoption: Click or tap here to enter text.

Justification: (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

Albany County Department of Health requests to contract with NYSDOH/HRI to support safe, in-person instruction in kindergarten through grade 12 (K-12) schools in Albany County, to slow the spread of COVID-19. We were awarded \$6,611,672 for the grant term 7/1/2021 - 7/31/2022, we did not have to apply for the funding. We are requesting the approval to accept the funding and amend the 2021 health department budget in the amount of \$3,311,672. The remaining grant funding will be placed in the 2022 budget.