



# County of Albany

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## Legislation Text

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### REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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

Contract Authorization for the Drinking Water Enhancement Grant

Date: May 31, 2023  
Submitted By: Dr. Elizabeth Whalen  
Department: Health  
Title: Commissioner of Health  
Phone: 518-447-4695  
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)

#### CONCERNING BUDGET AMENDMENTS

##### Increase/decrease category (choose all that apply):

- Contractual
- Equipment
- Fringe
- Personnel
- Personnel Non-Individual

Revenue

Increase Account/Line No.:

Source of Funds:

Title Change:

**CONCERNING CONTRACT AUTHORIZATIONS**

**Type of Contract:**

Change Order/Contract Amendment

Purchase (Equipment/Supplies)

Lease (Equipment/Supplies)

Requirements

Professional Services

Education/Training

Grant

Renewal

Submission Date Deadline 4/1/2020

Settlement of a Claim

Release of Liability

Other: (state if not listed)

**Contract Terms/Conditions:**

Party (Name/address):

NYSDOH

Bureau of Water Supply Protection

Corning Tower, Room 1110

Albany, NY 12237

Additional Parties (Names/addresses):

Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: \$528,560 total / \$105,712 per year

Scope of Services: The Albany County Department of Health provides assistance and guidance on regulatory issues and updates as well as technical advice to ensure high quality potable water for the residents of Albany County.

Bond Res. No.:

Date of Adoption:

**CONCERNING ALL REQUESTS**

Mandated Program/Service: Yes  No

If Mandated Cite Authority: NYS Sanitary Code Title 10, Part 5

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

County Budget Accounts:

Revenue Account and Line: A.4010.03418  
Revenue Amount: \$105,712 per year

Appropriation Account and Line: Various personnel lines  
Appropriation Amount: \$105,712 per year

Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal:  
State: 100%  
County:  
Local:

Term

Term: (Start and end date) April 1, 2020 - March 31, 2025  
Length of Contract: 5 years (5 one-year contracts)

Impact on Pending Litigation Yes  No

If yes, explain:

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number: Resolution 2020-259  
Date of Adoption: August 8, 2020

**Justification:** (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

The Albany County Department of Health (ACDOH) requests authorization to enter into a contract with the NYSDOH for the Drinking Water Enhancement Grant Program. This is a five-year grant, from April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2025. ACDOH requests authorization to enter into five one-year contracts - the duration of the grant period.

This grant partially funds Albany County's mandate to oversee federal and state regulations covering public drinking water systems. All revenues and expenditures were anticipated and included in the 2023 Health Department budget. These grant funds are provided to the County on an annual basis and it is not required to apply for the funding.