

**RESOLUTION NO. 138**

**AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 497 FOR 2007: ADDITIONAL STATE FUNDING FOR HOUSING FOR WOMEN SUFFERING FROM ALCOHOLISM AND AMENDING THE 2008 DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET**

Introduced: 4/14/08

By Health Committee, Mss. Willingham and Maffia-Tobler:

WHEREAS, By Resolution No. 497 for 2007, this Honorable Body authorized an agreement with The Next Step regarding housing for women suffering from alcoholism, and

WHEREAS, The agreement provides funding for a recovery residence and support apartments for women and their children who are Albany County residents and suffer from the symptoms or effects of alcoholism, and

WHEREAS, The Department of Mental Health has been notified by the NYS Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services that an additional \$30,179 has been allocated to The Next Step to offset the cost of increased services to County residents mandated into treatment by drug courts, the Division of Parole or other similar programs, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that Resolution No. 497 for 2007 is amended to indicate that the fee corresponding to The Next Step is in the amount of \$357,573 rather than \$327,394, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the 2008 Department of Mental Health Budget is amended as follows:

Increase Revenue Account A3486 Narcotics Addiction Control by \$30,179

Increase Appropriation Account A4230.4 by \$30,179 by increasing Line Item A4230 4 4440 000 The Next Step by \$30,179

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. 4/14/08*