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December 16, 2022

Honorable Andrew Joyce, Chairman  
Albany County Legislature  
112 State Street, Room 710  
Albany, NY 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce:

The Department for Aging is requesting the Legislature's approval for the following;

To accept the Medicare Improvement for Patients and Providers Act (MIPPA) grant from New York State Office for Aging. This grant funding shall be used to enhance and expand current activities to reach Medicare beneficiaries that are eligible for Low Income Subsidy (LIS) and/or the Medicare Savings Programs (MSP) and promote Medicare wellness and prevention benefits through collaboration between HIICAP and NY Connects programs. This program offers counseling, education and distribution of MIPPA material to help educate older adults in Albany County on Medicare related issues and programs

Grant Award Amount – \$23,838.00  
Grant Term – 9/1/2022 to 8/31/2023  
Funding Source – Federal – 100%  
Budget Amendment – No  
Revenue Account – A6772. 04788

Sincerely,

Deborah C. Riitano  
Commissioner

cc: Hon. Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader  
Hon. Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader  
Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel  
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