

**RESOLUTION NO. 142**

**AUTHORIZING PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROVIDER AGREEMENTS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES**

Introduced: 5/11/26

By Social Services Committee, Gillespie, Lekakis, McLaughlin, Simpson and Willingham:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Department for Children, Youth and Families is required by New York State Education Law § 4410 to provide an approved preschool special education program for young children who have been evaluated and determined by the Board of Education to have a disabling condition, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department for Children, Youth and Families has requested authorization to enter into agreements with those preschool special education programs determined to be appropriate for each individual child, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into agreements with the following preschool special education program providers for young children who have been evaluated and determined to have a disabling condition by the Board of Education for sums not to exceed the New York State established rates for said services for a term commencing July 1, 2026 and ending June 30, 2027:

Achievements 623 New Loudon Road Latham, NY 12110	Parsons Child and Family Center 60 Academy Road Albany, NY 12208	Capital District Beginnings 673 Columbia Turnpike East Greenbush, NY 12061
Advanced Therapy 10B Madison Ave. Extension Albany, NY 12203	Center For Disability Services 314 South Manning Blvd. Albany, NY 12208	Crossroads Center for Children 395 Becker Drive Schenectady, NY 12306
Anderson Center for Autism 4885 US-9 N Staatsburg, NY 12580	Unity House of Troy DbA A Child's Place 2431 6th Avenue Troy, NY 12180	Newmeadow Inc. 23 Sitterly Rd. Clifton Park, NY 12065
Circle of Friends 14379 Route 9W Ravena, NY 12143	Whispering Pines 2841 Thousand Acre Road Delanson, NY 12053	St. Anne Institute 160 North Main Avenue Albany, NY 12206
Early Childhood Education Center 52 Corporate Circle, Ste. 214 Albany, NY 12203	Story Place Preschool 1477 South Schodack Rd.	Spotted Zebra Learning Center 26 Computer Drive East Albany, NY 12205

Castleton, NY 12033

and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreements as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.