

RESOLUTION NO. 435

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE ALTAMONT PROGRAM, INC. REGARDING EMPLOYMENT SERVICES FOR SAFETY NET RECIPIENTS

Introduced: 12/8/08

By Social Services Committee and Ms. Willingham:

WHEREAS, The NYS Welfare Reform Act allows for the utilization of education and training programs with an increased emphasis on employment and post-employment services to end welfare dependency, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Albany County Department of Social Services has recommended the Altamont Program, Inc. based on the proposer's completeness, demonstrated abilities, ability to reach the target population, project location, experience and expertise, and project activities, and

WHEREAS, The Altamont Program, Inc. will provide job placement, post-employment services, work preparation activities and educational and vocational training services for Safety Net recipients who are engaged in substance abuse treatment, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the Altamont Program, Inc., 428 Duane Street, Schenectady, New York 12304 regarding employment services for Safety Net recipients for a term commencing January 1, 2009 and ending December 31, 2009 in the amount of \$128,000, 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. 12/8/08