

**RESOLUTION NO. 342**

**AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NYS OFFICE OF TEMPORARY AND DISABILITY ASSISTANCE REGARDING CONSULTATIVE MEDICAL EXAMS THROUGH INDUSTRIAL MEDICINE ASSOCIATES, PC**

Introduced: 8/13/07

By Social Services Committee and Mr. Cotrofeld:

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of the Department of Social Services has recommended that the County enter into an agreement with the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance regarding consultative medical exams through Industrial Medicine Associates, PC, and

WHEREAS, Industrial Medicine Associates, PC under contract with the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance will provide consultative medical examinations for approximately 215 Temporary Assistance recipients, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner indicated that the examinations will be used to determine the employability status for persons who are receiving Temporary Assistance benefits and to make recommendations regarding referrals to the Social Security Administration for federal disability benefits, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance regarding consultative medical exams through Industrial Medicine Associates, PC in the amount of \$26,000 commencing September 1, 2007 and ending August 31, 2008, 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. 8/13/07*