RESOLUTION NO. 299-a

RESOLUTION REQUIRING ALBANY COUNTY DEPARTMENTS TO PROVIDE COPIES OF GRANTS TO LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES

Introduced: 8/11/08
By Mr. Hoblock, Ms. Lockart and Audit and Finance Committee:

WHEREAS, Various Albany County departments request legislative approval to apply for grants, renew grants or take part in grants as a sub-contractor, and

WHEREAS, These grant requests are presented to various legislative committees, and

WHEREAS, These legislative committees bear the responsibility to recommend the approval or disapproval of grant requests to the full Legislature, and

WHEREAS, The legislative committees need complete information on such grant requests before recommendations can be forwarded to the full legislature, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, Departments within Albany County government must give complete copies of grant applications and supporting materials to the Majority and Minority offices of the Legislature when making a legislative request for permission to submit or renewal a grant, or in the event that the aforementioned documentation cannot be made available due to time constraints, a copy of the documentation shall be provided to the Majority and Minority offices upon submission of the grant application to the entity from which the grant is sought, and, be it further

RESOLVED, When possible such grant materials shall be provided to the legislative offices in Portable Document Format (PDF) or other electronic document or means, and, be it further

RESOLVED, This requirement will take affect immediately upon passage of this resolution, 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