

RESOLUTION NO. 549

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION WITH THE NYS DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES AND AGREEMENTS REGARDING THE STOP VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN GRANT

Introduced: 12/5/13

By Law Committee, Mr. Clenahan and Ms. McKnight:

WHEREAS, The NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services has notified the Crime Victim and Sexual Violence Center that grant funding in the amount of \$47,304 is available to Albany County regarding the Stop Violence Against Women Grant, and

WHEREAS, The Crime Victim and Sexual Violence Center Director has requested authorization to submit a grant application and enter into an agreement with the NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services regarding the Stop Violence Against Women Grant, and

WHEREAS, The Community Response to Domestic Violence Team links law enforcement, prosecution and victim services in a combined three department effort and grant funding will be used to finance partial salaries for three positions: one in the District Attorney's Office; one in the Sheriff's Department; and one in the Crime Victim and Sexual Violence Center for the period beginning January 1, 2014 and ending December 31, 2014, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application and enter into an agreement with the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services in the amount of \$47,304 for the period beginning January 1, 2014 and ending December 31, 2014, regarding the Stop Violence Against Women Grant, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is also authorized to execute a Memorandum of Understanding between the DA's Office, the Sheriff's Office and the Crime Victim and Sexual Violence Center regarding the Stop Violence Against Women Grant, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said application and 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. 12/5/13