

RESOLUTION NO. 272

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION WITH THE NYS OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY REGARDING EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS INITIATIVES

Introduced: 8/12/13

By Health, Public Safety Committees and Mr. Clenahan:

WHEREAS, The County Executive has requested authorization to apply for \$597,448 in funding from the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding Emergency Preparedness Initiatives, and

WHEREAS, The County Executive indicated that \$334,707 of the total will be allocated to the Albany County Sheriff's Office for the initiative of building and maintaining the County's Interoperable Communications System, and

WHEREAS, The County Executive also indicated that the additional \$262,741 will be allocated to the Albany County Department of Health for the security of data and mobile devices, public health planning, preparedness training and exercise needs for acts of terrorism and other catastrophic events, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application to the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding Emergency Preparedness Initiatives in the amount of \$597,448, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said 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. 8/12/13

Ms. Benedict abstained.