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

Dear Chairman Joyce:

Albany County Department of Health is requesting approval to submit an application to the NYS Department of Health for the Indoor Radon Grant program scheduled to begin on February 1, 2021 until January 31, 2027. Counties can receive up to \$50,000 for the five year program. This funding would continue to support educational programs and home visits to inspect and test radon levels and indoor air quality, directed especially at residents living in areas of the County known to have high levels of radon present. ACDOH was previously awarded \$64,470 for the 2015 – 2020 Indoor Radon grant cycle.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth F. Whalen, MD, MPH
Commissioner of Health

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



Albany County Department of Health is nationally accredited and meets rigorous public health standards set forth to best meet the needs of our community.