



County of Albany

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Legislation Text

File #: TMP-6228, Version: 1

REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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

Parks & Recreation is requesting to accept a \$50,000 NYS SWIMS grant award to expand access to safe swimming, addressing equity gaps with recreational opportunities & providing resources for communities facing extreme heat.

Date: 12/09/2024

Department: Parks and Recreation

Attending Meeting: Bakary Janneh

Submitted By: Bakary Janneh

Title: Commissioner

Phone: 518-655-7948

Purpose of Request: Contract Authorization Permission to accept grant funding

CONTRACT TERMS/CONDITIONS:

Party Names and Addresses:

Alexia 'AC' Brown Contract Management Specialist 1 Division of Local Government Services New York Department of State One Commerce Plaza 99 Washington Avenue Albany, NY 12231

Term: (Start/end date or duration) 01/01/2024 - 12/31/2025

Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: \$50,000

BUDGET INFORMATION:

Is there a Fiscal Impact: Yes ☒ No ☐

Anticipated in Budget: Yes ☐ No ☒

Spreadsheet attached: Yes ☒ No ☐

Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal: 0 County: 0

State: 100% Local: 0

County Budget Accounts:

Revenue Account and Line: A37410-03077 NY SWIMS

Revenue Amount: \$50,000

Appropriation Account and Line: See Budget Amendment

Appropriation Amount: \$50,000

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Mandated Program/Service: Yes ☐ No ☒

If Mandated, Cite Authority:	Enter text.
Request for Bids / Proposals:	
Competitive Bidding Exempt:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
# of Response(s):	Enter text.
# of MWBE:	Enter text.
# of Veteran Business:	Enter text.
Bond Resolution No.:	Enter text.
Apprenticeship Program	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number and Date: RLA #5674 of July 2024

DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST: (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

The Albany County Department of Parks and Recreation is seeking permission to accept \$50,000 in funding for the NY SWIMS Lifeguard Grant Program. This Grant Program addresses a critical shortage of staff lifeguards, including those contracted through third parties or contracted lifeguards, available at public locations such as pools and beaches in New York State municipalities. Albany County will work with its municipalities to identify public swimming locations and outline how funding will be used to increase the number of staff and contracted lifeguards or expand operating hours.