



County of Albany

Harold L. Joyce
Albany County Office
Building
112 State Street - Albany,
NY 12207

Legislation Text

File #: TMP-4203, Version: 1

REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES REGARDING A 2 YEAR, NO COST EXTENSION OF THE THIRD COUNSEL AT FIRST APPEARANCE GRANT

Date: 4/12/23
Submitted By: Keith Bulatao
Department: Public Defender
Title: Fiscal Officer
Phone: 518-477-7771
Department Rep.
Attending Meeting: Stephen Herrick/Keith Bulatao

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) Click or tap here to enter text.

CONCERNING BUDGET AMENDMENTS

Increase/decrease category (choose all that apply):

- Contractual
- Equipment
- Fringe

- Personnel
- Personnel Non-Individual
- Revenue

Increase Account/Line No.: Click or tap here to enter text.
Source of Funds: Click or tap here to enter text.
Title Change: Click or tap here to enter text.

CONCERNING CONTRACT AUTHORIZATIONS

Type of Contract:

- Change Order/Contract Amendment
- Purchase (Equipment/Supplies)
- Lease (Equipment/Supplies)
- Requirements
- Professional Services
- Education/Training
- Grant

Choose an item.

Submission Date Deadline Click or tap to enter a date.

- Settlement of a Claim
- Release of Liability
- Other: (state if not listed) Click or tap here to enter text.

Contract Terms/Conditions:

Party (Name/address):

NYS Office of Indigent Legal Services
A. E. Smith Building, 11th Floor
80 South Swan Street
Albany, NY 12210

Additional Parties (Names/addresses):

Click or tap here to enter text.

Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: \$749,700.00

Scope of Services: To make demonstrable and measurable improvements in the delivery of indigent defense services to eligible persons at a defendant's first court appearance before a judge.

Bond Res. No.: Click or tap here to enter text.

Date of Adoption: Click or tap here to enter text.

CONCERNING ALL REQUESTS

Mandated Program/Service: Yes No

If Mandated Cite Authority: Click or tap here to enter text.

Is there a Fiscal Impact: Yes No

Anticipated in Current Budget: Yes No

County Budget Accounts:

Revenue Account and Line: A9.1170.0.3337 (Counsel at 1st Appearance)

Revenue Amount: \$249,900.00

Appropriation Account and Line: A9.1170.1.9954

Appropriation Amount: \$249,900.00

Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal: Click or tap here to enter text.

State: 100%

County: Click or tap here to enter text.

Local: Click or tap here to enter text.

Term

Term: (Start and end date) January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2024

Length of Contract: 60 months

Impact on Pending Litigation Yes No

If yes, explain: Click or tap here to enter text.

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number: 22-074

Date of Adoption: 3/14/22

Justification: (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

The Albany County Public Defender's Office requests authorization to extend the term of the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services Third Counsel at First Appearance grant to 12/31/24. This no-cost extension will allow the County to continue to make demonstrable and measurable improvements in the delivery of indigent defense services to eligible persons at a defendant's first court appearance before a judge. Since there was a two-year delay in implementation of the grant, this extension will align the grant term and end date with the actual three-year period that the grant funds will be utilized.