



County of Albany

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Legislation Text

File #: TMP-2379, **Version:** 1

REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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

Authorization to accept grant funding from NYSOFA for III-C1 Congregate Meal Program

Date: 3/22/2021
Submitted By: Patrick Dillon
Department: Aging
Title: Contract Administrator
Phone: 518 447 7733
Department Rep.
Attending Meeting: Deborah C. Riitano, Commissioner

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.: Click or tap here to enter text.

Source of Funds: Click or tap here to enter text.

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):

New York State Office for Aging

Two Empire State Plaza

Albany, New York 12223-1251

Additional Parties (Names/addresses):

Click or tap here to enter text.

Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: \$406,507.00

Scope of Services: Provision of congregate meals to older adults age 60 years and older residing in Albany County.

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: AA6772 04774

Revenue Amount: \$406,507.00

Appropriation Account and Line: AA6772 44046

Appropriation Amount: \$447,157.70

Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal: 90%

State: Click or tap here to enter text.

County: 10%

Local: Click or tap here to enter text.

Term

Term: (Start and end date) 1/1/2022 - 12/31/2022

Length of Contract: 12 Months

Impact on Pending Litigation

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, explain: Click or tap here to enter text.

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number: 288

Date of Adoption: 9/14/2020

Justification: (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

To accept the III-C1 Congregate Meals Program grant from New York State Office for Aging. This grant funding will provide congregate meal services to older adults in Albany County.

During the past year, the Albany County Department for Aging supported congregate meal sites within the county that provided nutritious meals approved by a registered dietician to older adults. The program is open to people who are 60 years or older, or the spouse of an eligible individual regardless of age. The congregate meal program not only provides older adults with nutritious meals but also provides them with an opportunity to interact with others, thereby reducing isolation and loneliness.

From March 2020 to June 2021 the COVID pandemic shut down congregate dining and changed the program to a grab and go format, which gave older adults the ability to continue to receive a nutritious meal.