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

Dear Chairman Joyce:

The Department for Aging is requesting the Legislature's approval for the following;

Accept the AAA State Transportation grant from New York State Office for Aging. This grant funding provides vital transportation services for older adults residing in Albany County. This will allow transportation services for non-emergency medical transportation and prioritized transportation to vital services for program eligible older adults residing in Albany County. Transportation to vital services includes; medical appointments, pharmacy, grocery shopping and/or food pantry, adult day care, and congregate meal sites. Through this state funded grant, this supplements the transportation services that are primarily funded through the Community Services for the Elderly Program (CSE) grant.

Grant Award Amount – \$16,926.00
Grant Term – 4/1/2020 – 3/31/2021
Funding Source – 100% - State
Budget Amendment – No
Revenue Account – Aging -AA6772, 03787

Respectfully Submitted,

Deborah C. Riitano
Commissioner

cc: Hon. Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader
Hon. Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader
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