

RESOLUTION NO. 512

**AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH INTERFAITH PARTNERSHIP FOR
THE HOMELESS REGARDING EMERGENCY AND TRANSITIONAL
SHELTER SERVICES AT MERCY HOUSE**

Introduced: 9/9/24

By Social Services Committee:

WHEREAS, Pursuant to New York State Social Services Law, local social services districts are required to provide emergency and transitional shelter to public assistance eligible homeless individuals and families, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department of Social Services has requested authorization to enter into an agreement with Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless regarding emergency and transitional shelter services at Mercy House in an amount not to exceed \$686,104 for a term commencing January 1, 2025 and ending December 31, 2025, and

WHEREAS, Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless will operate Mercy House, a 20-bed facility which serves six adult females and 14 adult males, and will assist residents who apply for Temporary Assistance to address the factors that cause an individual to be homeless, secure permanent housing or appropriate residential placement, and develop an independent living plan while providing three meals a day, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into agreement with Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless, Albany, NY 12210 regarding emergency and transitional shelter services at Mercy House in an amount not to exceed \$686,104 for a term commencing January 1, 2025 and ending December 31, 2025, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreement as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote - 9/9/24

State of New York
County of Albany

This is to certify that I, the undersigned, Clerk of the Albany County Legislature, have compared the foregoing copy of the resolution and/or local law with the original resolution and/or local law now on file in the office, and which was passed by the Legislature of said County on the 9th day of September, 2024, a majority of all members elected to the Legislature voting in favor thereof, and that the same is a correct and true transcript of such original resolution and/or local law and the whole thereof.



IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the official seal of the County Legislature this 11th day of September, 2024.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Nicole Chambers", is written over a horizontal line.

Clerk, Albany County Legislature