

RESOLUTION NO. 284

AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION AND AGREEMENTS WITH THE NYS CRIME VICTIMS BOARD REGARDING FUNDING FOR THE CRIME VICTIMS UNIT IN THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

Introduced: 8/10/09

By Law Committee, Messrs. Domalewicz and Scavo:

WHEREAS, The New York State Crime Victims Board has informed the District Attorney's Office that grant funding in the amount of \$279,686 is available for the period of October 1, 2009 through September 30, 2012 regarding the Crime Victim Assistance Grant, and

WHEREAS, The District Attorney's Office has indicated that the Crime Victim Assistance Grant will be directed to support victims of crime in Albany County, and

WHEREAS, The supporting documentation indicated that the State grant will partially fund a Supervisor Crime Victim Caseworker position, a Crime Victim Caseworker position and contribute toward fringe benefits, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to submit a grant application to the NYS Crime Victims Board regarding funding for the Crime Victims Unit in the District Attorney's Office, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is authorized to enter into a three year agreement with the New York State Crime Victims Board in an amount not to exceed \$279,686 for the period commencing October 1, 2009 through September 30, 2012 regarding partial funding of Crime Victim Caseworker positions in the District Attorney's Office, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Executive is further authorized to enter into the initial agreement regarding said grant for the period beginning October 1, 2009 and ending September 30, 2010 in an amount not to exceed \$90,586, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said grant application and agreements 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. 8/10/09