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

Dear Chairman Joyce:

Albany County Department of Health (ACDOH) has been notified of additional grant funding from the NYS Department of Health. The COVID19 Vaccine Response program will help promote and increase COVID19 vaccine and other vaccine uptake. ACDOH did not have to apply for this funding opportunity. The funding will be budgeted in 2022, 2023 and 2024. We request approval to contract with NYS Department of Health for the grant term January 1, 2021 – June 30, 2024 with a total funding of \$338,857.80.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

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Elizabeth F. Whalen, MD, MPH Commissioner of Health

cc: Hon. Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader Hon. Frank A. Mauriello, Minority Leader Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel Minority Counsel

Enclosures

