

RESOLUTION NO. 220

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF INDIGENT LEGAL SERVICES REGARDING THE STATEWIDE EXPANSION OF THE HURRELL-HARRING SETTLEMENT AND AMENDING THE 2020 ALBANY COUNTY BUDGET

Introduced: 7/13/20

By Law and Audit and Finance Committees:

WHEREAS, By Resolution No. 151, this Honorable Body authorized a five-year agreement with the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services regarding the statewide expansion of the Hurrell-Harring settlement in the amount of \$26,264,402 for the term commencing April 1, 2018 and ending March 31, 2023, and

WHEREAS, The Albany County Executive, on behalf of the Public Defender, Alternate Public Defender, and Assigned Counsel Program, has requested authorization to amend the aforementioned agreement to reflect the finalized second year plan as approved by the New York State Office of Indigent Legal Services, and

WHEREAS, The Albany County Executive, on behalf of the Public Defender, Alternate Public Defender, and Assigned Counsel Program has also requested a budget amendment to reflect changes made during finalization process, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to amend the five-year agreement with the New York State Office of Indigent Legal services to reflect the finalized second year plan, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the 2020 Albany County Budget is hereby amended as follows:

Decrease Appropriation Account A1170.4 by \$10,000 by decreasing Line Item A1170 4 4038 Travel Mileage Freight by \$10,000

Increase Appropriation Account A1170.4 by \$10,000 by increasing the following line items:

Increase Line Item A1170 4 4040 Books/Transcripts/Subscripts by \$5,000

Increase Line Item A1170 4 4300 Association Dues by \$5,000

Decrease Appropriation Account A1171.4 by \$6,500 by decreasing Line Item A1171 4 4046 Fees for Services by \$6,500

Increase Appropriation Account A1171.4 by \$6,500 by increasing Line Item A1171 4 4300 Association Dues by \$6,500

Decrease Appropriation Account A1172.1 by \$28,800 by decreasing Line Item A1172 1 9935 Law Intern Program by \$28,800

Decrease Appropriation Account A1172.4 by \$29,371 by decreasing Line Item A1172 4 4071 Property Repair and Rental by \$29,371

Increase Appropriation Account A1172.4 by \$58,171 by increasing the following line items:

Increase Line Item A1172 4 4306 Mentor Program by \$28,800

Increase Line Item A1172 4 4310 Second Chair Program by \$29,371

and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said amendment 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 – 7/13/20