

RESOLUTION NO. 358

AUTHORIZING AGREEMENTS WITH THE AIDS INSTITUTE OF THE NYS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REGARDING THE EXPANDED PARTNER SERVICES PROGRAM

Introduced: 10/14/14
By Health Committee:

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of Health has been notified by the Aids Institute of the NYS Department of Health that funds in the amount of \$125,000 are available pertaining to the Expanded Partner Services Program, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner indicated that an initial three-month grant would be for the required Expanded Partner Services training from January 1, 2015 to March 31, 2015 in the amount of \$25,000 followed by an annual program agreement commencing April 1, 2015 through March 31, 2016 in the amount of \$100,000, and

WHEREAS, The grant provides funding to facilitate the re-engagement in medical care of persons thought to be out of care living with HIV/AIDS, notifying, testing and treating partners, distribute condoms and safer sex supplies and collect and verify demographic information, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into agreements with the Aids Institute of the NYS Department of Health regarding the Expanded Partner Services Program regarding an initial three- month training agreement from January 1, 2015 to March 31, 2015 in an amount not to exceed \$25,000 and an annual program agreement commencing April 1, 2015 through March 31, 2016 in an amount not to exceed \$100,000, 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. 10/14/14