

KATHY HOCHUL Governor ROSSANA ROSADO Commissioner **CILLIAN FLAVIN**Deputy Commissioner

## **Grant Award Notice**

Grantee/Contractor:	Date:
Albany County Public Defender	12/1/2023
Program Name:	Award Amount: \$42,738 <sup>1</sup>
Aid to Defense	
Agency Head Name and Title:	Term Dates:
Mr. Stephen Herrick, Public Defender	April 1, 2023 – March 31,
	2024
Email: Stephen.Herrick@albanycountyny.gov	

## **Additional Information:**

I am pleased to advise you that your county will receive funding under the Aid to Defense Program for the State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2023-24. While the award amount is consistent with the amount your county received last year, the method for distribution for the term April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024 is being changed by DCJS to streamline processing and facilitate timely distribution of funds to your county.

Rather than issuing your grant award through a DCJS grant contract for this funding, the full award amount will be automatically disbursed to the county in one payment.

It is important to note that this funding is provided to the county to provide support to defense services in your county in the same manner it was provided in prior years. DCJS will evaluate this process next year for its effectiveness prior to making subsequent grant awards.

Should you have any questions, please email the DCJS contacts provided on this Award Notice.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and support.

## Questions:

NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services, Finance Office dcjsgrantsunitvoucherinquiry@dcjs.ny.gov

NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services, Law Enforcement & Legal Services dcjs.sm.lelsunit@dcjs.ny.gov

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Award amount is subject to available funding in the enacted NYS Budget.