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Honorable Joanne Cunningham, Chairwoman
Albany County Legislature
112 State Street, Room 710
Albany, New York 12207

Dear Chairwoman Cunningham:

The Albany County Department of Health (ACDOH) requests authorization to complete a budget amendment and to enter into an agreement with the New York State Association of County Health Officials (NYSACHO) for a one-time payment of \$3,000. In accepting the NYSACHO Climate Change and Health Adaption Projects Grant, ACDOH will create a Health and Health Safety Training Curriculum tailored to children; develop pre and post training evaluation mechanism; provide three (3) Train the Trainer sessions with community partners; conduct trainings; and distribute 150 cooling kits. A cooling kit contains insulated lunch bag, reusable ice pack, handheld fan, reusable water bottle, and a cooling towel.

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

Sincerely,

Kristen A. Navarette, MD, MPH
Commissioner of Health

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



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Enclosures



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