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Honorable Andrew Joyce, Chairman
Albany County Legislature
112 State Street, Room 710
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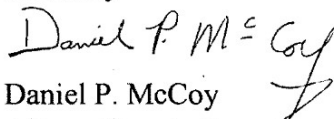
Dear Chairman Joyce:

As part of ongoing efforts to make Albany County a leader in sustainability I am requesting authorization to enter into a Customer Project Commitment agreement with the New York Power Authority (NYPA) to purchase and convert the County's approximately 105 streetlights to LEDs. By replacing the existing equipment with energy efficient LED streetlights, the County will reduce maintenance and operating expenses, improve the visibility and safety of the roadways, and reduce our carbon footprint.

Converting Albany County's 105 fixtures has an estimated simple payback of 6.99 years and a positive cash flow of \$2,238.19. In addition, the project will reduce greenhouse gas emissions by 29.3 metric tons per year. The project has been awarded NYPA Smart City grant funding to implement smart city technologies in the project. Ongoing maintenance will be provided through NYPA's street light maintenance program. This project is part of an Albany County Aggregation which also include the Towns of Berne, Colonie, Guilderland, and New Scotland, and the Villages of Voorheesville and Altamont.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely


Daniel P. McCoy
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cc: Hon. Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader
Hon. Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader
Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel
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