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Honorable Andrew Joyce, Chairman Albany County Legislature 112 State St., Rm. 710 Albany, NY 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce,

The Department of Mental Health requests permission for a budget amendment and increased contract authorization for Addictions Care Center of Albany (ACCA). NYS Office of Addiction Services and Supports (OASAS) recently notified the Department of Mental Health that they were providing additional funding of \$125,371. The additional funding covers expenses for ACCA's residential program. There is no County share associated with this contract.

Feel free to contact me or Mark Gleason if you have any questions concerning this request.

Sincerely,

Stephen Giordano, Ph.D.

Director

cc:

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