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Hon. Andrew Joyce, Chairman
Albany County Legislature
112 State Street, Rm. 710
Albany, NY 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce:

The Department of Public Works is requesting the Legislature's approval to enter into an agreement with CHA Consulting, Inc. for CR157 (New Karner Rd.) Highway Improvement Project Design Services.

The project is part of the Federal Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and as such, it is 80% federally funded. Consultant selection for TIP projects is quality based rather than fee based.

The County Purchasing Agent received seven (7) proposals for this project. Our engineering staff reviewed the proposals and recommended the award of this contract to CHA Consulting, Inc. based on their understanding of the scope of the project. The design contract amount is not to exceed \$650,000.00.

If there are any questions or further information is needed, please feel free to contact my office.

Sincerely,

Lisa M. Ramundo
Commissioner

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