

RESOLUTION NO. 338

AUTHORIZING AGREEMENTS WITH THE NYS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REGARDING A TUBERCULOSIS OUTREACH PROGRAM

Introduced: 9/8/14
By Health Committee:

WHEREAS, The Department of Health has requested authorization to enter into a five-year agreement with the NYS Department of Health pertaining to the Tuberculosis Outreach Program at \$48,930 a year for a total of \$244,650 for the period March 31, 2014 to March 30, 2019, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner also has requested authorization to enter into the first year of the agreement for the period March 31, 2014 to March 30, 2015 in the amount of \$48,930, and

WHEREAS, The Tuberculosis Outreach Program funds will be used to provide skin testing for early detection in high risk groups, reporting, prompt diagnosis, appropriate treatment, case management with particular attention to direct observed therapy, aggressive investigations of contacts and educational activities, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into a five-year agreement with the NYS Department of Health regarding the Tuberculosis Outreach Program for the total amount of \$244,650 for the period March 31, 2014 to March 30, 2019, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is further authorized to enter into an initial agreement regarding said grant for the period March 31, 2014 to March 30, 2015 in an amount not to exceed \$48,930, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreements 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. 9/8/14