

RESOLUTION NO. 471

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE NYS DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES REGARDING THE INSTALLATION OF AN EMERGENCY GENERATOR AT THE CIVIC CENTER

Introduced: 11/12/13

By Public Works Committee and Mr. Clenahan:

WHEREAS, The Department of General Services has been notified that \$2,500,000 is available for 2013 from the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services Hazard Mitigation Grant Program to secure funding for the installation of an emergency generator at the Civic Center, and

WHEREAS, The Department has indicated that the grant will require a 25% match by the County if awarded, and

WHEREAS, The Civic Center is a designated evacuation shelter during the occurrence of disasters and emergency events and at this time does not possess the proper backup generation required to maintain essential services in the event of a large scale emergency, 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 Hazard Mitigation Grant Program in the amount of \$2,500,000 to secure funding for the installation of an emergency generator at the Civic Center, 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. 11/12/13