RESOLUTION NO. 14

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE ALTAMONT PROGRAM, INC. REGARDING EMERGENCY AND TRANSITIONAL SHELTER SERVICES

Introduced: 2/8/10
By Social Services Committee, Messrs. Domalewicz and Scavo:

WHEREAS, Local Social Services districts are required to provide emergency and transitional shelter to public assistance eligible homeless persons, and

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of Social Services is requesting authorization to enter into an 18-month agreement with The Altamont Program, Inc. regarding emergency and transitional shelter programs for homeless individuals who are ex offenders and/or discharged from alcohol/substance abuse treatment programs, and

WHEREAS, The Altamont Program, Inc. will provide emergency and transitional shelter services to meet the needs for homeless individuals including room and board, linkage to needed community services and assistance in securing permanent housing and/or residential placement, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an 18-month agreement with The Altamont Program, Inc. for emergency and transitional shelter service for homeless individuals who have established public assistance eligibility, commencing January 1, 2010 and ending June 30, 2011, in the amount of $103,875, 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. 2/8/10