

RESOLUTION NO. 492

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION AND AGREEMENTS REGARDING THE WHEELS AND WAYS TO WORK PROGRAM FOR TANF ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS

Introduced: 11/12/13

By Social Services Committee:

WHEREAS, The Department of Social Services has requested authorization to enter into agreements with the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance to apply for and accept a Transportation Incentive Grant in the amount of \$65,277 and with the Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Albany regarding the operation of the Wheels and Ways to Work Program, and

WHEREAS, Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Albany will assist with approximately 20 families to secure a small low interest loan to purchase a used car to get to work and the proposed funds will pay for financial education and loan counseling; case management and follow-up services to approved loan applicants, assistance with a search for reliable used vehicles and related expenses such as insurance, down-payment, NYS Vehicle inspection, gas card, AAA membership, repairs and oil changes, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance to apply for and accept a Transportation Incentive Grant in the amount of \$65,277 for a period commencing on January 1, 2013 and ending December 31, 2013, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is also authorized to enter into an agreement with the Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Albany regarding the operation of the Wheels and Ways to Work Program in the amount of \$65,277 for a period commencing on January 1, 2013 and ending December 31, 2013, 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. 11/12/13