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

Dear Chairman Joyce:

The Department for Aging (DFA) requests legislative authorization to amend the contract with Colonie Senior Service Centers, to provide additional Congregate Meal Services to older adults who reside within Albany County and meet specific criteria as required by Albany County and New York State Office for Aging. Colonie Senior Service Centers shall be responsible for ensuring meals meet nutritional requirements established by the Food and Nutrition Board of the National Academy of Sciences National Research Council.

Colonie Senior Service Centers provides Congregate Meal Services to older adults at the following five (5) locations, Beltrone Living Center, Bishop Broderick, Sheehy Manor, Guilderland Congregate Dining Site, and King Thiel Senior Community. The Contractor served 16,500 meals at their congregate locations as well as offering a grab and go meals to older adults during the NYS emergency order for the COVID-19 pandemic. They have requested an additional 9,480 congregate meal units totaling an additional \$104,280.00 minus client contributions of \$4,328.55 at the five (5) locations.

Amendment Amount – \$99,951.45
Contract Term – 1/1/2021 – 12/31/2021
Funding Source – 7% - Federal, 70% - State, 23% - County
Budget Amendment – No
Revenue Account – Aging -AA6772, 03782, 04778

Respectfully Submitted,

Deborah C. Riitano
Commissioner

cc: Hon. Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader
Hon. Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader
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