

RESOLUTION NO. 379

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH ST. CHRISTOPHER'S, INC. REGARDING THE PROVISION OF FOSTER CARE SERVICES

Introduced: 10/13/09

By Social Services Committee, Ms. Chapman and Mr. Scavo:

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department for Children, Youth and Families has requested authorization to enter into a sixteen month agreement with St. Christopher's, Inc. regarding the provision of foster care services for children whose care has become the responsibility of Albany County, and

WHEREAS, The New York State Department of Children and Family Services establishes rates determining the maximum per diem reimbursement per child, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with St. Christopher's, Inc. at rates determined by New York State with notice to the County for the period commencing September 1, 2009 and ending December 31, 2010, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the agreements authorized above shall provide that the Commissioner of the Department for Children, Youth and Families shall be authorized to pay at New York State established rates different from the currently established rates upon notice to the County by New York State that a different rate has been established subsequent to the execution of the agreement authorized herein, 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. 10/13/09