

Daniel P. McCoy County Executive

Larry I. Slatky Executive Director

September 1, 2021

The Honorable Andrew Joyce Chairman, Albany County Legislature Legislative Clerk's Office 112 State Street, Suite 710 Albany, New York 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce:

Shaker Place Rehabilitation and Nursing Center respectfully requests the approval to enter into a contract with Celtic Consulting which will provide Minimum Data Set case management review services. This consultation will include clinical education and supervision, medical record oversite and review, opportunities to improve resident care through observation and clinical assessments and hands-on consultation to the nursing and therapy staff. They will also validate all case mix documentation prior to submission to ensure compliance with CMS, New York State Department of Health and PDPM documentation.

The total not to exceed amount of this twelve (12) month agreement which will commence on January 1, 2022 will be \$190,000.00. Celtic Consulting was chosen through RFP-2021-109 and they were the sole bidder.

We respectfully request to enter into this agreement with Celtic Consulting.

Sincerely,

Larry I. Slatky Executive Director

cc: Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel Arnis Zilgme, Minority Counsel

