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

Dear Chairman Joyce:

The Division of Information Services is respectfully requesting permission apply for the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) FY2021 Cyber Security Grant.

The Albany County Division of Information Services is applying for this grant funding to cover the costs of consulting services for the development of improved IT processes and a robust IT management and governance framework. These services will provide Albany County with tailored guidance on how to improve their IT infrastructure, streamline their processes and align their IT strategy with their broader objectives. The establishment of a robust IT governance framework will be instrumental in ensuring that cyber Security policies and procedures are well defined and followed consistently across the organization.

If you should have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

cc: Hon. Dennis A. Feeney, Majority Leader

Hon. Frank A. Mauriello, Minority Leader

Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel Arnis Zilgme, Minority Counsel