



County of Albany

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Legislation Text

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REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Description (e.g., Contract Authorization for Information Services):

AUTHORIZING AMENDMENTS TO THE PUBLIC DEFENDER'S 2025 BUDGET RELATING TO THE ONE-YEAR EXTENSION OF THE THIRD COUNSEL AT FIRST APPEARANCE GRANT WITH NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES

Date: 3/24/25
Department: Public Defender's Office
Attending Meeting: Judge Stephen W. Herrick
Submitted By: Keith Bulatao
Title: Director of Accounts
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Purpose of Request: Budget Amendment Enter text.

CONTRACT TERMS/CONDITIONS:

Party Names and Addresses:
Enter text.

Term: (Start/end date or duration) Enter text.
Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: Enter text.

BUDGET INFORMATION:

Is there a Fiscal Impact: Yes ☒ No ☐
Anticipated in Budget: Yes ☐ No ☒
Spreadsheet attached: Yes ☒ No ☐

Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal: 0 County: 0
State: 100 Local: 0

County Budget Accounts:

Revenue Account and Line: A.1170.0.3337
Revenue Amount: \$247,340.00
Appropriation Account and Line: A.1170.1.9554
Appropriation Amount: \$247,340.00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Mandated Program/Service: Yes ☐ No ☒

If Mandated, Cite Authority: Enter text.
Request for Bids / Proposals:
 Competitive Bidding Exempt: Yes ☒ No ☐
 # of Response(s): Enter text.
 # of MWBE: Enter text.
 # of Veteran Business: Enter text.
Bond Resolution No.: Enter text.
Apprenticeship Program Yes ☐ No ☒

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number and Date: Enter text.

DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST: (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

The Public Defender's Office requests authorization to amend its 2025 budget to utilize funds made available through the one-year extension to the Third Counsel at First Appearance grant contract with the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services. The budget amendments appropriate \$247,340 of state-provided funds to increase compensation in 2025 for personnel involved in providing attorney representation at all first arraignments within Albany County.