



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):

AUTHORIZING AGREEMENTS WITH THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES REGARDING THE DISTRIBUTION #10 GRANT AND A 1 YEAR, NO COST EXTENSION OF THE GRANT

Date: 2/21/24

Submitted By: Keith Bulatao

Department: Public Defender’s Office

Title: Director of Accounts

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Department Rep.

Attending Meeting: Judge Stephen W. Herrick, Matthew Alpern and/or Keith

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: \$786,729.00
Scope of Services: To improve the quality of services provided under Article 18-B of the County Law.

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: A.1170.0.3025, A.1171.0.3025

Revenue Amount: \$786,729.00

Appropriation Account and Line: Various within A.1770, A.1171

Appropriation Amount: \$786,729.00

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.

Original Awarding Agency / Funder:

Click or tap here to enter text.

New York State Pass-Through Agency (if applicable):

Click or tap here to enter text.

Term

Term: (Start and end date) 1/1/2020 - 12/31/2023

Length of Contract: 4 years including extension

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: Click or tap here to enter text.

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

Justification: (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

The Albany County Public Defender's Office and Alternate Public Defender's Office request authorization for the Distribution #10 grant contract with the NYS Office of Indigent Legal Services, as well as authorization for a one-year, no cost extensions of the grant. The extension end date of the grant, which has an original term of January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022, is December 31, 2023. The grant provides salary and fringe support for two (2) attorneys representing indigent clients in criminal court proceedings, as well as competitiveness salary raises and fringe support for entry-level attorneys.