

Seniors, Youth & Intergenerational Services

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Thursday, November 18, 2021 10:00 AM

Committee Room

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting joint with the Committee on Budget & Appropriations.

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With a quorum present, Chair Alvarado called the meeting to order at 11:25 AM. Others in Attendance: Y. Valencia, A. Restiano, A. Singh, Legislator Walter Remote: Legislator Borgia Commissioner Carpenter, Sandra Brown, Jeanne Pici, **Absent:** Legislator Boykin

Remote: Committee Chair Alvarado, Legislator Tubiolo, Legislator Williams and Committee Vice-Chair Woodson-Samuels

MINUTES APPROVAL

October 18, 2021 10:00 AM

I. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

1. ACT-2021-212 ACT-Enter into Grant Agreement with NYSOFA

AN ACT to authorize the County to enter into a grant agreement with the New York Office for the Aging to accept grant funds under the Consolidated Appropriations Act, HDC5 and Title III-C of the Older Americans Act and to enter into intermunicipal agreements with local municipalities for services to be funded pursuant to the grant.

Submitted by COMMITTEES ON BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS AND SENIORS, YOUTH & INTERGENERATIONAL SERVICES

Guests: Mae Carpenter, Commissioner Jeanne Pici, Deputy Commissioner Department of Senior Programs and Services

Commissioner Carpenterwas introduced and discussed the following, this ACT would authorize the County of Westchester acting by and through its Department of Senior Programs and Services to enter into a grant agreement with the New York State Office for the Aging (NYSOFA), to accept grant funds made available to the County under the Consolidated Appropriations Act, HDCS, for services to be provided in accordance with Title 111-C of the Older Americans Act (OAA), in the not to exceed amount of \$406,157 for the term retroactive to December 27, 2020 and through September 30, 2022.

The Grant funds may be used for any eligible service under New York State's Major Disaster Declaration ("MOD") until the date the MOD was lifted, and for the period after that date the funds must be utilized pursuant to Title IIIC-2 of the OAA requirements and include home-delivered nutrition services to help seniors remain in their homes and community The Act also authorizes the County enter into inter municipal agreements (IMAs) utilizing Grant funds, with the following municipal corporations as defined in Article 5-G of the New York State General Municipal Law and located within Westchester County, for the term retroactive to December 27, 2020 and through September 30, 2022:

Town of Cortlandt Town of Eastchester Town of Greenburgh Town of Mamaroneck Village/Town of Mount Kisco Town of Mount Pleasant City of Mount Vernon Town of New Castle **City of New Rochelle** Town of Ossining City of Peekskill Village of Port Chester Town of Somers City of White Plains City of Yonkers Town of Yorktown

Legislator Tubiolo asked to be in the affirmative for this item.

On motion of Committee Chair Alvarado, seconded by Legislator Williams, the above item was signed by committee. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: Committee Chair Alvarado, Legislator Tubiolo, Legislator Williams and Committee Vice-Chair Woodson-Samuels

Absent: Legislator Boykin

II. OTHER BUSINESS

III. RECEIVE & FILE

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Committee Chair Alvarado, seconded by Committee Vice-Chair Woodson-Samuels, the Committee adjourned at 11:30 AM.

- Aye: Committee Chair Alvarado, Legislator Tubiolo, Legislator Williams and Committee Vice-Chair Woodson-Samuels
- Absent: Legislator Boykin