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August 13, 2020

Honorable Andrew C. Joyce
Legislative Clerk's Office
112 State Street, Room 710
Albany, New York 12207

Andrew
Dear Mr. Joyce:

The attached correspondence is forwarded for presentation to the Albany County Legislature.

Legislative approval is being requested to authorize an agreement between Better Health for Northeast New York, Inc. (BHNNY) and the Albany County Sheriff's Office to provide temporary housing for homeless individuals who were discharged from and referred by Albany Medical Center Hospital.

Better Health for Northeast New York, Inc. (BHNNY) agrees to pay the Sheriff Office, the sum of \$137.00 per day for each homeless individual they refer and is housed in the Sheriff's Homeless Improvement Project (SHIP) program. The term of the contract is August 1, 2020 to April 30, 2021.

Should there be any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Craig D. Apple, Sr.
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Sheriff

cc: Hon. Daniel McCoy, County Executive
Hon. William Clay, Public Safety Chairman
Hon. Wanda Willingham, Audit & Finance Committee
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