# Seniors & Youth Meeting Agenda



Committee Chair: José Alvarado

800 Michaelian Office Bldg. 148 Martine Avenue, 8th Floor White Plains, NY 10601 www.westchesterlegislators.com

Monday, February 13, 2023

10:00 AM

**Committee Room** 

# CALL TO ORDER

Joint with Budget and Appropriations

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https://westchestercountyny.legistar.com/ This website also provides links to materials for all matters to be discussed at a given meeting.

Chairwoman Catherine Borgia will be participating remotely from Clear View School and Day Treatment Center, 480 Albany Post Road, Briarcliff, NY, 10510

# MINUTES APPROVAL

## October 26, 2022 at 10:30 AM Minutes

# I. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

## 2022-603 IMA-Sixth Grade Leadership Academy-Yonkers

AN ACT authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into an inter-municipal agreement with the City of Yonkers, for a Sixth Grade Leadership Academy program for the period commencing retroactively on July 1, 2022 and expiring on June 30, 2023 for total amount of TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND (\$200,000) DOLLARS.

# COMMITTEE REFERRAL: COMMITTEES ON BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS AND SENIORS & YOUTH

Joint with B&A

Guests: Westchester County Youth Bureau; Dr. DaMia-Harris Madden, Executive Director and Bernie Dean, Financial Administrator

## 2023-54 IMA-Services to Seniors-Yonkers & New Rochelle

AN ACT authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into inter-municipal agreements with the City of Yonkers and the City of New Rochelle for the provision of outreach and other services to seniors to be funded with County tax dollars. **COMMITTEE REFERRAL: COMMITTEES ON BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS AND** 

#### **SENIORS & YOUTH**

#### Joint with B&A

Guests: Department of Senior Programs & Services; Agnes Nowak, Director of Program Development and Sandra Brown, Director of Program Development

#### <u>ACT-Enter info Grant Agrmnt.-NYSOFA-Title III-B Fed. Grant Funds</u>

AN ACT authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into a grant agreement with the New York Office for the Aging to accept grant funds under Title III-B of the Older Americans Act and also to exercise the second of its four (4) one year renewal options under inter-municipal agreements with the City of New Rochelle and the City of Yonkers for information and assistance services.

# COMMITTEE REFERRAL: COMMITTEES ON BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS AND SENIORS & YOUTH

Joint with B&A

Guests: Department of Senior Programs & Services; Agnes Nowak, Director of Program Development and Sandra Brown, Director of Program Development

#### 2023-56 ACT-Enter into Grant Agrmnt.-NYSOFA-Various Fed. Grant Funding

AN ACT authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into grant agreements with the New York State Office for the Aging to accept grant funds under Titles III-B, III-C, Nutrition Services Incentive Program ("NSIP"), III-D and III-E of the Older Americans Act and also to enter into inter-municipal agreements with local municipalities for services to be funded by Titles III-B, III-C & NSIP grants under the Older Americans Act.

# COMMITTEE REFERRAL: COMMITTEES ON BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS AND SENIORS & YOUTH

#### Joint with B&A

Guests: Department of Senior Programs & Services; Agnes Nowak, Director of Program Development and Sandra Brown, Director of Program Development

## **II. OTHER BUSINESS**

## III. RECEIVE & FILE

## ADJOURNMENT



George Latimer County Executive

December 6, 2022

Westchester County Board of Legislators 800 Michaelian Office Building, Room 800 White Plains, NY 10601

Dear Honorable Members of the Board of Legislators:

Transmitted herewith for your review and approval is an Act which, if adopted by your Honorable Board, would authorize the County of Westchester ("County"), acting by and through its Youth Bureau ("Youth Bureau"), to enter into an inter-municipal agreement ("IMA") with the City of Yonkers ("Municipality"), acting by and through its Youth Bureau, pursuant to which the Municipality will provide a Sixth Grade Leadership Academy ("Program") which shall include, but be not limited to, transitioning sixth grade students into middle school through weekly lessons, guest instructors, and an end-of-the-year conference. The IMA would be for a term commencing retroactively on July 1, 2022 and expiring on June 30, 2023, in the total aggregate amount of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000) Dollars, comprised of an amount payable by the County not to exceed One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars, payable pursuant to an approved budget, and Municipality matching funds in the amount of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars.

The Sixth Grade Leadership Academy after-school program will be open to current Yonkers Youth who are in sixth grade preparing to transition into a new school to complete seventh and eighth grades. The program aims to teach youth how to develop their authentic self and leadership skills to ready them to enter a new middle school.

The curriculum will include weekly lessons that focus on self-development, leadership skills, etiquette, social skills, anti-bullying, academics, and mental health. Lessons will be taught by trained on-site staff and special guest instructors in various interactive and engaging methods.

The procurement of this IMA is exempt from the requirements of the Westchester County Procurement Policy and Procedures pursuant to Section 3(a) xviii of said Policy.

The Planning Department has advised that the proposed IMA does not meet the definition of an action under the 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 January 14, 2022, which is on file with the Clerk of your Honorable Board.

Based on the importance of this program, your favorable action on the proposed Act is respectfully requested.

Sincerely,

George Latimer County Executive

#### HONORABLE BOARD OF LEGISLATORS THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

Your Committee is in receipt of a communication from the County Executive recommending the adoption of an Act which, if approved by your Honorable Board, would authorize the County of Westchester ("County"), acting by and through its Youth Bureau ("Youth Bureau"), to enter into an inter-municipal agreement ("IMA") with the City of Yonkers (the "Municipality"), acting by and through its Youth Bureau, pursuant to which the Municipality will provide its Sixth Grade Leadership Academy ("Program") which shall include, but not be limited to, transitioning sixth grade students into middle school through weekly lessons, guest instructors, and an end-of-the-year conference. The IMA would be for a term commencing retroactively on July 1, 2022 and expiring on June 30, 2023, in the total aggregate amount of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000) Dollars, comprised of an amount payable by the County not to exceed One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars, payable pursuant to an approved budget, and Municipality matching funds in the amount of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars.

Your Committee is advised that the proposed IMA will benefit the Municipality and its Youth Bureau, by helping sixth grade students transition into middle school.

The procurement of this IMA is exempt from the requirements of the Westchester County Procurement Policy and Procedures pursuant to Section 3(a) xviii of said Policy.

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Your Committee has carefully considered this matter and recommends approval of the Act, noting that it requires not more than an affirmative vote of a majority of the members of your Honorable Board.

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Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 2022 White Plains, New York

### **COMMITTEE ON**

# **FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

SUBJECT: Yonkers YB-6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Leadership Academy
OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (To be completed by operating department and reviewed by Budget Department)
A) 🛛 GENERAL FUND 🗌 AIRPORT 🗌 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (Districts)
B) EXPENSES AND REVENUES
Total Current Year Cost \$ 100000
Total Current Year Revenue \$ 0
Source of Funds (check one): I Current Appropriations I Current Appropriations I Other (explain)
Identify Accounts: 101-11-0400-4380
Potential Related Operating Budget Expenses: Annual Amount \$ 100,000
Describe: The Youth Bureau will provide a Sixth Grade Leadership Academy Program which includes
transitioning sixth grade students into middle school through weekly lessons, guest instructor, and
an end-of-the-year conference
Potential Related Revenues: Annual Amount \$ 0
Describe:
Anticipated Savings to County and/or Impact on Department Operations:
Current Year: <u>\$0</u>
Next Four years: <u>n/a</u>
- // $0$
Prepared by: Bernie Dean
Title: <u>Financial Administrator</u> Budget Director
Department: CEO/Youth Bureau
12/0/02
If you need more space, please attach additional sheets.

#### ACT NO. \_\_\_\_-20\_\_

AN ACT authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into an inter-municipal agreement with the City of Yonkers, for a Sixth Grade Leadership Academy program for the period commencing retroactively on July 1, 2022 and expiring on June 30, 2023, for a total amount of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars.

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

**SECTION 1.** The County of Westchester ("County"), acting by and through its Youth Bureau, is hereby authorized to enter into an inter-municipal agreement ("IMA") with the City of Yonkers ("Municipality"), acting by and through its Youth Bureau, pursuant to which the Municipality will provide a Sixth Grade Leadership Academy ("Program") which shall include, but not be limited to, transitioning sixth grade students into middle school through weekly lessons, guest instructors, and an end-of-the-year conference for a term commencing retroactively on July 1, 2022 and expiring on June 30, 2023, in the total aggregate amount of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000) Dollars, comprised of an amount payable by the County not to exceed One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars, payable pursuant to an approved budget, and Municipality matching funds in the amount of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars.

§ 2. The County Executive or his duly authorized designee is hereby authorized and empowered to execute any and all documents appropriate and necessary to effectuate the purposes hereof.

§ 3. This Act shall take effect immediately.

#### **INTERMUNICIPAL AGREEMENT**

# THIS INTERMUNICIPAL AGREEMENT ("Agreement"), made the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022 by and between

THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER, a municipal corporation of the State of New York, having an office and place of business in the Michaelian Office Building, 148 Martine Avenue, White Plains, New York 10601, (hereinafter referred to as the "County"),

and

**CITY OF YONKERS,** a municipal corporation of the State of New York, having an office and place of business at 285 Nepperhan Avenue, Yonkers, New York 10701 (hereinafter referred to as the "Municipality").

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County, acting by and through its Youth Bureau, desires that the Municipality provide a Positive Youth Development program entitled "6th Grade Leadership Academy" (the "Program"); and

WHEREAS, the Municipality is willing to provide such Program, upon the terms and conditions set forth herein.; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and the covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto agree as follows:

**<u>FIRST</u>**: The Municipality shall provide the Program, as more fully described in Schedule "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof (the "Work").

**SECOND:** The term of this Agreement shall commence July 1, 2022 and terminate June 30, 2023, unless terminated earlier pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement.

The Municipality shall report to the County on its progress toward completing the Work, as the Director may request, and shall immediately inform the Director in writing of any cause for delay in the performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

<u>**THIRD:</u>** The *total* cost of the Work, including County funds and the Municipality contribution, shall not exceed Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000) Dollars. The cost of the Work shall be paid as follows:</u>

The Municipality shall contribute an amount not less than One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars to the Work. The Municipality's contribution shall be made in the form set forth in the approved budget, attached hereto as Schedule "B" and made a part hereof ("Budget"). The County shall reimburse the Municipality an amount not to exceed One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) Dollars, which the Municipality shall use to provide the Program as more particularly described in Schedule "A" and as budgeted in Schedule "B," payable quarterly, upon receipt and approval by the Office of the Westchester County Attorney of any claims submitted during such period of time.

Except as otherwise expressly stated in this Agreement, no payment shall be made by the County to the Municipality for out of pocket expenses or disbursements made in connection with the services rendered or the Work to be performed hereunder.

The Municipality shall provide the County with a report to be submitted within thirty (30) days of execution of this Agreement which shall set forth in detail the services performed under the Agreement, the activities, progress and accomplishments under the Agreement, the amount of funds expended for each task performed and the extent and manner in which the goals, objectives and standards established for the Agreement have been met by the Municipality. The above report shall be certified by an officer or director of the Municipality.

The County shall have the right, at its option and at its sole cost and expense, to audit such books and records of the Municipality as are reasonably pertinent to this Agreement to substantiate the basis for payment. The County may withhold payment of funds hereunder for cause found in the course of an audit or because of failure of the Municipality to cooperate with an audit. The County shall, in addition, have the right to audit such books and records subsequent to payment, if such audit is commenced within one (1) year following termination of this Agreement, and to perform random audits during the term of this Agreement. In the event an audit performed by the County reflects overpayment by the County or that monies were not fully expended or that monies were improperly expended, then the Municipality shall reimburse to the County the cost of such audit (if the audit was done by the County or on the County's behalf) and the amount of such overpayment, underpayment or improper payment, within thirty (30) days of notice from the County.

The Municipality further agrees to permit designated employees or agents of the County reasonable on-site inspection of the work being performed by the Municipality under this

Agreement, its books, accounts, financial audits and records and agrees to keep records necessary to disclose fully the receipt and disposition of funds received under this Agreement. Unless the County shall, in writing, advise the Municipality to the contrary, the Municipality shall retain all financial records related to this Agreement for a period of six years after the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

In no event shall final payment be made to the Municipality prior to completion of all services, the submission of reports and the approval of same by the County Executive or his duly authorized designee.

**FOURTH:** The Municipality understands and acknowledges that the County currently maintains a Vendor Document Repository at http://www.westchestergov.com/vendorportal (the "Repository") into which the Municipality may upload a scanned image of one or more of the schedules and/or supporting documents that the Municipality is required to provide to the County for this Agreement (the "Required Documents").

The Municipality further understands and acknowledges that if the Municipality chooses to use the Repository to provide to the County one or more of the Required Documents (each document so provided, a "Repository Document"):

- a.) The Municipality is doing so voluntarily, as required by New York State Technology Law Sections 305 and 309;
- b.) The Municipality represents and warrants that any and all information in each Repository Document is complete and accurate in all respects;
- c.) In the event that any information in a Repository Document must be changed, the Municipality shall upload an updated version of such document for this Agreement within ten (10) business days of the need for such change arising; and
- d.) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, the Municipality must, at a minimum, update each Repository Document at least once per calendar year.

**FIFTH**: The Municipality shall procure and maintain insurance coverage as specified in Exhibit "C" attached hereto and made a part hereof. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, the Municipality may provide proof of self-insurance in lieu of insurance policies. In addition to, and not in limitation of the insurance provisions contained in Schedule "C," the Municipality agrees:

(a) that except for the amount, if any, of damage contributed to, caused by, or resulting from the sole negligence of the County, the Municipality shall indemnify and hold harmless the County, its officers, employees, agents, and elected officials from and against any

and all liability, damage, claims, demands, costs, judgments, fees, attorney's fees or loss arising directly or indirectly out of the performance or failure to perform hereunder by the Municipality or third parties under the direction or control of the Municipality; and

(b) to provide defense for and defend, at its sole expense, any and all claims, demands or causes of action directly or indirectly arising out of this Agreement and to bear all other costs and expenses related thereto; and

(c) In the event the Municipality does not provide the above defense and indemnification to the County, and such refusal or denial to provide the above defense and indemnification is found to be in breach of this provision, then the Municipality shall reimburse the County's reasonable attorney's fees incurred in connection with the defense of any action, and in connection with enforcing this provision of the Agreement.

<u>SIXTH</u>: (a) The County reserves the right to cancel this Agreement on thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the Municipality when it deems it to be in its best interests to do so. In such event, the Municipality shall be compensated and the County shall be liable only for payment for services already rendered under this Agreement prior to the effective date of termination at the rates specified in Schedule "B."

In the event of a dispute as to the value of the services rendered by the Municipality prior to the date of termination, it is understood and agreed that the County shall determine the value of such services rendered by the Municipality. Such reasonable and good faith determination shall be accepted by the Municipality as final.

(b) In the event the County determines that there has been a material breach by the Municipality of any of the terms of the Agreement and such breach remains uncured for ten (10) days after service on the Municipality of written notice thereof, the County, in addition to any other right or remedy it might have, may terminate this Agreement and the Director shall have the right, power and authority to complete the services provided for in this Agreement, or contract for their completion, and any additional expense or cost of such completion shall be charged to and paid by the Municipality. Notice hereunder shall be effective on the date of receipt.

**SEVENTH:** The Municipality shall comply, at its own expense, with the provisions of all applicable state and municipal requirements and with all state and federal laws applicable to this Agreement and the Municipality.

**<u>EIGHTH</u>**: The Agreement shall not be enforceable unless signed by the parties and approved by the Office of the County Attorney.

**NINTH:** The parties recognize and acknowledge that the obligations of the County under this Agreement are subject to annual appropriations by its Board of Legislators pursuant to the Laws of Westchester County. Therefore, this Agreement shall be deemed executory only to the extent of the monies appropriated and available. The County shall have no liability under this Agreement beyond funds appropriated and available for payment pursuant to this Agreement. The parties understand and intend that the obligation of the County hereunder shall constitute a current expense of the County and shall not in any way be construed to be a debt of the County in contravention of any applicable constitutional or statutory limitations or requirements concerning the creation of indebtedness by the County, nor shall anything contained in this Agreement constitute a pledge of the general tax revenues, funds or moneys of the County. The County shall pay amounts due under this Agreement exclusively from legally available funds appropriated for this purpose. The County shall retain the right, upon the occurrence of the adoption of any County Budget by its Board of Legislators during the term of this Agreement or any amendments thereto, and for a reasonable period of time after such adoption(s), to conduct an analysis of the impacts of any such County Budget on County finances. After such analysis, the County shall retain the right to either terminate this Agreement or to renegotiate the amounts and rates set forth herein. If the County subsequently offers to pay a reduced amount to the Municipality, then the Municipality shall have the right to terminate this Agreement upon reasonable prior written notice.

This Agreement is also subject to further financial analysis of the impact of any New York State Budget (the "State Budget") proposed and adopted during the term of this Agreement. The County shall retain the right, upon the occurrence of any release by the Governor of a proposed State Budget and/or the adoption of a State Budget or any amendments thereto, and for a reasonable period of time after such release(s) or adoption(s), to conduct an analysis of the impacts of any such State Budget on County finances. After such analysis, the County shall retain the right

to either terminate this Agreement or to renegotiate the amounts and rates approved herein. If the County subsequently offers to pay a reduced amount to the Municipality, then the Municipality shall have the right to terminate this Agreement upon reasonable prior written notice.

<u>TENTH</u>: All notices given pursuant to this Agreement shall be in writing and effective on mailing. All notices shall be sent by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested and mailed to the following addresses:

To the County: Executive Director – Youth Bureau 112 E. Post Road, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor White Plains, New York 10601

with a copy to:

County Attorney Michaelian Office Building, Room 600 148 Martine Avenue White Plains, New York 10601

to the Municipality:

City of Yonkers 285 Nepperhan Avenue, Yonkers, New York 10701

or to such other addresses as may be specified by the parties hereto in writing.

**ELEVENTH**: Failure of the County to insist, in any one or more instances, upon strict performance of any term or condition herein contained shall not be deemed a waiver or relinquishment of such term or condition, but the same shall remain in full force and effect. Acceptance by the County of any Work or the payment of any fee or reimbursement due hereunder with knowledge of a breach of any term or condition hereof, shall not be deemed a waiver of any such breach and no waiver by the County of any provision hereof shall be implied.

**TWELFTH:** This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and shall supersede all previous negotiations, comments and writings. It shall not be released, discharged, changed or modified except by an instrument in writing signed by a duly authorized representative of each of the parties.

In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Agreement and the terms of any schedule or attachment hereto, it is understood that the terms of this Agreement shall be controlling with respect to any interpretation of the meaning and intent of the parties.

**THIRTEENTH**: This Agreement is entered into solely between, and may be enforced only by, the County and the Municipality and shall not be deemed to create any rights in third parties, or to create any obligations of a party to any such third parties.

**FOURTEENTH**: The Municipality shall not delegate any duties or assign any of its rights under this Agreement without the prior express written consent of the County. The Municipality shall not subcontract any part of the Work without the express written consent of the County, subject to any necessary legal approvals. Any purported delegation of duties, assignment of rights or subcontracting of Work under this Agreement without the prior express written consent of the County is void. All subcontracts that have received such prior written consent shall provide that subcontractors are subject to all terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. It is recognized and understood by the Municipality that for the purposes of this Agreement, all Work performed by a County-approved subcontractor shall be deemed Work performed by the Municipality and the Municipality shall insure that such subcontracted work is subject to the material terms and conditions of this Agreement. All subcontracts for the Work shall expressly reference the subcontractor's duty to comply with the material terms and conditions of this Agreement and shall attach a copy of the County's contract with the Municipality. The Municipality shall obtain a written acknowledgement from the owner and/or chief executive of subcontractor or his/her duly authorized representative that the subcontractor has received a copy of the County's contract, read it and is familiar with the material terms and conditions thereof. The Municipality shall include provisions in its subcontracts designed to ensure that the Municipality and/or its auditor has the right to examine all relevant books, records, documents or electronic data of the subcontractor necessary to review the subcontractor's compliance with the material terms and conditions of this Agreement.

**<u>FIFTEENTH</u>**: The Municipality expressly agrees that neither it nor any contractor, subcontractor, employee, or any other person acting on its behalf shall discriminate against or

intimidate any employee or other individual on the basis of race, creed, religion, color, gender, age, national origin, ethnicity, alienage or citizenship status, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, familial status, genetic predisposition or carrier status during the term of or in connection with this Agreement, as those terms may be defined in Chapter 700 of the Laws of Westchester County. The Municipality acknowledges and understands that the County maintains a zero tolerance policy prohibiting all forms of harassment or discrimination against its employees by co-workers, supervisors, vendors, contractors, or others.

**<u>SIXTEENTH</u>**: This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the Laws of the State of New York.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the County and the Municipality have caused this Agreement to be executed:



By: \_\_\_\_

Name: Kenneth W. Jenkins Title: Acting County Executive

#### THE CITY OF YONKERS

Bv.	
Name:	
Title:	

Approved by the Westchester County Board of Legislators of the County of Westchester by Act No. xxxx.

Approved:

Assistant County Attorney The County of Westchester

#### MUNICIPALITY ACKNOWLEDGMENT (Municipal Corporation)

STATE OF NEW YORK SS.: COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER) On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_ , 20\_\_\_\_, before me personally came to me known, and known to me to be the of , the corporation described in and which executed the within instrument, who being by me duly sworn did depose and say that he/she, the said resides at and

that he/she is \_\_\_\_\_

of said corporation and knows the corporate seal of the said corporation; that the seal affixed to the within instrument is such corporate seal and that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation, and that he/she signed his name thereto by like order.

Notary Public

## CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY (Municipality)

I,(Officer other than officer	, certify that I am the
(Officer other than officer	signing contract)
	of the
(Title)	of the(Name of Municipality)
(the "Municipality") a corporation duly	y organized in good standing under the
(Law under which organized, e.g., the	New York Village Law, Town Law, General Municipal Law
named in the foregoing agreement that	(Person executing agreement)
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who signed said agreement on behalf of	of the Municipality was, at the time of execution
	of the Municipality,
(Title of such perso	on),
that said agreement was duly signed fo	or on behalf of said Municipality by authority of its
	thereunto duly authorized,
(Town Board, Village Board, C	ity Council)
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and that such authority is in full force a	and effect at the date hereof.
	(Signature)
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STATE OF NEW YORK	)
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COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER	)
On this <u>day of</u>	_, 20, before me personally came
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#### **SCHEDULE "A"**

#### PROGRAM TITLE: 6th Grade Leadership Academy

#### **PROJECTED TOTAL PROGRAM ENROLLMENT: 80**

Middle school is the period in a student's life that takes place after elementary school and before high school. Many of our Yonkers Schools end at 6<sup>th</sup> grade and our students are transferred to a new school to complete 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade, before entering high school. The Yonkers Youth Bureau recognizes that students in sixth grade are transitioning into adolescence, and as such have different physical, emotional, and cognitive needs.

The Yonkers Youth Bureau will host an 8 week after-school program to help 6<sup>th</sup> graders transition into middle school. We will teach them how to develop their authentic self and leadership skills to ready them to enter new middle school.

The curriculum will include weekly lessons that focus on self-development, leadership skills, etiquette, social skills, antibullying, academics and mental health. Lessons will be taught by (trained) on-site staff and special guest instructors, in various interactive and engaging ways to prevent boredom.

End of program / end of year: 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Leadership Academy Conference / Field Trip to allow all the participants to meet each other and test out new skills learned. This conference will take place outside of Yonkers. Transportation, lunch, and snacks will be included.

PROGR	AM SITES- Most significant (3 Ma	ximum)			
Туре	Address (Street, City, State, Zip)	Assembly District #	NYS Senate District #	Local Planning Board	City Council District
School	School 9 (53 Fairview St., Yonkers)				
School	School 22 (1480 Nepperhan Ave., Yonkers)				
Center	Nodine Hill Community Ctr. (140 Fillmore Ave., Yonkers)				

# Use whole numbers when entering information for Gender, Ethnicity, Ages, and Target Population areas, NOT percentages.

GENDER OF PR	OGRAM PARTI	CIPANTS:	(Enter number participants per g	ender)	MALE	30	FEMALE	50
ETHNICITY: (Enter number	WHITE	<u>10</u>	BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN	<u>35</u>	HISPA	NIC OR O	20	
of participants per ethnic	AMERICAN IN	IDIAN OR /	LASKAN NATIVE	1	ASIA	N	5	
group)	NATIVE HAW	Alian or C	OTHER PACIFIC		TWO	OR E RACES	<u>; 10</u>	

AGES	0-4	5-9	
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	POPULATION SERVING DISCONNECTE er of participants per population described)		No 🗆	Yes <b>□*At risk youth</b>
IF "YES",	Youth aging out of foster care	Children of i	ncarcerated par	ents
Youth in the ju	ovenule justice system who re-enter the commun	nity Run	away and Home	eless Youth

1. Physical & Psychological Safety: Safe and health-promoting facilities; practices that increase safe peer group interaction and decrease unsafe or confrontational peer interactions.

This program will take place at a City owned facility and will adhere to NYS DOH, City of Yonkers, and COVID19 safety requirements. Trained staff will ensure a psychologically safe environment and monitor daily peer-to-peer interactions. Parents will be required to sign permission slips and share any important medical information. Youth participants and parents will be asked to sign code of conduct form that outlines the program rules and expected behavior, during the program.

2. Appropriate Structure: Limit setting; clear and consistent rules and expectations; firm enough control; continuity and predictability; clear boundaries; age appropriate monitoring.

Trained Youth Bureau staff / supervisors will ensure appropriate boundaries and expectations for all participants. Youth participants and parents will be required to sign a code of conduct form that outlines the program rules and expectations.

 Supportive Relationship: Warmth; closeness; connectedness; good communication; caring; support; guidance; secure attachment; responsiveness.

Youth Bureau will be onsite to be caring and responsible role models. We will speak with each participant 1:1 and their parent to get to know them better. This will help foster a healthy and supportive relationship, during and after the program.

4. Opportunities to Belong: Opportunities for meaningful inclusion, regardless of one's gender; ethnicity; sexual orientation, or disabilities; social inclusion; social engagement, and integration; opportunities for socio-cultural identity formation; support for cultural and bicultural competence.

This program will be open to current Yonkers Youth who are in 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Program sites will be: onsite at schools, community centers and possibly libraries. The various sites will allow us to reach more youth.

5. Positive Social Norms: Rules of behavior; expectations; injunctions; ways of doing things; values and morals; obligations for service.

Youth participants will be required to sign code of a code of conduct form that outlines the program rules and expectations. We remind the participants the rules and expectations throughout the program.

6. Support for Efficacy & Mattering: Youth-based; empowerment practices that support autonomy; making a real difference in one's community, and being taken seriously. Practices that include enabling, responsibility granting, and meaningful challenge. Practices that focus on improvement rather than on relative current performance levels.

This leadership program will provide positive youth based practices that will focus on building leadership skills. During 1:1 meetings with each participant we will learn more about them helping us to build relationships. We will discuss program goals, their personal goals with respects to development, leadership, and community. The program will also have an end of program day conference outside of Yonkers.

7. Opportunities for Skill Building: Opportunities to learn physical, intellectual, psychological, emotional, and social skills; exposure to intentional learning experiences, opportunities to learn cultural literacy, communication skills and good habits of mind; preparation for adult employment, and opportunities to develop social and cultural capital.

This program will provide numerous opportunities for skill building and leadership development. Activities include, but not limited to: team building & leadership exercises, role-playing scenarios, mental health, physical endurance and family/care taker involvement.

8. Integration of Family, School, & Community Efforts: Concordance; coordination and synergy among family, school, and community.

There is a Parent/Caregiver session which allows an opportunity for the Youth's Caregiver to participate; providing peer support and open conversations. The family participation is key to the success of this program and ensuring skills are retained.

#### Monitoring and Evaluation Methods

9. Monitoring Methods: Monitoring is defined as a systematic review of a funded program based upon the requirements of a contract, rules, regulations, policies, and/or State and Local Laws. It identifies the degree to which a program or operation accomplishes the activities specified in a contract/ application, and how it complies with requirements. Describe your process to be used to monitor on a regular basis. Include who will be responsible, frequency, and documentation of monitoring activities.

We will have various monitoring methods in place:

- 1:1 conversations to learn about personalities and leadership skills
- Leadership programs within that will focus on results
- Ongoing trainer team meetings will ensure program goals are met at each session

10. Evaluation Methods: Evaluation methods are the process to determine the value or amount of success in achieving a predetermined program or operational goal. Evaluations can identify program strengths and weaknesses in order to improve the program. Evaluations can verify if the program is really running as originally planned. Describe the process to be used to evaluate the attainment of the objectives. Include what will be measured, who will conduct the evaluation, when it will be conducted, and how the results will be used.

We will have various evaluations methods in place:

- Parent and student evaluation questionnaires
- Youth participant end of program meetings
- Daily trainer meetings will ensure program goals are being meet (end of night)

NEW YORK STA DFFICE OF CHILDREN AND F INDIVIDUAL PROGRAM A Program Summary-Program	AMILY SERVICES	IMPLEMENTING AGENCY Yonkers Youth Bureau PROGRAM TITLE Sth Grade Leadership Academy
LIFE AREA: (ENTER CODE AND DESCRIPTION)	3ED	Education
GOAL CODE: (Enter code and description)	31	Children will leave school prepared to live, learn and work in a Community as contributing members of society.
OBJECTIVE: (ENTER CODE AND DESCRIPTION)	312	Students will stay in school until successful completion.
SOS: (Enter code and description)	312	Dropout Prevention Services: A program or service designed to support the retention of all students, and the prevention of dropouts from the most at-risk youth. These may include but are not limited to learning disabilities, bilingual education, alternative education, and other programs or services geared toward retention.
Performance Measures: (ENT	ER CODE AND DESCRIPT	ION)
How Much:	0311A.1	80 of youth participating (unduplicated)
How Well:	03128.1	85% of staff with positive youth development training and/or with a Higher education
Better Off:	0312C.1	75 / 95% of youth remaining in school



For the Period of Operation July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023	Contract #: "To Be Assigned"
Agency/Municipality Name: Yonkers Youth Bureau	Program Title: 6th grade Middle School Leadership Academy

#### **SCHEDULE "B"**

#### 1. PERSONAL SERVICES

Position Title	Rate of Pay	Basis (H,W,BW, SM)	Total Program Amount	Total Funds Requested for this Program
Youth Bureau Program Director	50 00	н	5,000	
Program Manager	35.00	Н	35,000	
Program Manager / Lead Instructor	60 00	н	20,000	
Program Assistants (2)	25 00	н	30,000	
Instructors (8)	40 00	Н	60,000	
	TOTAL SALAR	IES AND WAGES	150,000	
		RINGE BENEFITS	\$ 150,000	

#### 2. CONTRACTED SERVICES AND STIPENDS

Type of Service or Consultant Title	Rate of Pay	Base (S,M,HR)	Total Program Amount
Pamela Bond - Authenticity Coach	\$1,000	S	5,000
Stipends/Participant	\$150	S	12,000
Special Guest Speakers	\$1,000	S	3,000
TOTAL CONTRACT	ED SERVICES AN	D STIPENDS (2)	\$ 20,000

#### 3. MAINTENANCE & OPERATION

Program Amount	Complete Attachment "E"
30,000	TOTAL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION (3)
200,000	TOTAL PROGRAM AMOUNT

PR	OGRAM TOTAL BUDGET - ATTACHMENT E	
AGENCY/MUNICIPALITY NAME: Yonkers Youth Bureau		
PROGRAM TITLE: - 6th Grade Leadership Academy		
	MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION	
A	Il Other Expenses Except Facility Repairs)	
ITEM	LIST DESCRIPTIONS	ANOUNT
Program Supplies	Program Supplies (books, handouts, etc.)   apparrel	\$ 7,500
Maintenance/Equipment Repairs		
Equipment Rentals		
Equipment Purchases		
Space Rentals (Indicate Rate/Basis/Type; MUST attach a voucher or copy of rental agreement to request reimburaement)	End of Season Conference - Venue Rental (w/ Food)	\$ 3,000
Travel - (Include "Mileage Rate - "current 2014 rate is: () \$0.56 per mile; and is subject to change)	Conference Buses   Student Transportation, Mileage	\$ 3,000
Insurance		
Ublices and Telephones		
Other Costs	Program Food & Beverage	\$ 16,500
	3. TOTAL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION	\$ 30,000
Add additional	Information below; attach additional sheet if necessary	



#### SCHEDULE "C" STANDARD INSURANCE PROVISIONS (Youth & Human Services)

1. Prior to commencing work, and throughout the term of the Agreement, the Municipality shall obtain at its own cost and expense the required insurance as delineated below from insurance companies licensed in the State of New York, carrying a Best's financial rating of A or better. The Municipality shall provide evidence of such insurance to the County of Westchester ("County"), either by providing a copy of policies and/or certificates as may be required and approved by the Director of Risk Management of the County ("Director"). The policies or certificates thereof shall provide that ten (10) days prior to cancellation or material change in the policy, notices of same shall be given to the Director either by overnight mail or personal delivery for all of the following stated insurance policies. All notices shall name the Municipality and identify the Agreement.

If at any time any of the policies required herein shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Director, as to form or substance, or if a company issuing any such policy shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Director, the Municipality shall upon notice to that effect from the County, promptly obtain a new policy, and submit the policy or the certificate as requested by the Director to the Office of Risk Management of the County for approval by the Director. Upon failure of the Municipality to furnish, deliver and maintain such insurance, the Agreement, at the election of the County, may be declared suspended, discontinued or terminated.

Failure of the Municipality to take out, maintain, or the taking out or maintenance of any required insurance, shall not relieve the Municipality from any liability under the Agreement, nor shall the insurance requirements be construed to conflict with or otherwise limit the contractual obligations of the Municipality concerning indemnification.

All property losses shall be made payable to the "County of Westchester" and adjusted with the appropriate County personnel.

In the event that claims, for which the County may be liable, in excess of the insured amounts provided herein are filed by reason of Municipality's negligent acts or omissions under the Agreement or by virtue of the provisions of the labor law or other statute or any other reason, the amount of excess of such claims or any portion thereof, may be withheld from payment due or to become due the Municipality until such time as the Municipality shall furnish such additional security covering such claims in form satisfactory to the Director.

In the event of any loss, if the Municipality maintains broader coverage and/or higher limits than the minimums identified herein, the County shall be entitled to the broader coverage and/or higher limits maintained by the Municipality. Any available insurance proceeds in excess of the specified minimum limits of insurance and coverage shall be available to the County.

2. The Municipality shall provide proof of the following coverage (if additional coverage is required for a specific agreement, those requirements will be described in the Agreement):

a) Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability. Certificate form C-105.2 or State Fund Insurance Company form U-26.3 is required for proof of compliance with the New York State Workers' Compensation Law. State Workers' Compensation Board form DB-120.1 is required for proof of compliance with the New York State Disability Benefits Law. Location of operation shall be "All locations in Westchester County, New York."

Where an applicant claims to not be required to carry either a Workers' Compensation Policy or Disability Benefits Policy, or both, the employer must complete NYS form CE-200, available to download at: <u>http://www.wcb.ny.gov</u>.

If the employer is self-insured for Workers' Compensation, he/she should present a certificate from the New York State Worker's Compensation Board evidencing that fact (Either SI-12, Certificate of Workers' Compensation Self-Insurance, or GSI-105.2, Certificate of Participation in Workers' Compensation Group Self-Insurance).

b) Commercial General Liability Insurance with a combined single limit of \$1,000,000 (c.s.1) per occurrence and a \$2,000,000 aggregate limit naming the "County of Westchester" as an additional insured on a primary and non-contributory basis. This insurance shall include the following coverages:

i.Premises - Operations.
ii.Broad Form Contractual.
iii. Independent Contractor and Sub-Contractor.
iv.Products and Completed Operations.

c) Commercial Umbrella/Excess Insurance: \$2,000,000 each Occurrence and Aggregate naming the "County of Westchester" as additional insured, written on a "follow the form" basis.

NOTE: Additional insured status shall be provided by standard or other endorsement that extends coverage to the County of Westchester for both on-going and completed operations.

d) Automobile Liability Insurance with a minimum limit of liability per occurrence of \$1,000,000 for bodily injury and a minimum limit of \$100,000 per occurrence for property damage or a combined single limit of \$1,000,000 unless otherwise indicated in the contract specifications. This insurance shall include for bodily injury and property damage the following coverages and name the "County of Westchester" as additional insured:

- i. Owned automobiles.
- ii. Hired automobiles.
- iii. Non-owned automobiles.

e) Abuse and Molestation Liability, either by separate policy of insurance or through endorsement to the General Liability Policy or Professional Liability Policy. (Limits of \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence/2,000,000 aggregate). This insurance shall include coverage for the following, including coverage for client on client, counselor client, and third parties:

- i. Misconduct
- ii. Abuse (including both physical and sexual)
- iii. Molestation
- 3. All policies of the Municipality shall be endorsed to contain the following clauses:

a) Insurers shall have no right to recovery or subrogation against the County (including its employees and other agents and agencies), it being the intention of the parties that the insurance policies so effected shall protect both parties and be primary coverage for any and all losses covered by the above-described insurance.

b) The clause "other insurance provisions" in a policy in which the County is named as an insured, shall not apply to the County.

c) The insurance companies issuing the policy or policies shall have no recourse against the County (including its agents and agencies as aforesaid) for payment of any premiums or for assessments under any form of policy.

d) Any and all deductibles in the above described insurance policies shall be assumed by and be for the account of, and at the sole risk of, the Municipality.



Memorandum

Office of the County Executive Michaelian Office Building

February 2, 2023

TO:	Hon. Catherine Borgia, Chair
	Hon. Nancy Barr, Vice Chair
	Hon. Christopher Johnson, Majority Leader
	Hon. Margaret Cunzio, Minority Leader
FROM:	George Latimer

RE: Message Requesting Immediate Consideration: Act - IMAs – Services to Seniors – Yonkers and New Rochelle.

This will confirm my request that the Board of Legislators allow submission of the referenced communication to be submitted to the Board of Legislators February 6, 2023 Agenda.

Transmitted herewith for your review and approval is an act (the "Act") which, if adopted, would authorize the County of Westchester (the "County"), acting by and through its Department of Senior Programs and Services (the "Department"), to enter into inter-municipal agreements ("IMAs") with the City of Yonkers and the City of New Rochelle.

Therefore, since this communication is of the utmost importance, it is respectfully submitted that the County Board of Legislators accepts this submission for February 6, 2023 "blue sheet" calendar.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.



George Latimer County Executive

February 2, 2023

Westchester County Board of Legislators 800 Michaelian Office Building 148 Martine Avenue White Plains, New York 10601

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The programs and services to be provided under the IMAs include the Livable Communities Regional Host services program which provides outreach to residents to participate in and access programs and services provided by the Department; and public information/education that is provided through meetings, educational forums and events at which residents are educated and informed about the Department's myriad programs and services that are designed to enhance the quality of life for Westchester seniors to allow them to remain in their homes and community.

Your Honorable Board has previously approved similar legislation pursuant to Act No. 35 - 2022. However, the existing authorization expired on December 31, 2022 and a new authorization will be needed to enter into new agreements.

It should be noted that the IMAs are exempt from the Westchester County Procurement Policy pursuant to section 3(a)iii thereof which exempts contracts with "... any State and any political subdivision, agency or instrumentality thereof." They are also exempt pursuant to section 3(a)xix of the Policy which exempts "any procurement for the purpose of entering into a contract with persons to provide direct services to senior citizens."

The Planning Department has advised that based on its review, the proposed IMAs described above do not meet the definition of an "action" under the State Environmental Quality Review Act, 6 NYCRR part 617. As such, no environmental review is required. Please refer to the memorandum from the Department of Planning dated January 12, 2023, which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Legislators.

The proposed IMAs are intended to benefit the County by assisting in the provision of taxfunded services to its residents. Accordingly, I believe the proposed IMAs are in the best interest of the County and, therefore, recommend your favorable action on the annexed proposed Act.

Sincerely,

Tatur ue ' M George Latimer

George Latimer County Executive

GL/MC/SJ/jpg Attachments

#### HONORABLE BOARD OF LEGISLATORS THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

Your Committee is in receipt of a communication from the County Executive recommending the approval of an act (the "Act") which, if adopted, would authorize the County of Westchester (the "County"), acting by and through its Department of Senior Programs and Services (the "Department"), to enter into inter-municipal agreements ("IMAs") with the City of Yonkers and the City of New Rochelle, acting by and through their respective Offices for the Aging (the "Municipalities"), pursuant to which the Municipalities will provide outreach and other services to seniors to be funded with County tax dollars. The term of the proposed IMAs will commence retroactive to January 1, 2023 and continue through December 31, 2023. In no event will the total aggregate not-to-exceed amount payable for both IMAs exceed the sum of \$30,000, payable pursuant to approved budgets.

Your Committee is advised that the programs and services to be provided under the IMAs include the Livable Communities Regional Hosts services program which provides outreach to residents to participate in and access programs and services provided by the Department; and public information/education that is provided through meetings, educational forums and events at which residents are educated and informed about the Department's myriad programs and services that are designed to enhance the quality of life for Westchester seniors to allow them to remain in their homes and community.

Your Committee notes that this Honorable Board passed similar authorizing legislation pursuant to Act No. 35 - 2022. However, the existing authorization expired on December 31, 2022 and a new authorization will be needed to enter into new agreements.

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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 Act is necessary to effectively carry out this worthwhile program. Accordingly, after due consideration, your Committee recommends adoption of the annexed Act.

Dated: , 2023 White Plains, New York

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**COMMITTEE ON** 

# **FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

SUBJECT: County Funds INO FISCAL' IMPACT PROJECTED		
OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (To be completed by operating department and reviewed by Budget Department)		
A) 🛛 GENERAL FUND 🗌 AIRPORT 🗌 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (Districts)		
B) EXPENSES AND REVENUES		
Total Current Year Cost \$ 30000		
Total Current Year Revenue \$ 30000         Source of Funds (check one):       Image: Current Appropriations		
Transfer of Existing Appropriations Additional Appropriations Other (explain)		
Identify Accounts: 263 85 T686 4380		
– Potential Related Operating Budget Expenses: Annual Amount \$ 0		
Describe:		
Potential Related Revenues: Annual Amount \$ 30000		
Describe: Funds received from the County for various programs and services for Westchester County		
senior citizens.		
Anticipated Savings to County and/or Impact on Department Operations:		
Current Year: The Department would not be able to provide senior services including Livable		
Communities Outreach and public information/education		
Next Four years:		
Estimated to be same as above each year.		
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Prepared by: Sandra Brown		
Title: Director of Program Development II Budget Director		
Department: Senior Programs & Svcs.		
If you need more space, please attach additional sheets.		

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AN ACT authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into inter-municipal agreements with the City of Yonkers and the City of New Rochelle for the provision of outreach and other services to seniors to be funded with County tax dollars

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

Section 1. The County of Westchester be and hereby is authorized to enter into intermunicipal agreements ("IMAs") with the City of Yonkers and the City of New Rochelle, acting by and through their respective Offices for the Aging (the "Municipalities"), pursuant to which the Municipalities will provide outreach and other services to seniors to be funded with County tax dollars, for a term commencing on January 1, 2023 and continuing through December 31, 2023, in a total aggregate amount not-to-exceed \$30,000 for both IMAs, payable pursuant to approved budgets.

§2. The programs and services to be provided under the IMAs will include the Livable Communities Regional Host services program which provides outreach to residents to participate in and access programs and services provided by the Department; and public information/education that is provided through meetings, educational forums and events at which residents are educated and informed about the Department's myriad programs and services that are designed to enhance the quality of life for Westchester seniors to allow them to remain in their homes and community.

§3. The contract amounts allocated for each IMA shall be determined at the discretion of the Commissioner of the Department of Senior Services and Programs.

§4. 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.

§5. This Act shall take effect immediately.

THIS INTER-MUNICIPAL AGREEMENT ("Agreement" or "IMA" made this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2023 by and between:

**THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER**, a municipal corporation of the State of New York, having an office and place of business in the Michaelian Office Building, 148 Martine Avenue, White Plains, New York, 10601 (hereinafter referred to as the "County")

and

CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_, a municipal corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York, having an office and principal place of at

(hereinafter referred to as the "Municipality" and together with the County hereinafter referred to as the "Parties")

# WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County desires to provide Livable Community Regional Host Services to elderly residents of the County (hereinafter the "Services" or "Work"); and

WHEREAS, the Municipality desires to perform said Services upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

WHEREAS, the Municipality is an agency duly licensed to provide such Services and the County desires to retain the Municipality to provide such Services.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the terms, conditions, covenants,

and agreements contained herein, the Parties agree as follows:

1. The Municipality shall provide the Services as described in Schedule "C", which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

2. For the Services rendered pursuant to Paragraph 1, the Municipality shall be paid an amount not to exceed \_\_\_\_\_\_ DOLLARS (\$\_\_\_\_\_), subject to appropriations and payable pursuant to an approved budget amount indicated in Schedule "B" that is attached hereto, and made a part hereof, after the County has

received any and all supporting documentation the County may require and the same has been approved by the Commissioner of the Department of Senior Programs and Services or her duly authorized designee (the "Commissioner"). Payment shall be made only for expenses actually incurred and paid by the Municipality, which shall be subject to downward adjustment by the County based upon actual Services rendered by the Municipality during the term of the Agreement. The foregoing obligation of the County is conditioned upon compliance by the Municipality with all the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement.

The Parties understand and acknowledge that the Municipality may, during the term of this Agreement, wish to seek a modification to the Budget. The Parties agree that the Municipality may seek a Budget modification by submitting a request either, a.) in writing, if the Budget is attached to this Agreement, or b.) through the Vendor Portal's Budget Module, if the Budget is a Repository Document. The Municipality understands, acknowledges, and agrees that no Budget modification shall take effect unless and until the Commissioner has consented to that Budget modification request; that the Commissioner shall not be required to consent to any Budget modification request; and that all decisions by the Commissioner regarding Budget modification requests are final.

Any and all requests for payment to be made, including any requests for partial payment made in proportion to the Services rendered, shall be submitted by the Municipality on properly executed payment vouchers of the County and paid only after approval by the Commissioner. In no event shall final payment be made to the Municipality prior to the completion of all Services, the submission of reports and the approval of same by the Commissioner.

All payment vouchers must be accompanied by a numbered invoice and must contain the invoice number where indicated. All invoices submitted during each calendar year shall utilize consecutive numbering and be non-repeating.

Except as otherwise expressly stated in this Agreement, no payment shall be made by the County to the Municipality for out-of-pocket expenses or disbursements

made in connection with the Services rendered or the Services to be rendered hereunder.

3. The term of this Agreement shall commence retroactive to January 1, 2023 and expire on or about December 31, 2023, unless terminated sooner pursuant to the provisions hereof.

Payment shall be made on a monthly basis, upon submission by the Municipality of claims or vouchers and such supporting documentation as the County may require, and approval of the same by the Commissioner.

The Parties recognize and acknowledge that the obligations of the County under this Agreement are subject to annual appropriations by its Board of Legislators pursuant to the Laws of Westchester County. Therefore, this Agreement shall be deemed executory only to the extent of the monies appropriated and available. The County shall have no liability under this Agreement beyond funds appropriated and available for payment pursuant to this Agreement. The Parties understand and intend that the obligation of the County hereunder shall constitute a current expense of the County and shall not in any way be construed to be a debt of the County in contravention of any applicable constitutional or statutory limitations or requirements concerning the creation of indebtedness by the County, nor shall anything contained in this Agreement constitute a pledge of the general tax revenues, funds or monies of the County. The County shall pay amounts due under this Agreement exclusively from legally available funds appropriated for this purpose. The County shall retain the right, upon the occurrence of the adoption of any County Budget by its Board of Legislators during the term of this Agreement or any amendments thereto, and for a reasonable period of time after such adoption(s), to conduct an analysis of the impacts of any such County Budget on County finances. After such analysis, the County shall retain the right to either terminate this Agreement or to renegotiate the amounts and rates set forth herein. If the County subsequently offers to pay a reduced amount to the Municipality, then the Municipality shall have the right to terminate this Agreement upon reasonable prior written notice.

This Agreement is also subject to further financial analysis of the impact of any New York State Budget (the "State Budget") proposed and adopted during the term of this Agreement. The County shall retain the right, upon the occurrence of any release by the Governor of a proposed State Budget and/or the adoption of a State Budget or any amendments thereto, and for a reasonable period of time after such release(s) or adoption(s), to conduct an analysis of the impacts of any such State Budget on County finances. After such analysis, the County shall retain the right to either terminate this Agreement or to renegotiate the amounts and rates approved herein. If the County subsequently offers to pay a reduced amount to the Municipality, then the Municipality shall have the right to terminate this Agreement upon reasonable prior written notice.

4. The Municipality shall comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws, rules, regulations and ordinances and any amendments thereto.

In addition, the Municipality shall cause to be prominently posted, on the site where Services hereunder are to be provided, a statement regarding nondiscrimination, which statement shall be similar in form to the following:

> "In compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1975 and Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act and New York State Executive Law and orders, no persons will be denied service or access to service based upon race, creed, color, national origin, religion, marital status, sexual orientation, genetic predisposition, carrier status, or handicapping condition."

5. The Municipality expressly agrees neither it nor any contractor, subcontractor, employee or any other person acting on its behalf shall discriminate against or intimidate any employee or other individual on the basis of race, creed, religion, color, gender, age, national origin, ethnicity, alienage or citizenship status, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, familial status, genetic predisposition or carrier status during the term of or in connection with this Agreement, as those terms may be defined in Chapter 700 of the Laws of Westchester County. The Municipality acknowledges and understands that the County maintains a zero tolerance policy prohibiting all forms of harassment or discrimination against its employees by co-workers, supervisors, vendors, contractors, or others.

6. (a) There shall be no partisan political activity in connection with this Agreement, including (i) candidate endorsements (ii) registration activities which are partisan in nature (iii) scheduled meetings of services recipients with public officials or candidates unless event is open on an equal basis to all candidates and officials regardless of policy views or partisan affiliation. This does not preclude the legitimate right of elected officials and other community leaders to visit programs in their areas.

(b) The Municipality shall ensure that any services to be provided under this Agreement shall be secular in nature and scope and in no event shall there be any sectarian or religious services, counseling, proselytizing, instruction or other sectarian, religious influence undertaken in connection with the provision of such services. The Municipality shall refrain from using funds to advance any sectarian effort.

7. The Municipality shall not delegate any duties or assign any of its rights under this Agreement without the prior express written consent of the County. The Municipality shall not subcontract any part of the Services without the written consent of the County, subject to any necessary legal approvals. Any purported delegation of duties, assignment of rights or subcontracting of Services under this Agreement without the prior express written consent of the County is void. All subcontracts that have received such prior written consent shall provide that subcontractors are subject to all terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. It is recognized and understood by the Municipality that for the purposes of this Agreement, all Services performed by a County-approved subcontractor shall be deemed Services performed by the Municipality and the Municipality shall insure that such subcontracted work are subject to the material terms and conditions of this Agreement. All subcontracts for the Services shall expressly reference the subcontractor's duty to comply with the material terms and conditions of this Agreement and shall attach a copy of the County's contract with the Municipality. The Municipality shall obtain a written acknowledgement from the owner and/or chief executive of subcontractor or his/her duly authorized representative that the

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subcontractor has received a copy of the County's Agreement, read it and is familiar with the material terms and conditions thereof. The Municipality shall include provisions in its subcontracts designed to ensure that the Municipality and/or its auditor has the right to examine all relevant books, records, documents or electronic data of the subcontractor necessary to review the subcontractor's compliance with the material terms and conditions of this Agreement.

If the Municipality enters into subcontracts for the performance of Services pursuant to this Agreement, the Municipality shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the County under this Agreement or the Area Agency Plan as approved by NYSOFA. It shall be the responsibility of the Municipality to monitor and assess the activities performed under such subcontracts, and to ensure that these activities are provided in accordance with all applicable requirements contained in this Agreement and federal and state law.

The Municipality agrees that, to the extent it or its subcontractors, if any, maintains personal information relating to applicants or recipients of Services pursuant to this Agreement, such information will be kept confidential and shared with the County; or with other entities upon the consent of applicant, recipient or an authorized representative of the applicant or recipient; or as required by federal or state laws.

8. The Municipality must attempt to provide Services to low-income minority older individuals in at least the same proportion as the population of low income minority older individuals bears to the population of older individuals in the area served by such Municipality.

9. Statistical information and supporting documentation concerning the Services rendered hereunder shall be provided to the County by the Municipality on request of the County.

Documentation of reports and expenses shall include, without limiting the right to require additional documentation: invoices for all purchases, payroll time records,

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payroll records for local support contribution, municipal payment vouchers for governmental agencies, and canceled checks for private agencies as applicable.

The Programmatic monthly reporting system for Service Delivery Information and Service Recipient Information must be submitted using our electronic based system. Until further notice, the Municipality is required to mail in the PEERPLACE ELECTRONIC PAPER REPORT and or other approved reporting measure, signed by the staff member responsible for the report. The reports should be received by the County no later than the tenth (10th) day of the following month and/or entered on the website at the same time. The Municipality understands and agrees that submission of the monthly report by the deadline set forth above constitutes a material element of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment to Municipality for its failure to submit the monthly report by the deadline, until such time as the monthly report is received by the County. Repeated failures by Municipality to submit the monthly report by the stated deadline will constitute a material breach of this Agreement justifying termination for cause as provided in Paragraph "14" hereof.

The Municipality shall furnish the County with copies of all insurance agreements relating to the Services provided by the Municipality hereunder.

10. The Municipality shall comply with the insurance requirements set forth in Schedule "A". In addition to, and not in limitation of, the insurance provisions of this Agreement, the Municipality agrees:

(a) that except for the amount, if any, of damage contributed to, caused by or resulting from the sole negligence of the County, the Municipality shall indemnify and hold harmless the County, its officers, employees and agents from and against any and all liability, damage, claims, demands, costs, judgments, fees, attorneys' fees or loss arising directly or indirectly out of the performance or failure to perform hereunder by the Municipality or third parties under the direction or control of the Municipality; and (b) to provide defense for and defend, at its sole expense, any and all claims, demands or causes of action directly or indirectly arising out of this Agreement and to bear all other costs and expenses related thereto; and

(c) In the event the Municipality does not provide the above defense and indemnification to the County, and such refusal or denial to provide the above defense and indemnification is found to be in breach of this provision, then the Municipality shall reimburse the County's reasonable attorney's fees incurred in connection with the defense of any action, and in connection with enforcing this provision of the Agreement.

(d) the Municipality may provide proof of self-insurance in lieu of insurance policies.

11. The Municipality agrees that any program, public information materials, or other printed or published materials on the Services which is supported with County funds will give due recognition to the Department.

12. The Municipality shall be solely responsible for any over expenditure of funds and the County shall not be responsible or liable for any such over expenditure.

13. The Municipality shall provide adequate qualified and trained personnel for supervision and fiscal management of the Work.

14. (a) The County, upon ten (10) days' notice to the Municipality, may terminate this Agreement in whole or in part when the County deems it to be in its best interest. In such event, the Municipality shall be compensated and the County shall be liable only for payment for Services already rendered under this Agreement prior to the effective date of termination in accordance with the Budget set forth in Schedule "B". Upon receipt of notice that the County is terminating this Agreement in its best interests, the Municipality shall stop Services immediately and incur no further costs in furtherance of this Agreement without the express approval of the Commissioner, and the Municipality shall direct any approved subcontractors to do the same.

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In the event of a dispute as to the value of the Services rendered by the Municipality prior to the date of termination, it is understood and agreed that the Commissioner shall determine the value of such Work rendered by the Municipality. The Municipality shall accept such reasonable and good faith determination as final.

(b) In the event the County determines that there has been a material breach by the Municipality of any of the terms of the Agreement and such breach remains uncured for forty-eight (48) hours after service on the Municipality of written notice thereof, the County, in addition to any other right or remedy it might have, may terminate this Agreement and the County shall have the right, power and authority to complete the Work provided for in this Agreement, or contract for its completion, and any additional expense or cost of such completion shall be charged to and paid by the Municipality. Without limiting the foregoing, upon written notice to the Municipality, repeated breaches by the Municipality of duties or obligations under this Agreement shall be deemed a material breach of this Agreement justifying termination for cause hereunder without requirement for further opportunity to cure.

15. The failure of the County to insist, in any one or more instances, upon a strict performance of any of the terms, covenants, agreements and conditions of this Agreement, shall not be considered as a waiver or relinquishment for the future of such covenant, but the same shall continue and remain in full force and effect.

16. All notices of any nature referred to in this Agreement shall be in writing and either sent by registered or certified mail postage pre-paid, or sent by hand or overnight courier, or sent by facsimile (with acknowledgment received and a copy of the notice sent by overnight courier), to the respective addresses set forth below or to such other addresses as the respective Parties hereto may designate in writing. Notice shall be effective on the date of receipt.

To the Municipality:

To the County:

Commissioner Department of Senior Programs and Services 9 South First Avenue, 10th Floor Mount Vernon, New York 10550-3414

with a copy to:

County Attorney Michaelian Office Building, Room 600 148 Martine Avenue White Plains, New York 10601

17. The Municipality represents and warrants that it has not employed or retained any person, other than a bona fide full time salaried employee working solely for the Municipality, to solicit or secure this agreement, and that it has not paid or agreed to pay any person (other than payments of fixed salary to a bona fide full time salaried employee working solely for the Municipality), any fee, commission, percentage, gift or other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this agreement. For the breach or violation of this provision, without limiting any other rights or remedies to which the County may be entitled or any civil or criminal penalty to which any violator may be liable, the County shall have the right, in its discretion, to terminate this agreement without liability, and to deduct from the contract price, or otherwise to recover, the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, gift or consideration.

18. Attached hereto and forming part hereof is the schedule listed below. Simultaneous with its execution of this Agreement, the Municipality shall provide the County with a completed copy of each schedule. The Municipality agrees that the terms of each of these schedules has been accepted and agreed-to by the Municipality by virtue of its execution of this Agreement, and the Municipality represents and warrants that it has completed each of these schedules accurately and completely.

Schedule "D" — "Vendor Direct Program - Electronic Funds Transfer"

All payments made by the County to the Municipality will be made by electronic funds transfer ("EFT") pursuant to the County's Vendor Direct Program. If the Municipality acknowledges is already enrolled in the submit

an EFT Authorization Form as part of this Agreement. (In rare cases, a hardship waiver may be granted. For a Hardship Waiver Request Form, the Municipality understands that it must contact the County's Finance Department.)

If the Municipality is already enrolled in the Vendor Direct Program, the Municipality hereby agrees to immediately notify the County's Finance Department in writing if the EFT Authorization Form on file must be changed, and provide an updated version of the document.

19. This base agreement and its attachments constitute the entire Agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and shall supersede all previous negotiations, commitments and writings. It shall not be released, discharged, changed or modified except by an instrument in writing, signed by a duly authorized representative of each of the Parties. If there is a conflict between the terms of this base agreement and the terms of any attachment, the terms of this base agreement will prevail.

20. The Municipality hereby represents that, if operating under an assumed name, it has filed the necessary certificate pursuant to New York State General Business Law Section 130.

21. This Agreement may be executed simultaneously in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument. This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of New York State. In addition, the Parties hereby agree that any cause of action arising out of this Agreement shall be brought in the County.

If any term or provision of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or void or unenforceable, the remainder of the terms and provisions of this Agreement shall in no way be affected, impaired, or invalidated, and to the extent permitted by applicable law, any such term, or provision shall be restricted in applicability or reformed to the minimum extent required for such to be enforceable. This provision shall be interpreted and enforced to give effect to the original written intent of the Parties prior to the determination of such invalidity or unenforceability

22 This Agreement shall not be enforceable until signed by all parties and approved by the Office of the County Attorney

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have executed this

Agreement.

## THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

Ву:
Mae Carpenter, Commissioner
Dept. Senior Programs and Services
MUNICIPALITY:
By:(Signature)
(Signature)
<u> </u>
(Name)
(Title)

Approved by the Westchester County Board of Legislators pursuant to Act No. \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

Approved by:

Sr. Assistant County Attorney The County of Westchester

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF NEW YORK ) SS.: COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER)

On the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year 2023 before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared

\_\_\_\_\_\_, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument; and, acknowledged if operating under any trade name, that the certificate required by the New York State General Business Law Section 130 has been filed as required therein.

Signature and Office of individual taking acknowledgement

## CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY (MUNICIPALITY)

J,
(Official other than official signing Agreement)
certify that I am the of (Title)
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a Municipal Corporation duly organized and in good standing under the laws of the State of New
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who signed said Agreement on behalf of the(Name of Municipality)
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and that said Agreement was duly signed for and on behalf of said Municipal Corporation by authority of its governing board, thereunto duly authorized and that such authority is in full force and effect at the date hereof.
STATE OF NEW YORK ) ) ss.:
COUNTY OF ) on the day of in the year 2023 before me, the undersigned, a
Notary Public in and for said State,personally appeared, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the officer described in and who executed the above certificate, who being by me duly sworn did depose and say that he/she resides at, and he/she is an officer of said municipal corporation; that he/she is duly authorized to execute said certificate on behalf of said corporation, and that he/she signed his/her name thereto pursuant to such authority.

Notary Public Date:

#### SCHEDULE "A"

#### INSURANCE PROVISIONS (Municipality)

1. Prior to commencing Work, and throughout the term of the Agreement, the Municipality shall obtain at its own cost and expense the required insurance as delineated below from insurance companies licensed in the State of New York, carrying a Best's financial rating of A or better. Municipality shall provide evidence of such insurance to the County of Westchester ("County"), either by providing a copy of policies and/or certificates as may be required and approved by the Director of Risk Management of the County ("Director"). The policies or certificates thereof shall provide that ten (10) days prior to cancellation or material change in the policy, notices of same shall be given to the Director either by overnight mail or personal delivery for all of the following stated insurance policies. All notices shall name the Municipality and identify the Agreement.

If at any time any of the policies required herein shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Director, as to form or substance, or if a company issuing any such policy shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Director, the Municipality shall upon notice to that effect from the County, promptly obtain a new policy, and submit the policy or the certificate as requested by the Director to the Office of Risk Management of the County for approval by the Director. Upon failure of the Municipality to furnish, deliver and maintain such insurance, the Agreement, at the election of the County, may be declared suspended, discontinued or terminated.

Failure of the Municipality to take out, maintain, or the taking out or maintenance of any required insurance, shall not relieve the Municipality from any liability under the Agreement, nor shall the insurance requirements be construed to conflict with or otherwise limit the contractual obligations of the Municipality concerning indemnification.

All property losses shall be made payable to the "County of Westchester" and adjusted with the appropriate County personnel.

In the event that claims, for which the County may be liable, in excess of the insured amounts provided herein are filed by reason of Municipality's negligent acts or omissions under the Agreement or by virtue of the provisions of the labor law or other statute or any other reason, the amount of excess of such claims or any portion thereof, may be withheld from payment due or to become due the Municipality until such time as the Municipality shall furnish such additional security covering such claims in form satisfactory to the Director.

In the event of any loss, if the Municipality maintains broader coverage and/or higher limits than the minimums identified herein, the County shall be entitled to the broader coverage and/or higher limits maintained by the Municipality. Any available insurance proceeds in excess of the specified minimum limits of insurance and coverage shall be available to the County.

2 The Municipality shall provide proof of the following coverage (if additional coverage is required for a specific agreement, those requirements will be described in the Agreement):

a) Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability. Certificate form C-105.2 or State Fund Insurance Company form U-26.3 is required for proof of compliance with the New York State Workers' Compensation Law. State Workers' Compensation Board form DB-120.1 is required for proof of compliance with the New York State Disability Benefits Law. Location of operation shall be "All locations in Westchester County, New York." Where an applicant claims to not be required to carry either a Workers' Compensation Policy or Disability Benefits Policy, or both, the employer must complete NYS form CE-200, available to download at: <u>http://www.wcb.ny.gov</u>.

If the employer is self-insured for Workers' Compensation, he/she should present a certificate from the New York State Worker's Compensation Board evidencing that fact (Either SI-12, Certificate of Workers' Compensation Self-Insurance, or GSI-105.2, Certificate of Participation in Workers' Compensation Group Self-Insurance).

b) Commercial General Liability Insurance with a combined single limit of \$1,000,000 (c.s.1) per occurrence and a \$2,000,000 aggregate limit naming the "County of Westchester" as an additional insured on a primary and non-contributory basis. This insurance shall include the following coverages:

i.Premises - Operations. ii.Broad Form Contractual. iii.Independent Contractor and Sub-Contractor. iv.Products and Completed Operations.

c) Commercial Umbrella/Excess Insurance: \$2,000,000 each Occurrence and Aggregate naming the "County of Westchester" as additional insured, written on a "follow the form" basis.

NOTE: Additional insured status shall be provided by standard or other endorsement that extends coverage to the County of Westchester for both on-going and completed operations.

All Contracts involving the use of explosives, demolition and/or underground work shall provide proof that XCU is covered.

- d) Automobile Liability Insurance with a minimum limit of liability per occurrence of \$1,000,000 for bodily injury and a minimum limit of \$100,000 per occurrence for property damage or a combined single limit of \$1,000,000 unless otherwise indicated in the contract specifications. This insurance shall include for bodily injury and property damage the following coverages and name the "County of Westchester" as additional insured:
  - (i) Owned automobiles.
  - (ii) Hired automobiles.
  - (iii) Non-owned automobiles.
  - 3. All policies of the Municipality shall be endorsed to contain the following clauses:

(a) Insurers shall have no right to recovery or subrogation against the County (including its employees and other agents and agencies), it being the intention of the Parties that the insurance policies so effected shall protect both Parties and be primary coverage for any and all losses covered by the above-described insurance.

(b) The clause "other insurance provisions" in a policy in which the County is named as an insured, shall not apply to the County.

(c) The insurance companies issuing the policy or policies shall have no recourse against the County (including its agents and agencies as aforesaid) for payment of any premiums or for assessments under any form of policy.

(d) Any and all deductibles in the above described insurance policies shall be assumed by and be for the account of, and at the sole risk of, the Municipality.

#### Important information for Municipalities and Insurance Brokers:

(The below is required for all insurance certificates)

For Additionally Insured & Waiver of Subrogation status on an ACORD certificate:

## a. Check off the additional insured (ADDL INSD)<u>and</u> waiver of subrogation (SUBR WVD) boxes next to the following policies:

- Commercial General Liability
- Automobile Liability
- Umbrella/Excess Liability

<u>And input the following language into Description of Operations box: "Certificate holder is included as additional insured on a primary & non-contributory basis"</u>

## OR

#### b. Input following language into Description of Operations box:

"Certificate holder is included as additional insured on a primary & non-contributory basis under the Commercial General Liability, Automobile Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability policies. All policies include a waiver of subrogation in favor of the certificate holder applies as required by written contract"

\*For insurance certificates other than ACORD or with no check boxes please use option b\*



## SCHEDULE "D"

## Westchester County Vendor Direct Program Frequently Asked Questions

## 1. WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF THE ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER (EFT) ASSOCIATED WITH THE VENDOR DIRECT PROGRAM?

There are several advantages to having your payments automatically deposited into your designated bank account via EFT:

Payments are secure – Paper checks can be lost in the mail or stolen, but money deposited directly into your bank account is more secure.

You save time – Money deposited into your bank account is automatic. You save the time of preparing and delivering the deposit to the bank. Additionally, the funds are immediately available to you.

#### 2. ARE MY PAYMENTS GOING TO BE PROCESSED ON THE SAME SCHEDULE AS THEY WERE BEFORE VENDOR DIRECT? Yes.

## 3. HOW QUICKLY WILL A PAYMENT BE DEPOSITED INTO MY ACCOUNT?

Payments are deposited two business days after the voucher/invoice is processed. Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays are not considered business days.

# 4. HOW WILL I KNOW WHEN THE PAYMENT IS IN MY BANK ACCOUNT AND WHAT IT IS FOR?

Under the Vendor Direct Program, you will receive an e-mail notification two days prior to the day the payment will be credited to your designated account. The e-mail notification will come in the form of a remittance advice with the same information that currently appears on your check stub, and will contain the date that the funds will be credited to your account.

## 5. WHAT IF THERE IS A DISCREPANCY IN THE AMOUNT RECEIVED?

Please contact your Westchester County representative as you would have in the past if there were a discrepancy on a check received.

#### 6. WHAT IF I DO NOT RECEIVE THE MONEY IN MY DESIGNATED BANK ACCOUNT ON THE DATE INDICATED IN THE E-MAIL?

In the unlikely event that this occurs, please contact the Westchester County Accounts Payable Department at 914-995-4708.

## 7. WHAT MUST I DO IF I CHANGE MY BANK OR MY ACCOUNT NUMBER?

Whenever you change any information or close your account a new Vendor Direct Payment Authorization Form must be submitted. Please contact the Westchester County Accounts Payable Department at 914-995-4708 and we will e-mail you a new form.

#### 8. WHEN COMPLETING THE PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION FORM, WHY MUST I HAVE IT SIGNED BY A BANK OFFICIAL IF I DON'T INCLUDE A VOIDED CHECK?

This is to ensure the authenticity of the account being set up to receive your payments.

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ISTRUCTIONS: Please complete both sections of this Authorization form and attach a voided check. See the reverse for more information and instructions. If you previously submitted this form and there is no change to the information previously submitted, ONLY complete lines 1 through 6 of section 1.

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## Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) Vendor Direct Payment Authorization Form

#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

Please complete both sections of the Vendor Direct Payment Authorization Form and forward the completed form (along with a voided check for the account to which you want your payments credited) to: Westchester County Department of Finance, 148 Martine Ave, Room 720, White Plains, NY 10601, Attention: Vendor Direct. Please see item 14 below regarding attachment of a voided check.

#### Section I - VENDOR INFORMATION

- 1. Provide the name of the vendor as it appears on the W-9 form.
- 2. Enter the vendor's Taxpayer ID number or Social Security Number as it appears on the W-9 form.
- 3. Enter the vendor's complete primary address (not a P.O. Box).
- 4. Provide the name and telephone number of the vendor's contact person.
- 5. Enter the business e-mail address for the remittance notification. THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT. This is the e-mail address that we will use to send you notification and remittance information two days prior to the payment being credited to your bank account. We suggest that you provide a group mailbox (if applicable) for your e-mail address. You may also designate multiple e-mail addresses.
- 6. Please have an authorized Payee/Company official sign and date the form and include his/her title.

#### Section II - FINANCIAL INSTITUTION INFORMATION

- 7. Provide bank's name.
- 8. Provide the complete address of your bank.
- 9. Enter your bank's 9 digit routing transit number.
- 10. Indicate the type of account (check one box only).
- 11. Enter the vendor's bank account number.
- 12. Enter the title of the vendor's account.
- 13. Provide the name and telephone number of your bank contact person.
- 14. If you are directing your payments to a Savings Account OR you can not attach a voided check for your checking account, this line needs to be completed and signed by an authorized bank official. IF YOU DO ATTACH A VOIDED CHECK FOR A CHECKING ACCOUNT, YOU MAY LEAVE THIS LINE BLANK.

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Memorandum

Office of the County Executive Michaelian Office Building

February 2, 2023

TO:	Hon. Catherine Borgia, Chair
	Hon. Nancy Barr, Vice Chair
	Hon. Christopher Johnson, Majority Leader
	Hon. Margaret Cunzio, Minority Leader
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Westchester County Executive FROM:

RE: Message Requesting Immediate Consideration: Act – Enter into Grant Agreement w/NYSOFA to Accept Title III-B Federal Grant Funds.

This will confirm my request that the Board of Legislators allow submission of the referenced communication to be submitted to the Board of Legislators February 6, 2023 Agenda.

Transmitted herewith for your review and approval is an Act which, if adopted by your Honorable Board, would authorize the County of Westchester (the "County"), acting by and through its Department of Senior Programs and Services (the "Department"), to enter into a grant agreement (the "Grant Agreement") with the New York State Office for the Aging ("NYSOFA") to accept grant funds made available to the County under Title III-B of the Older Americans Act ("OAA"),

Therefore, since this communication is of the utmost importance, it is respectfully submitted that the County Board of Legislators accepts this submission for February 6, 2023 "blue sheet" calendar.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.



George Latimer County Executive

February 2, 2023

Westchester County Board of Legislators 800 Michaelian Office Building 148 Martine Avenue White Plains, New York 10601

Dear Honorable Members of the Board of Legislators:

Transmitted herewith for your review and approval is an Act which, if adopted by your Honorable Board, would authorize the County of Westchester (the "County"), acting by and through its Department of Senior Programs and Services (the "Department"), to enter into a grant agreement (the "Grant Agreement") with the New York State Office for the Aging ("NYSOFA") to accept grant funds made available to the County under Title III-B of the Older Americans Act ("OAA"), in the total aggregate not-to-exceed amount of \$60,465. The Grant Agreement will be for a term commencing retroactive to January 1, 2023 and continuing through December 31, 2023. Additionally, authority is requested for the County to exercise the second of its four (4) one-year renewal options, under inter-municipal agreements ("IMAs") with the City of New Rochelle and the City of Yonkers for services to be funded under the Grant Agreement, in the total aggregate not-to-exceed amount of \$60,465, for a term commencing retroactive to January 1, 2023 and continuing through December 31, 2023 (the "Second Extension Term"). It should be noted that the amount allocated under each IMA for the Second Extension Term will be determined at the discretion of the Commissioner of the Department of Senior Programs and Services.

The services to be provided under the IMAs with the funds received under the Grant Agreement are information and assistance services to help seniors remain in their homes and community (the "Services").

Your Honorable Board is advised that the Department has complied with the Westchester County Procurement Policy and Procedures (the "Policy"), noting that the Grant Agreement with NYSOFA does not constitute a procurement, and that the IMAs are exempt from the Policy pursuant to section 3(a) iii thereof which exempts contracts with "... any State and any political subdivision, agency or instrumentality thereof." The IMAs are also exempt pursuant to section 3(a) xix of the Policy, which exempts "any procurement for the purpose of entering into a contract with persons to provide direct services to senior citizens."

Although procurement for these Services is exempt from the Policy, these Services are funded with Federal grant monies, and, as such, are subject to Federal procurement requirements (the "Federal Regulations"), pursuant to Section 13 of the Policy. The Federal Regulations (2 CFR§ 200.320), require that contracts in amounts greater than \$10,000 and up to \$250,000, be procured by obtaining price or rate quotations from an adequate number of qualified sources, unless such contracts are deemed to be "non-competitive" procurements. In furtherance of this requirement, on November 12, 2020, the Department issued a request for proposal ("RFP") seeking qualified

entities to provide the Services. Two (2) proposals were received in response to the RFP, one from the City of New Rochelle and the other from the City of Yonkers. After reviewing the proposals with reference to the evaluation criteria set forth in the RFP, your Honorable Board, by Act No. 82-2021, awarded IMAs to both municipalities for an initial term commencing on January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021, with four (4) one-year renewal options, exercisable at the County's option. The IMAs were subsequently executed.

Thereafter, your Honorable Board, by Act No. 36-2022, authorized the County to exercise the first of its four (4) one-year renewal options under the IMAs to extend the term of each IMA for an additional year commencing retroactive to January 1, 2022 and continuing through December 31, 2022 (the "First Extension Term"). The IMAs for the First Extension Term were subsequently executed with each municipality.

The County has determined that it will require the Services to continue for an additional year, from January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023. However, the Federal Regulations (2 CFR§ 200.324 (a)), further require grantees to perform a price or cost analysis in order to test the market before exercising a renewal option. Accordingly, the County, through the Department, obtained price quotes for the Services from other potential service providers. Following this process, the Department is satisfied that the prices to be paid by the County to the City of New Rochelle and the City of Yonkers are reasonable. Accordingly, authority from your Honorable Board is requested to exercise the second of its four (4) one-year renewal options to renew the IMAs with the City of New Rochelle and the City of Yonkers for the Department 1, 2023 and continuing through December 31, 2023.

The Planning Department has advised that based on its review, the proposed agreements with NYSOFA and the proposed IMAs described above do not meet the definition of an "action" under the State Environmental Quality Review Act, 6 NYCRR part 617. As such, no environmental review is required. Please refer to the memorandum from the Department of Planning dated January 12, 2023, which is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Legislators.

The proposed Grant Agreement with NYSOFA and the IMAs are intended to benefit the County by assisting in the provision of grant-funded services to County residents. Accordingly, I believe the proposed Grant Agreement with NYSOFA and the proposed IMA extensions are in the best interest of the County and, therefore, recommend your favorable action on the annexed proposed Act.

Sincerely,

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George Latimer County Executive

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#### HONORABLE BOARD OF LEGISLATORS THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

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Your Committee is advised that the services to be provided under the IMAs with the funds received under the Grant Agreement are information and assistance services to help seniors remain in their homes and community (the "Services").

Your Committee is advised that the Department has complied with the Westchester County Procurement Policy and Procedures (the "Policy"), noting that the Grant Agreement with NYSOFA does not constitute a procurement and that the IMAs are exempt from the Policy pursuant to section 3(a) iii thereof which exempts contracts with "... any State and any political subdivision, agency or instrumentality thereof." The IMAs are also exempt pursuant to section 3(a) xix of the Policy, which exempts "any procurement for the purpose of entering into a contract with persons to provide direct services to senior citizens."

Your Committee is further advised that although procurement for these Services are exempt from the Policy, these Services are funded with Federal grant monies and, as such, are subject to Federal procurement requirements (the "Federal Regulations"), pursuant to Section 13 of the Policy. The Federal Regulations (2 CFR§ 200.320), require that contracts in amounts greater than \$10,000 and up to \$250,000, be procured by obtaining price or rate quotations from an adequate number of qualified sources, unless such contracts are deemed to be "non-competitive" procurements. In furtherance of this requirement, on November 12, 2020, the Department issued a request for proposal ("RFP") seeking qualified entities to provide the Services. Two (2) proposals were received in response to the RFP, one from the City of New Rochelle and the other from the City of Yonkers. After reviewing the proposals with reference to the evaluation criteria set forth in the RFP, your Honorable Board, by Act No. 82-2021, awarded IMAs to both municipalities for an initial term commencing on January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021, with four (4) one-year renewal options exercisable at the County's option. The IMAs were subsequently executed.

Thereafter, your Honorable Board, by Act No. 36-2022, authorized the County to exercise the first of its four (4) one-year renewal options under the IMAs to extend the terms thereof for an additional year commencing retroactive to January 1, 2022 and continuing through December 31, 2022 (the "First Extension Term"). The IMAs for the First Extension Term were subsequently executed with each municipality.

The County has determined that it will require the Services to continue for an additional year, from January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023. However, the Federal Regulations (2 CFR§ 200.324 (a)), further require grantees to perform a price or cost analysis in order to test the market before exercising a renewal option. Accordingly, the County, through the Department, obtained price quotes for the Services from other potential service providers. Following this process, the Department is satisfied that the prices to be paid by the County to the City of New Rochelle and the City of Yonkers are reasonable. Accordingly, authority from your Honorable Board is requested to exercise the second of its four (4) one-year renewal options to renew the IMAs with the City of New Rochelle and the City of Yonkers for the Department 1, 2023 and continuing through December 31, 2023.

The Planning Department has advised that based on its review, the proposed agreement with NYSOFA and the proposed Second Extension Term under each IMA do not meet the definition of an "action" under the State Environmental Quality Review Act, 6 NYCRR part 617. As such, no environmental review is required. Please refer to the memorandum from the Department of Planning dated January 12, 2023, 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 believes that adoption of the proposed Act is necessary to effectively carry out this worthwhile program. Accordingly, after due consideration, your Committee recommends adoption of the annexed Act.

Dated: , 2023 White Plains, New York

**COMMITTEE ON** 

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## **FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

SUBJECT: IIIB - for NR & Yonkers I & A Svcs only	NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED					
OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (To be completed by operating department and reviewed by Budget Department)						
A) 🖾 GENERAL FUND	SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (Districts)					
B) EXPENSES AND REVENUES						
Total Current Year Cost \$ 60465						
Total Current Year Revenue \$ 60465						
Source of Funds (check one): Current Appropria						
Transfer of Existing Appropriations Additional Identify Accounts: <u>101-24-4957</u>	al Appropriations					
<u>263-85-T686</u>						
	Annual Amount \$ 0					
Describe:						
Potential Related Revenues: Annual Amount \$ 6046	<u>36</u>					
Describe: Funding received from the Federal Governme	ent under the Older American's Act.					
Anticipated Savings to County and/or Impact on Depar	Construction and end of a second state of the second state of t					
	provide Information & Assistance to Seniors					
in Westchester.						
Next Four years:						
Estimated to be same as above each year.						
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Prepared by: Sandra_Brown	NReviewed By: Mhan a Jam					
Title: Director of Program Development II	Budget Director					
Department: Senior Programs & Svcs.	2/1/23					
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AN ACT authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into a grant agreement with the New York State Office for the Aging to accept grant funds under Title III-B of the Older Americans Act and also to exercise the second of its four (4) one-year renewal options under inter-municipal agreements with the City of New Rochelle and the City of Yonkers for information and assistance services

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

Section 1. The County of Westchester (the "County") be and hereby is authorized to enter into a grant agreement (the "Grant Agreement") with the New York State Office for the Aging ("NYSOFA") to accept grant funds made available to the County under Title III-B of the Older Americans Act ("OAA") to provide information and assistance services to seniors (the "Services"), in the total aggregate not-to-exceed amount of \$60,465. The Grant Agreement will be for a term commencing retroactive to January 1, 2023 and continuing through December 31, 2023.

§2. The County is further authorized to exercise the second of its four (4) one-year renewal options under inter-municipal agreements ("IMAs") with the City of New Rochelle and the City of Yonkers, for the Services to be funded under the Grant Agreement, in the total aggregate not-to-exceed amount of \$60,465, for a term commencing retroactive to January 1, 2023 and continuing through December 31, 2023 (the "Second Extension Term").

§3. The amount of funding allocated for each IMA under the Second Extension Term shall be determined at the discretion of the Commissioner of the Department of Senior Services and Programs.

§4. 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.

§5. This Act shall take effect immediately.

THIS SECOND AMENDMENT made the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023 by and between:

**THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER**, a municipal corporation of the State of New York, having an office and place of business in the Michaelian Office Building, 148 Martine Avenue, White Plains, New York, 10601 (hereinafter referred to as the "County")

and

THE CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_\_, a municipal corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York, having an office and principal place of business at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(hereinafter referred to as the "Municipality" and the Municipality and the County shall be collectively referred to as the "Parties")

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County and the Municipality entered into that certain agreement ("Agreement"), dated on or about July 19, 2021, whereby the Municipality agreed to provide Information and Assistance services in accordance with Title I, Section 102(28) and Title III, Part B, Section 321 (a)(3) of the Older Americans Act, as amended, and its implementing regulations, 45 CFR Part 1321 et seq. ("OAA"), and New York State Office for the Aging ("NYSOFA") Program Instruction No. 14-PI-02 (the "Program"), for the period from January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021 (the "Initial Term"), for an amount not to exceed <u>\$</u> in federal funds, with the County having the option to renew the Agreement for up to four (4) additional extension terms of one (1) year each (each an "Extension Term"); and

WHEREAS, the Parties entered into a first amendment to the Agreement ("First Amendment") pursuant to which the County, among other things, exercised the first of its four (4) options to extend the term of the Agreement for the period from January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022 for an amount not-to-exceed \$\_\_\_\_\_ (the "First Extension Term"); and

WHEREAS, the Parties now desire to enter into this second amendment ("Second Amendment") to the Agreement so that the County may, among other things, exercise the second of its four (4) options to extend the term of the Agreement for the period from January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023 for an amount not-to-exceed \$\_\_\_\_\_ (the "Second Extension Term"); and

WHEREAS, the County has received authority from the Westchester County Board of Legislators to exercise the second of its four renewal options under the Agreement with the Municipality for the 2023 program term; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the terms, conditions, covenants, and agreements contained herein, the Parties agree as follows:

1. The term of the Agreement is hereby extended for an additional one (1) year period, commencing on January 1, 2023 and terminating on December 31, 2023 (the "Second Extension Term").

2. During the Second Extension Term, the Municipality shall continue to provide the Program services referenced in Paragraph "1" of the Agreement.

3. In consideration for the Program services to be rendered during the Second Extension Term, the Municipality shall be paid an amount not exceed <u>\$</u>, for actual services provided and data entered in NYSOFA's PeerPlace System in accordance with the agreed-upon unit costs set forth in Schedule "B-2", attached hereto and made a part hereof.

4. The Contractor is required to contribute \$\_\_\_\_\_ in matching funds to the Program.

5. The Municipality agrees to sign the attestation attached hereto as Schedule "C-2" and made a part hereof, to comply with the Targeting and updated Poverty Guidelines as set forth therein, and furnish the County with the Westchester County Grant Funding for 2023 as specified therein.

6. The Agreement is hereby further amended by incorporating the updated Standard Assurances, as mandated by the NYSOFA, including but not limited to, a revised list of federal and state statutes, regulations, policies and contract provisions applicable to the Program, which are attached hereto and made a part hereof as Schedule "E-2". Municipality agrees to fully comply with these updated Standard Assurances.

7. The Municipality shall furnish to the County updated insurance certificates evidencing coverage for the Second Extension Term as required under the Agreement.

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8. The Municipality agrees to furnish the County with a copy of the organization-wide audit and to comply with the Plan for Audit as required under the Agreement.

9. Except as otherwise expressly provided herein, all other terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect upon the Parties.

10. This Second Amendment shall not be effective until signed by both Parties and approved by the Office of the County Attorney.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the County of Westchester and the Municipality have caused this Second Amendment to be executed.

	THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER
	By
	Mae Carpenter, Commissioner Department of Senior Programs and Services
	Ву
	(Signature)
	(Name)
	(Title)
Approved by the Board of Legislators of the Act 2023 adopted on the	County of Westchester pursuant to, 2023.

Approved by:

Sr. Assistant County Attorney The County of Westchester

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF	)
	) ss.:
COUNTY OF	)

On the \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the year 2023 before me, the undersigned, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Date:

Notary Public

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RPL § 309-a; NY CPLR § 4538

## CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY (MUNICIPALITY)

l, ,
(Official other than official signing Agreement)
certify that I am the of (Title)
(Title)
the(Title) (Name of Municipality)
a Municipal Corporation duly organized and in good standing under the laws of the State of New
York that (Person executing Agreement)
(Person executing Agreement)
who signed said Agreement on behalf of the(Name of Municipality)
was, at the time of executionof the Municipal Corporation (Title of such person)
(Title of such person)
and that said Agreement was duly signed for and on behalf of said Municipal Corporation by authority of its governing board, thereunto duly authorized and that such authority is in full force and effect at the date hereof.
STATE OF NEW YORK ) COUNTY OF ) ss.: On the day of in the year 2023 before me, the undersigned, a
Notary Public in and for said State,personally appeared, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the officer described in and who executed the above certificate, who being by me duly sworn did depose and say that he/she resides at, and he/she is an officer of said municipal corporation; that he/she is duly authorized to execute said certificate on behalf of said corporation, and that he/she signed his/her name thereto pursuant to such authority.

Notary Public Date:

INSERT SCHEDULES "B-2" & "C-2"



SCHEDULE "E-2"

## NEW YORK STATE OFFICE FOR THE AGING

## STANDARD ASSURANCES

ATTACHMENT A The 2022-23 ANNUAL UPDATE to the 2020-24 FOUR YEAR PLAN, April 1, 2022- March 31, 2023



Memorandum

Office of the County Executive Michaelian Office Building

February 2, 2023

TO:	Hon. Catherine Borgia, Chair
	Hon. Nancy Barr, Vice Chair
	Hon. Christopher Johnson, Majority Leader
	Hon. Margaret Cunzio, Minority Leader
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FROM:	George Latimer Aug Tahun
	Westchester County Executive

RE: Message Requesting Immediate Consideration: Act – Enter into Grant Agreements w/NYSOFA to Accept Various Federal Grant Funding.

This will confirm my request that the Board of Legislators allow submission of the referenced communication to be submitted to the Board of Legislators February 6, 2023 Agenda.

Transmitted herewith for your review and approval is an act (the "Act") which, if adopted by your Honorable Board, would authorize the County of Westchester (the "County"), acting by and through its Department of Senior Programs and Services (the "Department"), to enter into grant agreements (the "Grant Agreements") with the New York State Office for the Aging ("NYSOFA") to accept grant funds made available to the County under Titles III-B, III-C & the Nutrition Services Incentive Program ("NSIP"), III-D, and III-E of the Older Americans Act ("OAA").

Therefore, since this communication is of the utmost importance, it is respectfully submitted that the County Board of Legislators accepts this submission for February 6, 2023 "blue sheet" calendar.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.



George Latimer County Executive

February 2, 2023

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## **Grant Amounts**

Title III-B	Title III-C & NSIP	Title III-D	Title III-E		
\$1,090,544	\$2,109,951	\$62,413	\$565,141		

### **IMAs**

Title III-B	Title III-C & NSIP	Title III-D	Title III-E	
\$230,021	\$1,401,772	\$0	\$0	

The services to be provided under the IMAs with the funds received under the OAA for Titles III-B and III-C & NSIP are: (i) nutrition services, such as congregate and home delivered meals; and (ii) regional kitchen equipment; supplies; repairs & vehicle expenses; and transportation services, to help seniors remain in their homes and community (the "Services"). A portion of the remaining Titles III-B and III-C funding will be allocated for contracts with non-municipal agencies, with the balance retained by the Department for the provision of various direct services to seniors. It should be noted that no services will be provided under IMAs with the funds received under the OAA for Titles III-D and III-E. Instead, the entire Title III-D funding will be retained by the Department to provide the Health Promotion-Chronic Disease Self-Management

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It should be noted that your Honorable Board has previously approved similar legislation pursuant to Act No. 37 - 2022. However, the existing authorization expired on December 31, 2022 and a new authorization will be needed to enter into new Grant Agreements and IMAs.

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The proposed Grant Agreements with NYSOFA and the proposed IMAs are intended to benefit the County by assisting in the provision of grant-funded services to County residents. Accordingly, I believe the proposed Grant Agreements with NYSOFA and the proposed IMAs are in the best interest of the County and, therefore, recommend your favorable action on the annexed proposed Act.

Sincerely,

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George Latimer County Executive

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Dated: , 2023 White Plains, New York

**COMMITTEE ON** 

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SUBJECT: IIIB - excluding NR & Yonkers I & A Svcs
OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (To be completed by operating department and reviewed by Budget Department)
A) 🛛 GENERAL FUND 🗌 AIRPORT 🗌 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (Districts)
B) EXPENSES AND REVENUES
Total Current Year Cost \$ 1699300
Total Current Year Revenue \$ <u>1030079</u>
Source of Funds (check one): Current Appropriations
Identify Accounts: 101-24-4957
<u>263-85-T686</u>
Potential Related Operating Budget Expenses: Annual Amount \$ 669221
Describe: County Match Funds
Potential Related Revenues: Annual Amount \$ 1030079
Describe: Funding received from the Federal Government under the Older American's Act.
Anticipated Savings to County and/or Impact on Department Operations:
Current Year: The Department would not be able to provide Transportation, Legal Services,
Homemaker, Housekeeping, Consumer Directed In-Home Services (CDIS), Sr. Center Rec and Ed,
and In-Home Contact & Support to Seniors in Westchester.
Next Four years:
Estimated to be same as above each year.
Prepared by: Sandra Brown Reviewed By:
Title: Director of Program Development II Budget Director
Department: Senior Programs & Svcs.
If you need more space, please attach additional sheets.

SUBJECT: IIIC1/NSIP **NO FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED** OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (To be completed by operating department and reviewed by Budget Department) A) 🛛 GENERAL FUND SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (Districts) **B) EXPENSES AND REVENUES Total Current Year Cost** \$ 1613714 Total Current Year Revenue \$ 1375085 Source of Funds (check one): Current Appropriations Additional Appropriations Other (explain) Transfer of Existing Appropriations Identify Accounts: 101-24-4957 263-85-T941 Potential Related Operating Budget Expenses: Annual Amount \$ 238629 Describe: County Match Funds Potential Related Revenues: Annual Amount \$ 1375085 Describe: Funding received from the Federal Government under the Older American's Act. Anticipated Savings to County and/or Impact on Department Operations: Current Year: The Department would not be able to provide seniors with Congregate Meals, Nutrition Education, Senior Center Recreation and Education and supplement regional kitchen equipment, repairs and supplies as needed. **Next Four years:** Estimated to be same as above each year. viewed Byr Prepared by: Sandra Brown Director of Program Development II **Budget Director** Title: Department: Senior Programs & Svcs. If you need more space, please attach additional sheets.

SUBJECT: IIIC2/NSIP
OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (To be completed by operating department and reviewed by Budget Department)
A) 🖾 GENERAL FUND 🗌 AIRPORT 🗌 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (Districts)
B) EXPENSES AND REVENUES
Total Current Year Cost \$ 828639
Total Current Year Revenue \$ <u>734866</u>
Source of Funds (check one): I Current Appropriations
Identify Accounts: 101-24-4957
<u>263-85-T942</u>
Potential Related Operating Budget Expenses: Annual Amount \$ 93773
Describe: County Match Funds
Potential Related Revenues: Annual Amount \$ <u>734866</u> Describe: <u>Funding received from the Federal Government under the Older American's Act.</u>
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Anticipated Savings to County and/or Impact on Department Operations:
Current Year: <u>The Department would not be able to provide Home Delivered Meals, Nutrition Education</u>
Nutrition Counseling and supplement regional kitchen equipment, supplies, repairs and vehicle expenses as
needed.
Next Four years:
Estimated to be same as above each year.
Prepared by: Sandra Brown
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Title: Director of Program Development II Budget Director
Department: Senior Programs & Svcs. 21123
If you need more space, please attach additional sheets.

SUBJECT: IIID IN FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED
OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (To be completed by operating department and reviewed by Budget Department)
A) 🛛 GENERAL FUND 🗍 AIRPORT 🗌 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (Districts)
B) EXPENSES AND REVENUES
Total Current Year Cost       \$ 94167         Total Current Year Revenue       \$ 62413
Source of Funds (check one):
□ Transfer of Existing Appropriations □ Additional Appropriations □ Other (explain) Identify Accounts: 101-24-4957
<u>263-85-T943</u>
Potential Related Operating Budget Expenses: Annual Amount \$ 31754
Describe: County Match Funds
Potential Related Revenues: Annual Amount \$ 62413
Describe: Funding is received from the Federal Government under the Older American's Act.
Anticipated Savings to County and/or Impact on Department Operations:
Current Year: <u>The Department would not be able to provide Health &amp; Wellness and Chronic Disease Self-</u>
Management programs to seniors in Westchester County.
Next Four years:
Estimated to be same as above each year.
Prepared by: Sandra Brown
Title: Director of Program Development II Budget Director
Department: Senior Programs & Svcs. 2(1)
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SUBJECT: IIIE ON FISCAL IMPACT PROJECTED
OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (To be completed by operating department and reviewed by Budget Department)
A) 🛛 GENERAL FUND 🗌 AIRPORT 🗌 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND (Districts)
B) EXPENSES AND REVENUES
Total Current Year Cost \$ 791142
Total Current Year Revenue \$ <u>565141</u>
Source of Funds (check one): Current Appropriations
Identify Accounts: 101-24-4957
<u>263-85-T448</u>
Potential Related Operating Budget Expenses: Annual Amount \$ 226001
Describe: County Match Funds
Potential Related Revenues: Annual Amount \$ <u>565141</u>
Describe: Funding received from the Federal Government under the Older American's Act.
Anticipated Savings to County and/or Impact on Department Operations:
Current Year: The Department would not be able to provide services under the National Family Caregiver
Program; including caregiver and grandparent information, assistance, counseling, support groups, training
and public information, escort assistance, and personal locator services.
Next Four years:
Estimated to be same as above each year.
Prepared by: Sandra Brown
Director of Program Development II         Budget Director
Department: Senior Programs & Svcs.
If you need more space, please attach additional sheets.

AN ACT authorizing the County of Westchester to enter into grant agreements with the New York State Office for the Aging to accept grant funds under Titles III-B, III-C, Nutrition Services Incentive Program ("NSIP"), III-D and III-E of the Older Americans Act and also to enter into inter-municipal agreements with local municipalities for services to be funded by Titles III-B, III-C & NSIP grants under the Older Americans Act.

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

Section 1. The County of Westchester (the "County"), acting by and through its Department of Senior Programs and Services (the "Department"), be and hereby is authorized to enter into grant agreements (the "Grant Agreements") with the New York State Office for the Aging ("NYSOFA") to accept grant funds made available to the County under Titles III-B, III-C & NSIP, III-D and III-E of the Older Americans Act ("OAA"), in the total aggregate not-toexceed amounts set forth below. The Grant Agreements will be for a term commencing retroactive to January 1, 2023 and continuing through December 31, 2023, except for the grant agreement for NSIP, which will commence retroactive to October 1, 2022 and continue through September 30, 2023:

### **Grant Amounts**

Title III-B	Title III-C & NSIP	Title III-D	Title III-E	
\$1,090,544	\$2,109,951	\$62,413	\$565,141	

§2. The County is further authorized to enter into inter-municipal agreements ("IMAs") with the municipalities listed in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and made a part hereof, for services to be funded by grants received by the County from NYSOFA under OAA, in the total aggregate not-to-exceed amounts set forth below, for terms corresponding to the term of each grant.

### <u>IMAs</u>

Title III-B	Title III-C & NSIP	Title III-D	Title III-E	
\$230,021	\$1,401,772	\$0	\$0	

§3. The contract amounts for each IMA shall be determined at the discretion of the Commissioner of the Department.

§4. The services to be provided under the IMAs with the funds received under the OAA for Titles III-B and III-C & NSIP shall include: nutrition services, such as congregate and home delivered meals; regional kitchen equipment; supplies; repairs & vehicle expenses; and transportation services. A portion of the remaining Title III-B and III-C funding shall be allocated for contracts with non-municipal agencies, with the balance retained by the Department for the provision of various direct services to seniors.

§5. There will be no services provided under IMAs with the funds received under the OAA for Titles III-D and III-E. Instead, the entire Title III-D funding will be retained by the Department to provide the Health Promotion-Chronic Disease Self-Management Program and the Evidence Based Program, while the Title III-E funding will be allocated to provide various services to seniors, with a portion retained by the Department to provide various direct services to seniors.

§6. 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.

§7. This Act shall take effect immediately.

#### EXHIBIT "A"

GRANT: III-B	GRANTS: III-C-1, III-C-2 & NSIP		
SERVICES	SERVICES		
Transportation	Meals and Other-Regional Kitchen Equipment, Supplies, Repairs & Vehicle Expenses		
Town of Cortlandt	Town of Cortlandt		
Town of Eastchester	Town of Eastchester		
Town of Greenburgh	Town of Greenburgh		
Town of Mamaroneck	Town of Mamaroneck		
Village/Town of Mount Kisco	Village/Town of Mount Kisco *		
Town of Mount Pleasant	Town of Mount Pleasant		
City of Mount Vernon	City of Mount Vernon *		
City of New Rochelle	City of New Rochelle		
Town of Ossining	Town of Ossining		
City of Peekskill	City of Peekskill *		
Village of Port Chester	Village of Port Chester		
Town of Somers	Town of Somers		
City of White Plains	City of White Plains		
City of Yonkers	City of Yonkers		
Town of Yorktown	Town of Yorktown *		

#### LIST OF MUNICIPALITES AND SERVICES

#### Note:

- ALL municipalities listed above under Title III-B will provide Transportation Services
- ALL municipalities listed above under III-C-1, III-C-2 & NSIP will provide Meals, EXCEPT that ONLY those marked with an asterisk (\*) will also provide Other-Regional Kitchen Equipment, Supplies, Repairs & Vehicle Expenses

THIS INTER-MUNICIPAL AGREEMENT ("Agreement" or "IMA"), made this

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2023 by and between:

**THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER**, a corporation of the State of New York, having an office and place of business in the Michaelian Office Building, 148 Martine Avenue, White Plains, New York, 10601 (hereinafter referred to as the "County")

and

a municipal corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York, having an office and place of business at

(hereinafter referred to as the "Municipality" and together with the County hereinafter referred to as the "Parties")

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County, acting by and through its Department of Senior Programs and Services ("Department" or "DSPS"), has been awarded a grant by the New York State Office for the Aging ("NYSOFA"), pursuant to Titles III-C-1, III-C-2 and the Nutrition Services Incentive Program ("NSIP") of the Older Americans Act (the "Programs"), to provide various social and nutrition services to elderly residents of the County (the "Services" or "Work"); and

WHEREAS, the Municipality desires to provide the Services and the County desires the Municipality to provide the Services pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, the County has been authorized by the Westchester County Board of Legislators to enter into the Agreement for the Services.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the terms, conditions, covenants, and agreements contained herein, the Parties agree as follows:

1. The Municipality shall provide the Services, as more particularly described in Schedule "C". All Services must be performed in accordance with the terms of the Standard Assurances in Schedule "C" and the Standard Assurances in the approved Four Year Plan and/or Annual Update to the Four Year Plan (collectively the "Plan) attached hereto and made a part hereof in the form of Schedule "I." It is expressly understood and agreed by the Parties hereto that all schedules to this Agreement applicable to the NYSOFA and all schedules applicable to the County are subject to the approval of and modification of each, as necessary.

The County may, in its discretion, if it shall deem such payment to be required in furtherance of the Programs, pay the Municipality prior to receipt of payment or approval therefore by NYSOFA, provided that, in the event NYSOFA subsequently fails or refuses to pay the County, or if such expense is not a proper expenditure under the Programs, the Municipality shall reimburse the County for such payment made to the Municipality, or, the County, in its discretion, may deduct such amount from future payments due and owing the Municipality under this Agreement.

The Municipality shall contribute an aggregate amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_to the Services, as a match for the III-C-1 and/or III-C-2 Programs.

Any and all requests for payment to be made, including any requests for partial payment made in proportion to the Services completed, shall be submitted by the Municipality on properly executed payment vouchers of the County and paid only after approval by the Commissioner. All payment vouchers must be accompanied by a numbered invoice and/or the appropriate required back-up documentation approved by the Department. All invoices submitted during each calendar year shall utilize consecutive numbering and be non-repeating. In no event shall final payment be made to the Municipality prior to the completion of all Services, the submission of reports and the approval of same by the Commissioner.

The Municipality shall, at no additional charge, furnish all labor, services, materials, goods, equipment and any other things necessary to complete the Services, unless specific additional

charges are expressly permitted under this Agreement. It is recognized and understood that even if specific additional charges are expressly permitted under this Agreement; in no event shall total payment to the Municipality exceed the not-to-exceed amount set forth above.

Except as otherwise expressly stated in this Agreement, no payment shall be made by the County to the Municipality for out-of-pocket expenses or disbursements made in connection with the Services rendered or the Services to be performed hereunder.

3. Prior to the making of any payments hereunder, the County may, at its option, audit such books and records of the Municipality as are reasonably pertinent to this Agreement to substantiate the basis for payment. The County will not withhold payment pursuant to this paragraph for more than thirty (30) days after payment would otherwise be due pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement, unless the County shall find cause to withhold payment in the course of such audit or the Municipality fails to cooperate with such audit. The County shall, in addition, have the right to audit such books and records subsequent to payment, if such audit is commenced within one year following termination of this Agreement.

In addition to any general audit rights to which the County may be entitled hereunder, the County also reserves the right to audit the Municipality's performance under this Agreement. Such audit may include requests for documentation or other information which the Commissioner may, in her discretion, deem necessary and appropriate to verify the information provided by the Municipality as required by Paragraph "4." The County may also make site visits to the location(s) where the Services to be provided under this Agreement are performed in order to review Municipality's records, observe the performance of Services and/or to conduct interviews of staff and patrons, where appropriate and not otherwise prohibited by law.

The Municipality agrees to maintain appropriate records and to retain them for at least six years after final payment is made. The Municipality agrees to provide access to all books, documents and all pertinent materials related to this Agreement for examination to authorized representatives of the Administration on Aging/Administration for Community Living (AoA/ACL) of the United States Department of Health and Human Services ("HHS"), the New York State Comptroller or his representatives, staff of NYSOFA, and/or the County.

4. Under this Agreement, the term of the Title III-C Programs shall commence retroactive to January 1, 2023 and continue through on December 31, 2023, and the term for the NSIP Program shall commence retroactive to October 1, 2022 and continue through September 30,

2023, unless terminated sooner pursuant to the provisions hereof.

The Municipality shall report to the County on its progress toward completing the Services, as the Commissioner may request, and shall immediately inform the Commissioner in writing of any cause for delay in the performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

5. The Parties recognize and acknowledge that the obligations of the County under this Agreement are subject to the County's receipt of funds from NYSOFA to operate the Program, and that no liability shall be incurred by the County beyond the monies made available from NYSOFA for this Agreement. The Municipality agrees that the County shall not be liable for any of the payments hereunder unless and until the County Commissioner of the Department of Finance has received said funds or said funds have been made available to said commissioner.

If, for any reason, the full amount of said funds is not paid over or made available to the County by NYSOFA, the County may terminate this Agreement immediately or reduce the amount payable to the Municipality, in the discretion of the County. The County shall give prompt notice of any such termination or reduction to the Municipality. If the County subsequently offers to pay a reduced amount to the Municipality, then the Municipality shall have the right to terminate this Agreement upon reasonable prior written notice.

In addition, the Parties recognize and acknowledge that the obligations of the County under this Agreement are subject to annual appropriations by its Board of Legislators pursuant to the Laws of Westchester County. Therefore, this Agreement shall be deemed executory only to the extent of the monies appropriated and available. The County shall have no liability under this Agreement beyond funds appropriated and available for payment pursuant to this Agreement. The Parties understand and intend that the obligation of the County hereunder shall constitute a current expense of the County and shall not in any way be construed to be a debt of the County in contravention of any applicable constitutional or statutory limitations or requirements concerning the creation of indebtedness by the County, nor shall anything contained in this Agreement constitute a pledge of the general tax revenues, funds or moneys of the County. The County shall pay amounts due under this Agreement exclusively from legally available funds appropriated for this purpose. The County shall retain the right, upon the occurrence of the adoption of any County Budget by its Board of Legislators during the term of this Agreement or any amendments thereto, and for a reasonable period of time after such adoption(s), to conduct an analysis of the impacts of any such County Budget on County finances. After such analysis, the County shall retain the right to either terminate this Agreement or to renegotiate the amounts and rates set forth herein. If the County subsequently offers to pay a reduced amount to the Municipality, then the Municipality shall have the right to terminate this Agreement upon reasonable prior written notice.

6. The Municipality shall comply, at its own expense, with the provisions of all applicable Federal, State and local laws, rules, regulations executive orders, policies, orders, notices and related guidance, as specified in the Plan, as such provisions may be amended from time to time, (such Federal provisions being "Federal Requirements").

In addition, the Municipality shall cause to be prominently posted, on the site where Services hereunder are to be provided, a statement regarding non-discrimination, which statement shall be similar in form to the following:

> "In compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1975 and Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act and New York State Executive Law and orders, no persons will be denied service or access to service based upon race, creed, color, national origin, religion, marital status, sexual orientation, genetic predisposition, carrier status, or handicapping condition."

Without limiting any of the foregoing, the Municipality specifically agrees to the following:

- (a) Regarding access to records and access to sites where the Services are performed:
  - i.) In compliance with 45 C.F.R. 75.364(a), the Municipality agrees to provide the County, HHS and its awarding agency, the Comptroller General of the United States, any inspectors general, or any of the duly authorized representatives of any of these listed parties, access to any documents, papers, or other records which are pertinent to this Agreement in order to make audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcripts, as well as provide timely and reasonable access to the Municipality's personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion related to such documents. The Municipality agrees to allow the above-listed parties to reproduce, excerpt, and/or transcribe such documents, papers, and other records by any means whatsoever. The Municipality also agrees to allow the above-listed parties such other access to records as may be necessary for compliance with applicable Federal Requirements.
  - ii.) In accordance with 45 C.F.R. 75.364(c), all of the above-described rights of access to records shall last for as long as the records are retained by the Municipality. The Municipality shall retain all such records for at least as long as is required under 45 C.F.R. 75.361.
  - iii.) In compliance with 45 C.F.R. § 75.342(e), the Municipality agrees to

permit HHS to make site visits as needed.

- (b) Regarding recovered materials:
  - i.) The Municipality agrees to comply with all applicable requirements of 45 C.F.R. 75.331; Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act and as further amended (42 U.S.C. § 6962); 40 C.F.R. Part 247, the United States Environmental Protection Agency's "Comprehensive Procurement Guideline for Products Containing Recovered Materials"; and Executive Order 12873.
- (c) Regarding the procurement of subcontracts financed in whole or in part with the Funds:
  - i.) The Municipality agrees to comply with 45 C.F.R. 75.330 in procuring any subcontract financed in whole or in part with the Funds.
- (d) The Municipality agrees to comply with and/or assist the County in complying with any and all applicable requirements of HHS.

The Municipality hereby represents and warrants that it has all information it needs regarding the Federal Requirements concerning reporting, patent rights, copyrights, and rights in data, and the Municipality understands and acknowledges that all such requirements and regulations are hereby incorporated into this Agreement by reference, and shall prevail over any conflicting term(s) of this Agreement.

The Municipality understands that the County has relied upon all materials and representations it has provided to the County concerning the Services and this Agreement in, a.) considering, among other things, whether the Municipality is capable of successfully performing under the terms and conditions of this Agreement; the Municipality's integrity and ethics; whether executing this Agreement with the Municipality is in compliance with public policy; the Municipality's record of past performance; and the Municipality's financial, administrative, and technical resources and capacity, b.) consequently determining that the Municipality is a responsible contractor, and c.) awarding this Agreement to the Municipality.

It is the intent and understanding of the Parties that each and every provision required by law, contract, or other proper authority to be included in this Agreement shall, for all intents and purposes, be considered and deemed included herein. The Municipality understands and acknowledges that for each and every such provision that has, through mistake or otherwise, either not been inserted in writing or been inserted in writing in an incorrect form, the Municipality hereby consents to amending this Agreement in writing, upon receipt of notice from the County, for the purpose of inserting or correcting the provision in question.

7. The Municipality expressly agrees neither it nor any contractor, subcontractor, employee or any other person acting on its behalf shall discriminate against or intimidate any employee or other individual on the basis of race, creed, religion, color, gender, age, national origin, ethnicity, alienage or citizenship status, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, familial status, genetic predisposition or carrier status during the term of or in connection with this Agreement, as those terms may be defined in Chapter 700 of the Laws of Westchester County or Section 291 of the New York State Human Rights Law. The Municipality acknowledges and understands that the County maintains a zero tolerance policy prohibiting all forms of harassment or discrimination against its employees by co-workers, supervisors, vendors, contractors, or others.

8. (a) There shall be no partisan political activity in connection with this Agreement, including (i) candidate endorsements (ii) registration activities which are partisan in nature (iii) scheduled meetings of services recipients with public officials or candidates unless event is open on an equal basis to all candidates and officials regardless of policy views or partisan affiliation. This does not preclude the legitimate right of elected officials and other community leaders to visit programs in their areas.

(b) The Municipality shall refrain and prevent the use by others under its control of official authority, influence or coercion to interfere with or affect elections or nominations for political office.

(c) The Municipality shall refrain from and prohibit any others receiving funds under this Agreement from attempting to coerce or advise other persons to contribute anything of value to a party, committee, organization, agency or person for political purposes, nor engage in any other partisan activities under its auspices. The Municipality shall refrain from using funds to advance any partisan effort.

(d) The Municipality shall ensure that any Services to be provided under this Agreement shall be secular in nature and scope and in no event shall there be any sectarian or religious services, counseling, proselytizing, instruction or other sectarian, religious influence undertaken in connection with the provision of such Services. The Municipality shall refrain from using funds to advance any sectarian effort.

9. (a) The Municipality acknowledges (i) that this Agreement may be funded in whole or in part with funds to be provided to the County under State or Federal program grants, (ii) that the County cannot insure that all of such funds as are presently earmarked by the County for use in connection with this Agreement will ultimately be delivered to the County by the relevant grantor, and (iii) that the County's obligation to pay the Municipality for expenditures which are to be reimbursed with such funds extends only to the extent that such funds are actually received by the County.

(b) The County shall have the right to terminate or modify this Agreement based on changes in the availability of State and/or Federal Funds.

10. (a) As a material element of this Agreement, the Municipality agrees to fully comply with the provisions required by NYSOFA concerning equal access to services, non-discrimination and concentration of services on target populations, as more fully set forth in the Plan.

(b) Attached hereto and forming a part of Schedule "M" is the "Participant Contribution Standards." The Municipality shall provide participants an opportunity to voluntarily contribute to the cost of the service received, as appropriate. The Municipality shall use all collected contributions to expand the Service/s for which the contributions were given to supplement the funds received under the Older Americans Act (OAA).

(c) The Municipality shall assist participants in taking advantage of benefits under other Services and assure that the Services provided are coordinated and do not unnecessarily duplicate services provided by other sources.

11. Statistical information and supporting documentation concerning the Services conducted hereunder shall be provided to the County by the Municipality on request of the County. The Municipality shall provide the County with timely information needed to satisfy reporting requirements as specified by NYSOFA. Documentation of reports and expenses shall include, without limiting the right to require additional documentation: invoices for all purchases, payroll time records, payroll records for local support contribution, municipal payment vouchers for governmental agencies and canceled checks for private agencies, as required.

The Programmatic monthly reporting system for Service Delivery Information and Service Recipient Information must be submitted electronically in PeerPlace or other NYSOFA approved electronic reporting system. Until further notice, the Municipality is required to mail in the

PeerPlace MONTHLY ELECTRONIC PAPER REPORT and/or other approved reporting measure, signed by the staff member responsible for the report. The reports should be received by the County no later than the tenth (10th) day of the following month and/or entered on the website at the same time. The Municipality understands and agrees that submission of the monthly report by the deadline set forth above constitutes a material element of this Agreement. The County reserves the right to withhold payment to Municipality for its failure to submit the monthly report by the deadline, until such time as the monthly report is received by the County. Repeated failures by Municipality to submit the monthly report by the stated deadline will constitute a material breach of this Agreement justifying termination for cause as provided in Paragraph "17" hereof.

The Municipality shall furnish the County with copies of all insurance certificates, food contracts, rental agreements, and transportation agreements relating to the Services provided by the Municipality hereunder, as applicable.

12. The Municipality agrees to procure and maintain Insurance naming the County as additional insured, as provided and described in Schedule "A," entitled "Standard Insurance Provisions," which is attached hereto and made a part hereof. In addition to, and not in limitation of, the insurance provisions contained in Schedule "A," the Municipality agrees:

(a) that except for the amount, if any, of damage contributed to, caused by, or resulting from the sole negligence of the County, the Municipality shall indemnify and hold harmless the County, its officers, employees, agents, and elected officials from and against any and all liability, damage, claims, demands, costs, judgments, fees, attorney's fees or loss arising directly or indirectly out of the performance or failure to perform hereunder by the Municipality or third parties under the direction or control of the Municipality; and

(b) to provide defense for and defend, at its sole expense, any and all claims, demands or causes of action directly or indirectly arising out of this Agreement and to bear all other costs and expenses related thereto; and

c) in the event the Municipality does not provide the above defense and indemnification to the County, and such refusal or denial to provide the above defense and indemnification is found to be in breach of this provision, then the Municipality shall reimburse the County's reasonable attorney's fees incurred in connection with the defense of any action, and in connection with enforcing this provision of the Agreement.

d) the Municipality may provide proof of self-insurance in lieu of insurance policies.

13. The Municipality agrees that any program, public information materials, or other printed or published materials on the Services of the Programs which are supported with Title III-C funds will give due recognition to NYSOFA, the Department, and HHS.

14. The Municipality shall provide adequate qualified and trained personnel for supervision and fiscal management of the Programs.

15. The Parties agree that the Municipality and its officers, employees, agents, contractors, consultants and/or subcontractors are independent contractors and not employees of the County or any department, agency or unit thereof. In accordance with their status as independent contractors, the Municipality covenants and agrees that neither the Municipality nor any of its officers, employees, agents, contractors, consultants, and/or subcontractors will hold themselves out as, or claim to be, officers or employees of the County or any department, agency or unit thereof.

16. (a) The County, upon ten (10) days' notice to the Municipality, may terminate this Agreement in whole or in part when the County deems it to be in its best interest. In such event, the Municipality shall be compensated and the County shall be liable only for payment for Services already rendered under this Agreement prior to the effective date of termination at the rates specified in Schedule "B." Upon receipt of notice that the County is terminating this Agreement in its best interests, the Municipality shall stop Services immediately and incur no further costs in furtherance of this Agreement without the express approval of the Commissioner, and the Municipality shall direct any approved subcontractors to do the same.

In the event of a dispute as to the value of the Services rendered by the Municipality prior to the date of termination, it is understood and agreed that the Commissioner shall determine the value of such Services rendered by the Municipality. The Municipality shall accept such reasonable and good faith determination as final.

(b) In the event the County determines that there has been a material breach by the Municipality of any of the terms of the Agreement and such breach remains uncured for fortyeight (48) hours after service on the Municipality of written notice thereof, the County, in addition to any other right or remedy it might have, may terminate this Agreement and the County shall have the right, power and authority to complete the Services provided for in this Agreement, or contract for its completion, and any additional expense or cost of such completion shall be charged to and paid by the Municipality. Without limiting the foregoing, upon written notice to the Municipality, repeated breaches by the Municipality of duties or obligations under this Agreement shall be deemed a material breach of this Agreement justifying termination for cause hereunder without requirement for further opportunity to cure.

17. Failure of the County to insist, in any one or more instances, upon strict performance of any term or condition herein contained shall not be deemed a waiver or relinquishment of such term or condition, but the same shall remain in full force and effect. Acceptance by the County of any of the Services or the payment of any fee or reimbursement due hereunder with knowledge of a breach of any term or condition hereof, shall not be deemed a waiver of any such breach and no waiver by the County of any provision hereof shall be implied.

18. If equipment costing \$1,000.00 or more is purchased with any Federal or State funds under this Plan, and the equipment is no longer needed for activities supported by such Programs, NYSOFA /County reserve the right to select a recipient for and approve the transfer to such recipient of such equipment, which must be used for services to older adults. The Municipality understands, acknowledges, and agrees that it shall have no ownership interest in such equipment.

19. All notices of any nature referred to in this Agreement shall be in writing and either sent by registered or certified mail postage pre-paid, or sent by hand or overnight courier, or sent by facsimile (with acknowledgment received and a copy of the notice sent by overnight courier), to the respective addresses set forth below or to such other addresses as the respective Parties hereto may designate in writing. Notice shall be effective on the date of receipt.

To the County:

Commissioner Department of Senior Services and Services 9 South First Avenue, 10th Floor Mount Vernon, New York 10550-3414

with a copy to:

County Attorney Michaelian Office Building, Room 600 148 Martine Avenue White Plains, New York 10601

To the Municipality:

20. Attached hereto and forming part hereof is the schedule listed below. Simultaneous with its execution of this Agreement, the Municipality shall provide the County with a completed copy of each schedule. The Municipality agrees that the terms of the schedule has been accepted and agreed-to by the Municipality by virtue of its execution of this Agreement, and the Municipality represents and warrants that it has completed the schedule accurately and completely.

6.) Schedule "D" — "Vendor Direct Program - Electronic Funds Transfer"

All payments made by the County to the Municipality will be made by electronic funds transfer ("EFT") pursuant to the County's Vendor Direct Program. If the Contractor is not already enrolled in the Vendor Direct Program, the Contractor shall fill out and submit an EFT Authorization Form as part of this Agreement. (In rare cases, a hardship waiver may be granted. For a Hardship Waiver Request Form, the Municipality understands that it must contact the County's Finance Department.)

If the Municipality is already enrolled in the Vendor Direct Program, the Municipality hereby agrees to immediately notify the County's Finance Department in writing if the EFT Authorization Form on file must be changed, and provide an updated version of the document.

21. (a) The Municipality represents and warrants that it, its principals, and affiliates (as defined in 2 C.F.R. Part 180) are not currently debarred or suspended and the Municipality agrees to complete the "Certification Regarding Debarment and Suspension," which is attached hereto and forming a part of Schedule "J." The Municipality agrees that it shall immediately notify the County if it, its principals, and/or affiliates is/are debarred or suspended, or its, its principals', and/or affiliates' debarment or suspension appears likely. The Municipality further agrees to comply, and to require its subcontractors to comply, with the debarment and suspension regulations in 2 C.F.R. Part 376, as well as the applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. Part 180.

The Municipality represents and warrants that it is not currently excluded from receiving Federal contracts, certain subcontracts, and certain types of Federal financial and non-financial assistance and benefits, by virtue of being on the United States General Service Administration's the Excluded Parties List System (EPLS), available at http://www.sam.gov as

part of the System for Awards Management (SAM). The Municipality agrees that it shall immediately notify the County if it is so-excluded, or its exclusion appears likely.

The Municipality represents and warrants that it is not currently on any debarment, suspension, or exclusion list of New York State or any political subdivision thereof, and has not been found non-responsible by New York State or any political subdivision thereof. The Municipality agrees that it shall immediately notify the County if it is added to any debarment, suspension, or exclusion list of New York State or any political subdivision thereof, or its addition to such lists appears likely. The Municipality agrees that it shall immediately notify the County if it is found non-responsible by New York State or any political subdivision thereof, or its addition to such lists appears likely. The Municipality agrees that it shall immediately notify the County if it is found non-responsible by New York State or any political subdivision thereof, or such a finding of non-responsibility appears likely.

The Municipality understands and acknowledges that the County is relying upon the Municipality's above-described representations and warranties.

Without limiting any of the foregoing, the Municipality certifies that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, it is and will be in compliance with 2 C.F.R. Part 376, regarding nonprocurement, debarment and suspension concerning public (Federal, State or local) transactions. If necessary, the Municipality will submit an explanation of why it cannot provide this certification.

(b) (Required for Agreements over \$100,000): The Municipality agrees to complete the "Certification Regarding Drug-Free Workplace Requirements," which is attached hereto and forming a part of Schedule "K," in order to help ensure compliance with 41 U.S.C. § 8101 et seq. and 2 C.F.R. Part 382.

(c) (Required for Agreements over \$100,000): The Municipality agrees to complete the "Certification of Restrictions on Lobbying," which is attached hereto and forming a part of Schedule "L," in compliance with 45 C.F.R. Part 93, and to otherwise comply with 45 C.F.R. Part 93 and 31 U.S.C. § 1352.

22. This Agreement and its attachments constitute the entire Agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and shall supersede all previous negotiations, commitments and writings. It shall not be released, discharged, changed or modified except by an instrument in writing, signed by a duly authorized representative of each of the Parties.

In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Agreement and the terms of any schedule or attachment hereto, it is understood that the terms of this Agreement shall be controlling with respect to any interpretation of the meaning and intent of the Parties.

23. The Municipality shall ensure that where the State or local public jurisdiction requires licensure or certification for the provision of social services, the Municipality and its approved subcontractors providing such services under the approved the Plan shall be so licensed or certified. Workers delivering services must be appropriately qualified, selected trained and supervised.

24. All records or recorded data of any kind compiled by the Municipality in completing the Services described in this Agreement, including but not limited to written reports, studies, drawings, blueprints, computer printouts, graphs, charts, plans, specifications and all other similar recorded data, shall become and remain the property of the County. The Municipality may retain copies of such records for its own use and shall not disclose any such information without the express written consent of the Commissioner. The County shall have the right to reproduce and publish such records, if it so desires, at no additional cost to the County.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, all deliverables created under this Agreement by the Municipality are to be considered "works made for hire." If any of the deliverables do not qualify as "Services made for hire," the Municipality hereby assigns to the County all right, title and interest (including ownership of copyright) in such deliverables and such assignment allows the County to obtain in its name copyrights, registrations and similar protections which may be available. The Municipality agrees to assist the County, if required, in perfecting these rights. The Municipality shall provide the County with at least one copy of each deliverable.

The Municipality agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County for all damages, liabilities, losses and expenses arising out of any claim that a deliverable infringes upon an intellectual property right of a third party. If such a claim is made, or appears likely to be made, the Municipality agrees to enable the County's continued use of the deliverable, or to modify or replace it. If the County determines that none of these alternatives is reasonably available, the deliverable may be returned.

25. The Municipality shall not delegate any duties or assign any of its rights under this Agreement without the prior express written consent of the County. The Municipality shall not subcontract any part of the Services without the written consent of the County, subject to any

necessary legal approvals. Any purported delegation of duties, assignment of rights or subcontracting of Services under this Agreement without the prior express written consent of the County is void. All subcontracts that have received such prior written consent shall provide that subcontractors are subject to all terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. It is recognized and understood by the Municipality that for the purposes of this Agreement, all Services performed by a County-approved subcontractor shall be deemed Services performed by the Municipality and the Municipality shall insure that such subcontracted Services is subject to the material terms and conditions of this Agreement. All subcontracts for the Services shall expressly reference the subcontractor's duty to comply with the material terms and conditions of this Agreement and shall attach a copy of the County's contract with the Municipality. The Municipality shall obtain a written acknowledgement from the owner and/or chief executive of subcontractor or his/her duly authorized representative that the subcontractor has received a copy of the County's Agreement, read it and is familiar with the material terms and conditions thereof. The Municipality shall include provisions in its subcontracts designed to ensure that the Municipality and/or its auditor has the right to examine all relevant books, records, documents or electronic data of the subcontractor necessary to review the subcontractor's compliance with the material terms and conditions of this Agreement.

If the Municipality enters into subcontracts for the performance of Services pursuant to this Agreement, the Municipality shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the County under this Agreement or the Area Agency Plan as approved by NYSOFA. It shall be the responsibility of the Municipality to monitor and assess the activities performed under such subcontracts, and to ensure that these activities are provided in accordance with all applicable requirements contained in this Agreement and federal and state law.

The Municipality agrees that, to the extent it or its subcontractors, if any, maintains personal information relating to applicants or recipients of Services pursuant to this Agreement, such information will be kept confidential and shared with the County; or with other entities upon the consent of applicant, recipient or an authorized representative of the applicant or recipient; or as required by federal or state laws.

26. Nothing herein is intended or shall be construed to confer upon or give to any third party or its successors and assigns any rights, remedies or basis for reliance upon, under or by reason of this Agreement, except in the event that specific third party rights are expressly granted

herein.

27. The Municipality recognizes that this Agreement does not grant the Municipality the exclusive right to perform the Services for the County and that the County may enter into similar agreements with other contractors on an "as needed" basis.

28. The Municipality hereby represents that, if operating under an assumed name, it has filed the necessary certificate pursuant to New York State General Business Law Section 130.

29. This Agreement may be executed simultaneously in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument. This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New York. In addition, the Parties hereby agree that any cause of action arising out of this Agreement shall be brought in the County.

If any term or provision of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or void or unenforceable, the remainder of the terms and provisions of this Agreement shall in no way be affected, impaired, or invalidated, and to the extent permitted by applicable law, any such term, or provision shall be restricted in applicability or reformed to the minimum extent required for such to be enforceable. This provision shall be interpreted and enforced to give effect to the original written intent of the Parties prior to the determination of such invalidity or unenforceability.

30. This Agreement shall not be enforceable until it is signed by both Parties and approved by the Office of the County Attorney.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have caused this Agreement to be executed.

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ТН	E COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER
Ву	Mae Carpenter, Commissioner Department of Senior Programs and Services
: :	NICIPALITY
	Ву
	(Signature)
	(Name)
	(Title)
Approved by the Westchester County Boa adopted on the day of	ard of Legislators pursuant to Act No – 2023, 2023.
Approved by:	
Sr. Assistant County Attorney The County of Westchester	

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF NEW YORK ) ss.: COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER)

On the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ in the year 2023 before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

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Signature and Office of individual taking acknowledgement

## CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY (MUNICIPALITY)

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(Official other than official signing Agreement)
certify that I am the of (Title)
(Title)
(Name of Municipality)
a Municipal Corporation duly organized and in good standing under the laws of the State of New
York that
York that (Person executing Agreement)
who signed said Agreement on behalf of the
(Name of Municipality)
was, at the time of executionof the Municipal Corporation (Title of such person)
(Title of such person)
and that said Agreement was duly signed for and on behalf of said Municipal Corporation by authority of its governing board, thereunto duly authorized and that such authority is in full force and effect at the date hereof.
(Signature)
STATE OF NEW YORK ) ) ss.: COUNTY OF ) SS.:
COUNTY OF in the year 2023 before me, the undersigned, a
Notary Public in and for said State,personally appeared, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the officer described in and who executed the above certificate, who being by me duly sworn did depose and say that he/she resides at, and he/she is an officer of said municipal corporation; that he/she is duly authorized to execute said certificate on behalf of said corporation, and that he/she signed his/her name thereto pursuant to such authority.

Notary Public Date:

#### SCHEDULE "A"

#### STANDARD INSURANCE PROVISIONS (Municipality)

1. Prior to commencing Services, and throughout the term of the Agreement, the Municipality shall obtain at its own cost and expense the required insurance as delineated below from insurance companies licensed in the State of New York, carrying a Best's financial rating of A or better. Municipality shall provide evidence of such insurance to the County of Westchester ("County"), either by providing a copy of policies and/or certificates as may be required and approved by the Director of Risk Management of the County ("Director"). The policies or certificates thereof shall provide that ten (10) days prior to cancellation or material change in the policy, notices of same shall be given to the Director either by overnight mail or personal delivery for all of the following stated insurance policies. All notices shall name the Municipality and identify the Agreement.

If at any time any of the policies required herein shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Director, as to form or substance, or if a company issuing any such policy shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Director, the Municipality shall upon notice to that effect from the County, promptly obtain a new policy, and submit the policy or the certificate as requested by the Director to the Office of Risk Management of the County for approval by the Director. Upon failure of the Municipality to furnish, deliver and maintain such insurance, the Agreement, at the election of the County, may be declared suspended, discontinued or terminated.

Failure of the Municipality to take out, maintain, or the taking out or maintenance of any required insurance, shall not relieve the Municipality from any liability under the Agreement, nor shall the insurance requirements be construed to conflict with or otherwise limit the contractual obligations of the Municipality concerning indemnification.

All property losses shall be made payable to the "County of Westchester" and adjusted with the appropriate County personnel.

In the event that claims, for which the County may be liable, in excess of the insured amounts provided herein are filed by reason of Municipality's negligent acts or omissions under the Agreement or by virtue of the provisions of the labor law or other statute or any other reason, the amount of excess of such claims or any portion thereof, may be withheld from payment due or to become due the Municipality until such time as the Municipality shall furnish such additional security covering such claims in form satisfactory to the Director.

In the event of any loss, if the Municipality maintains broader coverage and/or higher limits than the minimums identified herein, the County shall be entitled to the broader coverage and/or higher limits maintained by the Municipality. Any available insurance proceeds in excess of the specified minimum limits of insurance and coverage shall be available to the County.

2 The Municipality shall provide proof of the following coverage (if additional coverage is required for a specific agreement, those requirements will be described in the Agreement):

a) Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability. Certificate form C-105.2 or State Fund Insurance Company form U-26.3 is required for proof of compliance with the New York State Workers' Compensation Law. State Workers' Compensation Board form DB-120.1 is required for proof of compliance with the New York State Disability Benefits Law. Location of operation shall be "All locations in Westchester County, New York." Where an applicant claims to not be required to carry either a Workers' Compensation Policy or Disability Benefits Policy, or both, the employer must complete NYS form CE-200, available to download at: <u>http://www.wcb.ny.gov</u>.

If the employer is self-insured for Workers' Compensation, he/she should present a certificate from the New York State Worker's Compensation Board evidencing that fact (Either SI-12, Certificate of Workers' Compensation Self-Insurance, or GSI-105.2, Certificate of Participation in Workers' Compensation Group Self-Insurance).

b) Commercial General Liability Insurance with a combined single limit of \$1,000,000 (c.s.1) per occurrence and a \$2,000,000 aggregate limit naming the "County of Westchester" as an additional insured on a primary and non-contributory basis. This insurance shall include the following coverages:

i.Premises - Operations. ii.Broad Form Contractual. iii.Independent Contractor and Sub-Contractor. iv.Products and Completed Operations.

c) Commercial Umbrella/Excess Insurance: \$2,000,000 each Occurrence and Aggregate naming the "County of Westchester" as additional insured, written on a "follow the form" basis.

NOTE: Additional insured status shall be provided by standard or other endorsement that extends coverage to the County of Westchester for both on-going and completed operations.

All Contracts involving the use of explosives, demolition and/or underground Services shall provide proof that XCU is covered.

- d) Automobile Liability Insurance with a minimum limit of liability per occurrence of \$1,000,000 for bodily injury and a minimum limit of \$100,000 per occurrence for property damage or a combined single limit of \$1,000,000 unless otherwise indicated in the contract specifications. This insurance shall include for bodily injury and property damage the following coverages and name the "County of Westchester" as additional insured:
  - (i) Owned automobiles.
  - (ii) Hired automobiles.
  - (iii) Non-owned automobiles.
  - 3. All policies of the Municipality shall be endorsed to contain the following clauses:

(a) Insurers shall have no right to recovery or subrogation against the County (including its employees and other agents and agencies), it being the intention of the parties that the insurance policies so effected shall protect both parties and be primary coverage for any and all losses covered by the above-described insurance.

(b) The clause "other insurance provisions" in a policy in which the County is named as an insured, shall not apply to the County.

(c) The insurance companies issuing the policy or policies shall have no recourse against the County (including its agents and agencies as aforesaid) for payment of any premiums or for assessments under any form of policy.

(d) Any and all deductibles in the above described insurance policies shall be assumed by and be for the account of, and at the sole risk of, the Municipality.

# INSERT SCHEDULES "B" and "C"



## SCHEDULE "D"

## Westchester County Vendor Direct Program Frequently Asked Questions

# 1. WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF THE ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER (EFT) ASSOCIATED WITH THE VENDOR DIRECT PROGRAM?

There are several advantages to having your payments automatically deposited into your designated bank account via EFT:

Payments are secure – Paper checks can be lost in the mail or stolen, but money deposited directly into your bank account is more secure.

You save time – Money deposited into your bank account is automatic. You save the time of preparing and delivering the deposit to the bank. Additionally, the funds are immediately available to you.

#### 2. ARE MY PAYMENTS GOING TO BE PROCESSED ON THE SAME SCHEDULE AS THEY WERE BEFORE VENDOR DIRECT? Yes.

#### 3. HOW QUICKLY WILL A PAYMENT BE DEPOSITED INTO MY ACCOUNT?

Payments are deposited two business days after the voucher/invoice is processed. Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays are not considered business days.

# 4. HOW WILL I KNOW WHEN THE PAYMENT IS IN MY BANK ACCOUNT AND WHAT IT IS FOR?

Under the Vendor Direct Program you will receive an e-mail notification two days prior to the day the payment will be credited to your designated account. The e-mail notification will come in the form of a remittance advice with the same information that currently appears on your check stub, and will contain the date that the funds will be credited to your account.

#### 5. WHAT IF THERE IS A DISCREPANCY IN THE AMOUNT RECEIVED?

Please contact your Westchester County representative as you would have in the past if there were a discrepancy on a check received.

# 6. WHAT IF I DO NOT RECEIVE THE MONEY IN MY DESIGNATED BANK ACCOUNT ON THE DATE INDICATED IN THE E-MAIL?

In the unlikely event that this occurs, please contact the Westchester County Accounts Payable Department at 914-995-4708.

#### 7. WHAT MUST I DO IF I CHANGE MY BANK OR MY ACCOUNT NUMBER?

Whenever you change **any info**rmation or close your account a new Vendor Direct Payment Authorization Form must be submitted. Please contact the Westchester County Accounts Payable Department at 914-995-4708 and we will e-mail you a new form.

#### 8. WHEN COMPLETING THE PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION FORM, WHY MUST I HAVE IT SIGNED BY A BANK OFFICIAL IF I DON'T INCLUDE A VOIDED CHECK?

This is to ensure the authenticity of the account being set up to receive your payments.

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Westchester gov.com	Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) Vendor Direct Payment Authorization Form	New Change No Change
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## Section I - Vendor Information

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5. Vendor E-Mail Addresses for Remittance Noti	ification:			
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FINANCIAL INSTITUTION CERTIFICATION ( attached to this form): I certify that the account representative of the named financial Institution payments to the account shown.	t number and type of acc	ount is maintained in the n	ame of the vendor nam	ed above. As a
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## Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) Vendor Direct Payment Authorization Form

#### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please complete both sections of the Vendor Direct Payment Authorization Form and forward the completed form (along with a voided check for the account to which you want your payments credited) to: Westchester County Department of Finance, 148 Martine Ave, Room 720, White Plains, NY 10601, Attention: Vendor Direct. Please see item 14 below regarding attachment of a voided check.

#### Section I - VENDOR INFORMATION

- 1. Provide the name of the vendor as it appears on the W-9 form.
- 2. Enter the vendor's Taxpayer ID number or Social Security Number as it appears on the W-9 form.
- 3. Enter the vendor's complete primary address (not a P.O. Box).
- 4. Provide the name and telephone number of the vendor's contact person.
- 5. Enter the business e-mail address for the remittance notification. THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT. This is the e-mail address that we will use to send you notification and remittance information two days prior to the payment being credited to your bank account. We suggest that you provide a group mailbox (if applicable) for your e-mail address. You may also designate multiple e-mail addresses.
- 6. Please have an authorized Payee/Company official sign and date the form and include his/her title.

#### Section II - FINANCIAL INSTITUTION INFORMATION

- 7. Provide bank's name.
- 8. Provide the complete address of your bank.
- 9. Enter your bank's 9 digit routing transit number.
- 10. Indicate the type of account (check one box only).
- 11. Enter the vendor's bank account number.
- 12. Enter the title of the vendor's account.
- 13. Provide the name and telephone number of your bank contact person.
- 14. If you are directing your payments to a Savings Account OR you can not attach a voided check for your checking account, this line needs to be completed and signed by an authorized bank official. IF YOU DO ATTACH A VOIDED CHECK FOR A CHECKING ACCOUNT, YOU MAY LEAVE THIS LINE BLANK.

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#### SCHEDULE "E"

#### **CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION**

1) In order to assure compliance with 2 C.F.R. Part 180, 2 C.F.R. Part 376, and other applicable law, the Municipality certifies that it, its principals, and affiliates

(a) Are not presently disbarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded by any Federal department or agency;

(b) Have not within a 3-year period preceding this Agreement been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction, including any violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

(c) Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (b) above; and

(d) Have not within a 3-year period preceding this Agreement had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.

2) Where the Municipality is unable to certify to any of the statements in this paragraph, the Municipality shall attach an explanation to this certification.

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#### SCHEDULE "F" Certification Regarding Drug-Free Workplace Requirements Grantees Other Than Individuals

This certification is required by regulations implementing Sections 5151-5160 of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, 41 U.S.C. § 701, et seq. See 48 C.F.R. Subpart 23.5.

The grantee certifies that it will provide a drug-free workplace by:

(a) Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the grantee's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;

(b) Establishing a drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:

(1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;

(2) The grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;

(3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; and,

(4) The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations occurring in the workplace;

(c) Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the grant be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);

(d) Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that, as a condition of employment under the grant, the employee will:

(1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and,

(2) Notify the employer of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five days after such conviction;

(e) Notifying the agency within ten days after receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction;

(f) Taking one of the following actions, within 30 days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted:

(1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination; or

(2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

(g) Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraph (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f).

Organization
Authorized Signature Title Date

#### SCHEDULE "G"

## **CERTIFICATION OF RESTRICTIONS ON LOBBYING**

	(Name of Firm)
that:	
(1)	No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
(2)	If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for making lobbying efforts to an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying", in accordance with its instructions.
(3)	The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.
transa or ente	ertification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance is placed when this ction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making ering into this transaction imposed 31, U.S.C. § 1352. Any C-2 Continued
person \$10,00	who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than 00 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.
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	Signature of Municipality's Authorized Official

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Signature of Municipality's Authorized Official \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Name of Municipality's Authorized Official \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Title of Municipality Authorized Official \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date

## SCHEDULE "H"

# NEW YORK STATE OFFICE FOR THE AGING

# Contributions and Other Program Income Policy



# SCHEDULE "I"

## NEW YORK STATE OFFICE FOR THE AGING

#### STANDARD ASSURANCES

ATTACHMENT A The 2023-23 ANNUAL UPDATE to the 2020-24 THE FOUR-YEAR PLAN April 1, 2023- March 31, 2023