RESOLUTION NO. 212

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION WITH THE NYS OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY REGARDING THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TERRORISM PREVENTION PROGRAM

Introduced: 6/9/14
By Public Safety Committee and Mr. Clenahan:

WHEREAS, The Albany County Sheriff has requested authorization to apply for $334,707 in funding from the NYS Office of Homeland Security regarding the Law Enforcement Terrorism Prevention Program, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff indicated that no County share or in-kind match is required and the State Homeland Security Program grant funds will be used to support planning, organization, equipment, training and exercise needs to prevent, protect, mitigate and recover from acts of terrorism and other catastrophic events, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff also indicated that the grant will be used to fund a part time Deputy Director of Emergency and the 800mhz Interoperable Project, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application to the New York State Office of Homeland Security to fund the Law Enforcement Terrorism Prevention Program in the amount of $334,707 as indicated above, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said grant application 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. 6/9/14