

KATHY HOCHUL Governor

## ROSSANA ROSADO Commissioner

JEFFREY BENDER
Deputy Commissioner

## Grant Award Notice – CORRECTED – This notice replaces the notice sent on 4/29/22 that included an inaccurate term date.

Grantee/Contractor:	Date:
Albany County Public Defender	May 3, 2022
Program Name:	Award Amount:
Aid to Defense	\$42,738
Agency Head Name and Title:	Term Dates:
Stephen Herrick	April 1, 2022 – March 31,
Public Defender	2023
Email:	
Stephen.Herrick@albanycountyny.gov	

## **Additional Information:**

I am pleased to advise you that your county will receive funding under the Aid to Defense Program for the State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2022-23. While the award amount is consistent with the amount your county received last year, the method for distribution for the term April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023 is being changed by DCJS to streamline processing and facilitate timely distribution of funds to your county.

Rather than utilizing a DCJS grant contract to administer this funding, DCJS shall disburse the full award amount to your county in a single payment, which shall be made before July 15, 2022.

It is important to note that the funding provided to the county herein must support defense services in your county in the same manner as provided in prior years. DCJS will evaluate this alternative payment process next year for effectiveness prior to making subsequent Aid to Defense grant awards.

Should you have any questions, please contact the DCJS fiscal contact listed below.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and support.

**Questions: Nadia Rockwell** 

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i Award amount is subject to available funding in the enacted NYS Budget.