

RESOLUTION NO. 87

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT REGARDING A MEDICAL RESERVE CORPS GRANT AND AMENDING THE 2009 HEALTH DEPARTMENT BUDGET

Introduced: 3/9/09
By Health Committee:

WHEREAS, The County Health Commissioner has indicated that \$5,000 in grant funding is available through the National Association of County and City Health Officials to continue support for the Medical Reserve Corps program, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner indicated that the grant, covering the period from January 1, 2009 through July 31, 2009, will be used to organize and train clinical and non-clinical volunteers to supplement and strengthen response capabilities in the event of a large-scale emergency, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner further indicated that 40 new volunteers were recruited and 200 volunteers received training during 10 different sessions in 2008, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with the National Association of County and City Health Officials to accept funding in an amount not to exceed \$5,000 for the period beginning January 1, 2009 and ending July 31, 2009, regarding the Medical Reserve Corps program, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the 2009 Department of Health Budget is amended as follows:

Increase Revenue Account A4436 Preparedness Volunteer Grant by \$5,000

Increase Appropriation Account 4010.4 by \$5,000 by increasing the following line items:

Increase Line Item A4010 4 4020 000 Office Supplies by \$300

Increase Line Item A4010 4 4039 000 Conferences Training Tuition by \$2,650

Increase Line Item A4010 4 4042 Printing and Advertising by \$2,050

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. 3/9/09