

RESOLUTION NO. 455

**AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH EQUINOX, INC. REGARDING
CHEMICAL DEPENDENCE OUTPATIENT SERVICES**

Introduced: 12/7/09

By Health Committee, Messrs. Clenahan, Higgins, Scavo and Ms. Willingham:

WHEREAS, The Director of the Department of Mental Health has recommended the approval of an agreement with Equinox, Inc. for the provision of a drug-free outpatient services for citizens of Albany County suffering from the symptoms or effects of chemical dependencies, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with Equinox, Inc. regarding the provision of the aforementioned services to commence on January 1, 2010 and terminate December 31, 2010, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the fees to be paid shall not exceed \$412,899, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreement 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. 12/7/09