



Legislation Text

File #: TMP-1550, Version: 1

**REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION**

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

Contract Authorization for Social Services (Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless)

Date: 2/24/2020  
 Submitted By: Joseph J. DeAngelis  
 Department: Social Services  
 Title: Contract Administrator  
 Phone: 518-477-7583  
 Department Rep.  
 Attending Meeting: Michele G. McClave

**Purpose of Request:**

- Adopting of Local Law
- Amendment of Prior Legislation
- Approval/Adoption of Plan/Procedure
- Bond Approval
- Budget Amendment
- Contract Authorization
- Countywide Services
- Environmental Impact/SEQR
- Home Rule Request
- Property Conveyance
- Other: (state if not listed) Click or tap here to enter text.

**CONCERNING BUDGET AMENDMENTS**

**Increase/decrease category (choose all that apply):**

- Contractual
- Equipment
- Fringe
- Personnel
- Personnel Non-Individual

Revenue

Increase Account/Line No.: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Source of Funds: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Title Change: Click or tap here to enter text.

**CONCERNING CONTRACT AUTHORIZATIONS**

**Type of Contract:**

- Change Order/Contract Amendment
- Purchase (Equipment/Supplies)
- Lease (Equipment/Supplies)
- Requirements
- Professional Services
- Education/Training
- Grant

Choose an item.

Submission Date Deadline Click or tap to enter a date.

- Settlement of a Claim
- Release of Liability
- Other: (state if not listed) Click or tap here to enter text.

**Contract Terms/Conditions:**

Party (Name/address):

Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless  
176 Sheridan Avenue  
Albany, NY 12210

Additional Parties (Names/addresses):

Click or tap here to enter text.

Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: \$720,000

Scope of Services: Emergency and transitional shelter for homeless persons, including room and board within a 30 bed facility serving both male and female, linkage to needed community services and assistance in securing permanent housing and/or residential placement.

Bond Res. No.: Click or tap here to enter text.  
Date of Adoption: Click or tap here to enter text.

**CONCERNING ALL REQUESTS**

Mandated Program/Service: Yes  No   
If Mandated Cite Authority: 18 NYCRR 352.8

Is there a Fiscal Impact: Yes  No

Anticipated in Current Budget: Yes  No

County Budget Accounts:

Revenue Account and Line: AA6109 04609, AA6140 03640, AA6142 03642

Revenue Amount: \$14,400.00 \$162,864.00 \$72,000.00

Appropriation Account and Line: AA6109 44046, AA6140 44046, AA6142 44046

Appropriation Amount: \$14,400.00, \$561,600.00, \$144,000.00

Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal: 2%  
State: 33%  
County: 65%  
Local: 0

Term

Term: (Start and end date) 7/1/2020-6/30/2021

Length of Contract: 12 Month

Impact on Pending Litigation Yes  No

If yes, explain: [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number: 136

Date of Adoption: 4/8/2019

**Justification:** (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

Local Social Services districts are required to provide temporary shelter for homeless persons. Therefore, authorization is requested to renew a contract with Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless to provide emergency and transitional shelter for homeless persons in Albany County within a 30 bed facility serving both males and females.

This Interfaith shelter is equipped with an elevator and handicapped access for the disabled; the shelter also has a single room for at-risk individuals such as transgender persons. Also, eight beds at Interfaith are set aside for hospital discharges or other individuals who have special needs/disabilities such as mental illness, alcohol/substance abuse, mental retardation, developmental disability or medical frailty.

A portion of this contract is performance based whereby the provider assists residents to apply for temporary assistance, address the factors that underlie their homelessness and secure permanent housing or appropriate residential placement. During calendar year 2019, 499 residents were served.