

RESOLUTION NO. 575

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE NYS DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES REGARDING REPLACEMENT OF THE NORTH PLANT EMERGENCY GENERATOR

Introduced: 12/5/13

By Public Works Committee:

WHEREAS, The Executive Director of the Albany County Sewer District indicated that funding has been made available via the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), and

WHEREAS, The Executive Director has requested approval to submit a grant application to the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding the replacement of the North Plant emergency generator in the amount of \$1,150,555 with the County obligation being a 25% share, and

WHEREAS, The North Plant's emergency generator is a 1.6 megawatt solar turbine generator that is close to the end of its useful life, the District's State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit requires an emergency generator to protect public health and the water environment in the event of loss of power, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a Hazard Mitigation Grant Program application for funding in the amount of \$1,150,555 to the NYS Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services regarding the replacement of the North Plant emergency generator, 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. 12/5/13