



County of Albany

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Legislation Text

File #: TMP-2474, **Version:** 1

REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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

Request to accept NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) FY2019 Cyber Security Grant Program and amend 2021 Division of Information Services' Budget

Date: 4/28/21
Submitted By: Patrick Alderson
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Attending Meeting: Patrick Alderson

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.: A3168003306
Source of Funds: NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services
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

Acceptance

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 Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES)
1220 Washington Avenue
State Office Campus, Building 7A
Albany, NY 12226

Additional Parties (Names/addresses):

Click or tap here to enter text.

Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: \$43,674
Scope of Services: Purchase additional Varonis Data Security modules to protect and monitor data currently contained in Office 365.

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: A3168003306
Revenue Amount: \$43,674

Appropriation Account and Line: A9168044021
Appropriation Amount: \$43,674

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.

Term

Term: (Start and end date) 04/01/21 - 08/31/2022
Length of Contract: 17 months

Impact on Pending Litigation

If yes, explain: Yes ☐ No ☒
Click or tap here to enter text.

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number: 2021-41 (Apply); 2019-508 (Accept)
Date of Adoption: 2/8/21; 11/12/19

Justification: (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

The County Executive's Office, on behalf of the Division of Information Services, is requesting authorization to accept the FY2109 Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) Cyber Security Grant for a total of \$43,673. Additionally, we are requesting that the 2021 Division of Information Services' budget be amended. This grant will allow the purchase of enhanced cyber security software and support for Albany County. The Department of Information Services has identified software to protect data currently contained in Office 365. With the exponentially increased use of OneDrive and SharePoint in Office 365 because of employees working from home, it has increased the County's exposure to data loss. Albany County is looking to purchase the Varonis modules for Office 365 SharePoint and OneDrive.