HONORABLE BOARD OF LEGISLATORS THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

DRAFT IMAs ON FILE

Your Committee is in receipt of a communication from the County Executive recommending the approval of an Act which would authorize the County of Westchester ("County"), acting by and through the Westchester County Youth Bureau ("Youth Bureau"), to enter into inter-municipal agreements ("IMAs") with the cities of Mount Vernon, New Rochelle, Ossining, Peekskill, and White Plains, through their respective youth bureaus, and the Town of Greenburgh, through its community center ("Municipalities"), pursuant to which the Municipalities will provide summer youth employment and training services to eligible Westchester youth for a term commencing on July 13, 2021 and continuing through September 30, 2021 in a total aggregate not-to-exceed amount of \$94,947.00.

Your Committee is advised that the Youth Bureau has been awarded a grant in the amount of \$110,772.00 from New York Presbyterian Hospital ("NYP") to provide up to 35 youth from the Municipalities with an opportunity to explore career paths, increase their employability skills, and earn income that may contribute to their basic needs such as food, clothing, and school supplies ("Program"). The objective of the Program is to provide youth between the ages 16-24 from families with low to moderate incomes, with a seven-week comprehensive program that will provide initial introductions to the workplace and help youth to acquire and enhance transferable, employability skills.

Your Committee notes that in addition to the IMAs, the County will also enter into a contract with the Boys and Girls Club of Northern Westchester, Inc. ("Boys & Girls Club") pursuant to which Boys & Girls Club will provide summer youth employment and training services funded by the balance of the NYP grant. Approval for the Boys & Girls Club contract, as well as the grant agreement with NYP, was previously authorized by the County's Board of Acquisition & Contract on July 22, 2021.

The Planning Department has advised that the proposed action does not meet the definition of an action under New York State Environmental Quality Review Act and its implementing regulations, 6 NYCRR Part 617. Please refer to the memorandum from the Department of Planning dated May 14, 2021, which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Legislators

Your Committee has been advised that the passage of the attached Act requires an affirmative vote of a majority of the members of your Honorable Board.

Your Committee has been advised that adoption of the proposed legislation is necessary to effectively carry out this worthwhile program. Accordingly, after due consideration, your Committee recommends adoption of the annexed legislation.

Dated: October 4, 2021 White Plains, New York

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Dated: October 4, 2021 White Plains, New York

The following members attended the meeting remotely, as per Governor Cuomo's Executive Order 202.1 and approved this item out of Committee with an affirmative vote. Their electronic signature was authorized and is below.

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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

SUBJECT: New York-Presbyterian Hospital **☐ NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED** OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (To be completed by operating department and reviewed by Budget Department) A) X GENERAL FUND AIRPORT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (Districts) **B) EXPENSES AND REVENUES Total Current Year Cost** \$ 110772 Total Current Year Revenue \$ 110,772 □ Current Appropriations Source of Funds (check one): ☐ Transfer of Existing Appropriations Additional Appropriations Other (explain) Identify Accounts: Operating Acct: 101-11-0400-4380; Recovery 101-11-0400-9425 Potential Related Operating Budget Expenses: Annual Amount \$ <u>110,772</u> Describe: To provide summer youth employment and training experiences for 35 eligible Westchester youth between the ages 16-24 from familes with low to moderate incomes, for a term commencing on July 13, 2021 and continuing through September 30, 2021. Subcontracts with Mount Vernon, New Rochelle, Ossining, Peekskill, White Plains, Greenburgh and Boys & Girls Club of Northern Westchester. Potential Related Revenues: Annual Amount \$ 110,772 Describe: Grant from New York Presbyterian Hospital to provide summer youth employment and training services for 35 youth. **Anticipated Savings to County and/or Impact on Department Operations: Current Year:** \$0.00 Next Four years: Same as above Prepared by: Bernie Dean Reviewed By: **Budget Director** Title: Financial Coordinator B/10/21 Department: CEO/Youth Bureau If you need more space, please attach additional sheets.

AN ACT authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into inter-municipal agreements with the cities of Mount Vernon, New Rochelle, Ossining, Peekskill, and White Plains, through their respective youth bureaus, and the Town of Greenburgh, through its community center, pursuant to which the municipalities will provide summer youth employment and training services to eligible Westchester youth.

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Legislators of the County of Westchester as follows:

Section 1. The County of Westchester, acting by and through the Westchester County Youth Bureau ("County"), be and hereby is authorized to enter into inter-municipal agreements ("IMAs") with the cities of Mount Vernon, New Rochelle, Ossining, Peekskill, and White Plains, through their respective youth bureaus, and the Town of Greenburgh, through its community center ("Municipalities"), pursuant to which the Municipalities will provide summer youth employment and training services for up to 35 eligible Westchester youth between the ages 16-24 from families with low to moderate incomes. The term of each IMA will commence on July 13, 2021 and continue through September 30, 2021. Pursuant to the IMAs, the County shall reimburse the Municipalities a total aggregate amount not to exceed \$94,947.00.

- §2. The County Executive or his authorized designee is hereby empowered to execute all instruments and take all actions reasonable and necessary to effectuate the purposes hereof.
 - §3. This Act shall take effect immediately.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have compared the foregoing Act, Act No. 177 - 2021, with the original on file in my office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole, of the said original Act, which was duly adopted by the County Board of Legislators, of the County of Westchester on October 4, 2021, and approved by the County Executive on October 8, 2021.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Corporate Seal of said County Board of Legislators on this 14th day of October, 2021.

Malika Vanderberg

The Clerk of the Westchester County Board of Legislators

County of Westchester, New York

