

RESOLUTION NO. 291

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION REGARDING THE COMMUNITY LIVING PROGRAM GRANT

Introduced: 8/10/09

By Social Services Committee, Messrs. Cotrofeld and Scavo:

WHEREAS, The Commissioners of the Departments of Social Services and Aging have requested authorization to apply as a co-applicant with the New York State Office for Aging for a grant sponsored by the US Administration on Aging for funding up to \$300,000 regarding the Community Living Program Grant, and

WHEREAS, The Community Living Program Grant will provide Albany County with the opportunity to implement a consumer direct program for non-Medicaid eligible individuals age 60 and over in managing their own home care services thereby enabling consumers to maintain quality lives in their own homes, neighborhoods and communities as an alternative to nursing home placement, and

WHEREAS, First year grant funding will be utilized for planning, development, training and technical assistance while the second phase of the grant will focus on implementation of the Consumer Direct Program, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application as a co-applicant with the New York State Office for Aging for a grant sponsored by the US Administration on Aging for funding up to \$300,000 regarding the Community Living Program Grant, 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. 8/10/09