



MONROE COUNTY

Human Services Committee

January 23, 2024 5:00 PM

AGENDA

- A. ROLL CALL
- B. PUBLIC FORUM
- C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

November 28, 2023

- D. NEW BUSINESS

24-0016

Amend Resolution 89 of 2023 to Accept Additional Funding from the United States Children's Bureau, an Office of the Administration for Children and Families, through a Subcontract with the University of Connecticut for Improving Systems and Implementing Interventions to Support Lasting Reunification of Families - County Executive Adam J. Bello

24-0018

Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester for Flower City Public Health Corps Members to Serve in the Monroe County Department of Public Health - County Executive Adam J. Bello

24-0019

Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester to Conduct Primary Lead Poisoning Prevention Activities in City Target Areas for the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program - County Executive Adam J. Bello

24-0020

Authorize Agency Contracts with Finger Lakes Health Systems d/b/a Common Ground Health and ROCovery Fitness, Inc. for the Monroe County Department of Public Health Addiction Services Program - County Executive Adam J. Bello

24-0021

Authorize a Contract with Dentserv Dental Services, PC to Provide Dental Services for Residents of Monroe Community Hospital - County Executive Adam J. Bello

24-0022

Authorize Contracts to Provide Temporary Nursing Staff at Monroe Community Hospital - County Executive Adam J. Bello

24-0023

Acceptance of Funding from the New York State Office for the Aging and Authorization to Contract with Lifespan of Greater Rochester, Inc. for the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act - County Executive Adam J. Bello

24-0035

Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Department of Health for Increasing Training Capacity in Statewide Healthcare Facilities - County Executive Adam J. Bello

24-0036

Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Office of Children and Family Services for the Safe Harbour Initiative for 2024 - County Executive Adam J. Bello

24-0042

Authorize an Agency Contract with New York Recovery Alliance, Inc. for the Monroe County Department of Public Health Addiction Services Program - As a Matter of Importance - County Executive Adam J. Bello

E. OTHER MATTERS

F. ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the Human Services Committee is scheduled for Tuesday,

February 27, 2024 at 5:00 P.M.



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Summary of Minutes

HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

November 28, 2023

5:00 p.m.

Chairman Keller called the meeting to order at 5:01 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Blake Keller (Chair), Jackie Smith (Vice Chair), Paul Dondorfer, Steve Brew, Kirk Morris, Michael Yudelson (RMM), Linda Hasman, Albert Blankley, Carolyn Delvecchio Hoffman

OTHER LEGISLATORS PRESENT: Richard B. Milne, Sean M. Delehanty, Robert Colby, Roman Misula, William Burgess, Ricky Frazier, Susan Hughes-Smith

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Jeff McCann (Deputy County Executive), Adrienne Green (Legislative Liaison), Robert Franklin (CFO), John Bringewatt (County Attorney), Laura Smith (Chief Deputy County Attorney), Steve Newcomb (Director – Office for the Aging), Tim Henry (Deputy Director – Public Safety), Sean Murphy (Deputy Director – DES), Denise Read (DHS), Richard Tantalo (Director – Public Safety), Rebecca Hartman (Chief Toxicologist), Kathy Carelock (Public Health), Thalia Wright (DHS Commissioner), Bob Zerby (Medical Examiner’s Office), Andrea Guzzetta Zury (HR Director), Rebecca Case Caico (Director of Research Strategy and Development), Tom Frys (Transportation Director), Dale Russell (Veterans Services Agency), Mark Funk (Assigned Counsel), Desmond Jackson (MCH), Dr. Michael Mendoza (Public Health Commissioner)

PUBLIC FORUM: There were no speakers.

PRESENTATION: Robert Franklin, Chief Financial Officer, Finance Department
Proposed 2024 Monroe County Budget
As it pertained to the Human Services Committee
(The presentation was followed by a question and answer period)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of October 24, 2023 were approved as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS:

23-0371 - Authorize a Contract with Vargas Associates, Inc. for Professional Design Services for the Department of Human Services Space Utilization Project – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Smith, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.

ADOPTED: 9-0

23-0376 - Authorize a Contract with Monroe Community College to Provide a Certified Nursing Assistant Training Program for New Employees at Monroe Community Hospital – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Morris.

ADOPTED: 9-0

23-0377 - Authorize a Contract with Medicaid Recoveries, Inc. to Provide Medicaid Application Services for Monroe Community Hospital – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Morris, SECONDED by Legislator Brew.
ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0378 - Authorize a Contract with St. Ann's Management Company, Inc. to Provide Comprehensive Medical Billing Services for Monroe Community Hospital – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.
ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0379 - Amend Resolution 220 of 2018 to Accept Additional Funding from the New York State Department of Health and Extend the Time Period for Support of the Monroe County Nurse-Family Partnership Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Smith, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.
ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0380 - Amend Resolution 412 of 2020, as Amended by Resolution 421 of 2021 and Resolution 369 of 2022, to Amend, Increase, and Extend the Term of the Contract with Rochester Regional Health, through its Rochester General Hospital Permitted Laboratories, to Provide Clinical Laboratory Services for the Monroe County Department of Public Health – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Morris.
ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0381 - Amend Resolution 429 of 2020 to Amend, Increase, and Extend the Term of the Contract with the University of Rochester Pulmonary Group of the Monroe County Department of Public Health Tuberculosis Control Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Morris, SECONDED by Legislator Brew.
ADOPTED: 9-0 (*Legislator Hasman Declared Her Interest Prior to the Vote.*)

- 23-0382 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Department of Health for the Tuberculosis Testing for Asylum Seekers Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.
ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0383 - Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Other Counties for Services Provided by the Monroe County Office of the Medical Examiner – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Smith, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.
ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0384 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Governor's Traffic Safety Committee for the Comprehensive Toxicology Testing in Driving Under the Influence and Driving Under the Influence of Drugs Program (Office of the Medical Examiner) – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Morris.
ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0385 - Authorize a Contract with Nurse-Family Partnership (National Service Office) for Support of the Nurse-Family Partnership Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Morris, SECONDED by Legislator Brew.

ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0386 -** Authorize Contracts with Karen Rosenbloom, Paul DiStefano, William Hawkins, Pamela Grant, and Any Other Qualified Individual to Provide Municipal Representative Services for the Preschool Special Education Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0387 -** Acceptance of Funding from the New York State Office of Mental Health and Amend Resolution 393 of 2022, as Amended by Resolutions 142, 225, and 298 of 2023 and the Resolution Adopted Pursuant to Referral 23-0314, Authorizing Contracts for the Provision of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, and Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services in 2023 for the Monroe County Office of Mental Health – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Smith, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.

ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0388 -** Authorize Contracts for the Provision of Mental Health, Developmental Disability, and Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services in 2024 for the Monroe County Office of Mental Health – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Morris.

ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0389 -** Authorize Intermunicipal Agreements with Municipalities for Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau Programs in 2024 – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Morris, SECONDED by Legislator Brew.

ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0390 -** Authorize Contracts with Not-For-Profit Agencies for Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau Programs in 2024 – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Smith.

ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0391 -** Authorization to Contract for Monroe County Office for the Aging Programs in 2024-2025 – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Smith, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.

ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0408 -** Authorize Professional Services Contracts for the Monroe County Office of Mental Health, Socio-Legal Center – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Morris.

ADOPTED: 9-0

- 23-0410 -** Acceptance of a Grant from Health Research Inc. / New York State Department of Health for the New York State Public Health Corps Fellowship Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Morris, SECONDED by Legislator Brew.

ADOPTED: 9-0

23-0413 - Authorize Contracts with Rochester Industries Placement, Inc. d/b/a Authentica and WorkFit Medical, LLC for Medical Occupational Examinations and Consultations for Monroe County Employees and the Monroe County HAZMAT Team – As a Matter of Importance – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.
ADOPTED: 9-0

OTHER MATTERS:

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no other matters, Chairman Keller adjourned the meeting at 7:41 p.m.

The next Human Services Committee meeting will be announced.

Respectfully submitted,
David Grant
Clerk of the Legislature



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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Amend Resolution 89 of 2023 to Accept Additional Funding from the United States Children's Bureau, an Office of the Administration for Children and Families, through a Subcontract with the University of Connecticut for Improving Systems and Implementing Interventions to Support Lasting Reunification of Families

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body amend Resolution 89 of 2023 to accept additional funding from the United States Children's Bureau, an Office of the Administration for Children and Families, through a subcontract with the University of Connecticut, in the amount of \$234,195 for Improving Systems and Implementing Interventions to Support Lasting Reunification of Families for the period of January 1, 2023 through September 29, 2025.

By Resolution 89 of 2023, Your Honorable Body authorized the acceptance of a grant from the United States Children's Bureau through a subcontract with University of Connecticut. The award is to develop, integrate and evaluate best practices and innovative interventions that will improve outcomes for children and youth in foster care with a goal of reunification with their parents and families. The additional funding will be used to continue to support this program. The additional funding will bring the grant's total to \$834,195.

The specific legislative actions required are:

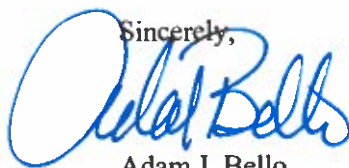
1. Amend Resolution 89 of 2023 to accept an additional \$234,195 from, and to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the United States Children's Bureau, an Office of the Administration for Children and Families, through a subcontract with the University of Connecticut for Improving Systems and Implementing Interventions to Support Lasting Reunification of Families, bringing the total program award to \$834,195 for the period of January 1, 2023 through September 29, 2025.
2. Amend the 2023 operating budget of the Department of Human Services, Division of Social Services by appropriating the sum of \$234,195 into general fund 9300, funds center 5102010000, Child and Family Services Administration.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) (“routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment”) and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

This grant is 100% funded by the United States Children’s Bureau through a subcontract with University of Connecticut. No net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,



Adam J. Bello
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To The Honorable
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Subject: Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester for Flower City Public Health Corps Members to Serve in the Monroe County Department of Public Health

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize an intermunicipal agreement with the City of Rochester for Flower City Public Health Corps members to support the Monroe County Department of Public Health for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with the option to renew for one (1) additional one-year term.

Under this program, City of Rochester AmeriCorps members serving in the Flower City Public Health Corps members will support the Monroe County Department of Public Health's work in the community. Members will receive an overview of the department and then be assigned to a division and program that matches their interests. For example, a member with an interest in logistics could be assigned to the Office of Public Health Preparedness to assist in the planning and execution of a preparedness exercise. A member with an interest in Maternal Child Health could be assigned to the Nurse Family Partnership Program to connect clients with community resources. The final assignment will be dictated by the interest of the Flower City Public Health Corps member and the programmatic needs of the Monroe County Department of Public Health.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement and any amendments thereto, with the City of Rochester for Flower City Public Health Corps Members to serve in the Monroe County Department of Public Health for the period January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with the option to renew for one (1) additional one-year term.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not included new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

This intermunicipal agreement will have no impact on the revenues or expenditures of the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,

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Subject: Authorize an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Rochester to Conduct Primary Lead Poisoning Prevention Activities in City Target Areas for the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize an intermunicipal agreement with the City of Rochester in an amount not to exceed \$310,000 to conduct primary lead poisoning prevention activities in City target areas for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024.

This contract will support the County's Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program. The City of Rochester will conduct primary lead poisoning prevention activities in City target areas, including: visual lead inspections, dust wipe sampling, and clearance testing following lead hazard control activities.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an intermunicipal agreement, and any amendments thereto, with the City of Rochester to conduct primary lead poisoning prevention activities in City target areas for the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program in an amount not to exceed \$310,000 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for this contract is included in the 2024 operating budget of the Department of Public Health, general fund 9001, funds center 5806110000, Lead Programs. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,

Adam J. Bello
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To The Honorable
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Subject: Authorize Agency Contracts with Finger Lakes Health Systems Agency d/b/a Common Ground Health and RORecovery Fitness, Inc. for the Monroe County Department of Public Health Addiction Services Program

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize agency contracts with Finger Lakes Health Systems Agency d/b/a Common Ground Health in an amount not to exceed \$68,000 and RORecovery Fitness, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$39,000 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with the option to renew for four (4) additional one-year terms based on available funding and services to be provided for the Monroe County Department of Public Health Addiction Services Program.

These agencies will support the work of the Addiction Services Division in naloxone distribution, opioid education, linkage to medication-assisted treatment, training, behavioral health supports, community resource connection, overdose follow-up care, peer support, safe drug disposal practices, data collection, data analysis, and peer workforce development.

A Request for Proposals was issued, with Finger Lakes Health Systems Agency d/b/a Common Ground Health and RORecovery Fitness, Inc. selected as the most qualified to provide these services.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with Finger Lakes Health Systems Agency d/b/a Common Ground Health, 1150 University Avenue, Rochester, New York 14607, to provide Naloxone distribution and opioid education through community business owners in identified high risk zip codes in an amount not to exceed \$68,000 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with the option to renew for four (4) additional one-year terms in an amount not to exceed \$68,000 based on available funding and services to be provided.
2. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with RORecovery Fitness, Inc., 1035 Dewey Avenue, Rochester, New York 14613, to develop a Certified Peer Recovery Workforce, in an amount not to exceed \$39,000 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with the option to renew for four (4) additional one-year terms in an amount not to exceed \$39,000 based on available funding and services to be provided.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for these contracts is included in the 2024 operating budget of the Department of Public Health, general fund 9001, funds center 5801120000, Opioid & Addiction Services Task Force. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

The records in the office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that Finger Lakes Health Systems Agency d/b/a Common Ground Health and ROCoverly Fitness, Inc., each of which are not-for-profit entities, do not owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive

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To The Honorable
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Subject: Authorize a Contract with Dentserv Dental Services, PC to Provide Dental Services for Residents of Monroe Community Hospital

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize a contract with DentServ Dental Services, P.C. in a total amount not to exceed \$915,000 to provide dental services for residents of Monroe Community Hospital ("MCH") for the period of May 1, 2024 through April 30, 2027, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms at rates increasing annually in an amount not to exceed 3.0%.

To ensure appropriate dental care of its residents, it is necessary that MCH contract with a vendor that is able to provide dentists, dental technicians, hygienists, and dental assistants as necessary to perform routine patient examinations, provide care for other dental conditions, and consultation to MCH. The provider must deliver services in accordance with regulatory requirements, resident needs, and professional standards of practice. DentServ Dental Services, P.C. currently provides these services.

A Request for Proposals was issued, with DentServ Dental Services, P.C. being the sole respondent.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with DentServ Dental Services, P.C., 15 Canal Road, Pelham Manor, New York 10803, to provide dental services for residents of Monroe Community Hospital in a total amount not to exceed \$915,000 for the period of May 1, 2024 through April 30, 2027, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms at rates increasing annually in an amount not to exceed 3.0%.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for the first year of this contract this contract is included in the 2024 operating budget of Monroe Community Hospital, hospital fund 9012, funds center 6203160000, Clinic, and will be requested in future years budgets. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

The records in the Office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that neither DentServ Dental Services, P.C., nor any of its principal officers owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes. The principal officers of the firm are:

Dr. Martin Cukier, President (sole owner of company)
Gregg Salzman, Chief Operating Officer

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,


Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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To The Honorable
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Subject: Authorize Contracts to Provide Temporary Nursing Staff at Monroe Community Hospital

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize contracts with Adecco Medical & Science Staffing, Inc., Battle Licensed Practical Nursing, PLLC, Clinical Staffing Resources Corp., Cross Country Staffing, Inc. (d/b/a Cross Country Healthcare Services), Excel Staffing Solutions, LLC, and Maxim Healthcare Staffing Services, Inc. to provide nursing staff relief on a temporary basis at Monroe Community Hospital in a total amount not to exceed \$450,000 collectively for the period of April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one-year terms with an increase in an amount not to exceed 3.0% per year.

Monroe Community Hospital must maintain adequate staffing for patient care. These contracts will provide for temporary relief services needed to cover absences due to illness, injury on duty, vacations and job vacancies for certified nursing assistants, licensed practical nurses, and registered nurses at the Hospital. The necessity of having a number of temporary agencies to provide nursing personnel is crucial in order to assure proper staffing is met at all times.

A Request for Qualifications was issued for these services, with Adecco Medical & Science Staffing, Inc., Battle Licensed Practical Nursing, PLLC, Clinical Staffing Resources Corp., Cross Country Staffing, Inc. (d/b/a Cross Country Healthcare Services), Excel Staffing Solutions, LLC, and Maxim Healthcare Staffing Services, Inc. rated the most qualified.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute contracts, and any amendments thereto, with Adecco Medical & Science Staffing, Inc., 1890 South Winton Road, Suite 150, Rochester, New York 14618, Battle Licensed Practical Nursing, PLLC, 215 South Main Street, Newark, New York 14513, Clinical Staffing Resources Corp., 420 Broadway, 3rd Floor, Brooklyn, New York 11211, Cross Country Staffing, Inc. (d/b/a Cross Country Healthcare Services), 6551 Park of Commerce Boulevard, Boca Raton, Florida 33487, Excel Staffing Solutions, LLC, 50 Bernar Park, Suite 6, Rochester, New York 14624, and Maxim Healthcare Staffing Services, Inc., 500 Seneca Street, Suite 610, Buffalo, New York 14204, to provide nursing staff relief on a temporary basis at Monroe Community Hospital in a total amount not to exceed \$450,000 collectively for the period of April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one-year terms with an increase in an amount not to exceed 3.0% per year.

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Funding for these contracts is included in the 2024 operating budget of Monroe Community Hospital, hospital fund 9012, funds center 6203010000, Nursing Administration, and will be requested in future years' budgets. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County Budget.

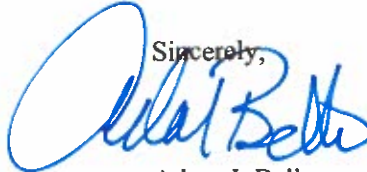
This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

The records in the Office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that neither Adecco Medical & Science Staffing, Inc., Battle Licensed Practical Nursing, PLLC, Clinical Staffing Resources Corp., Cross Country Staffing, Inc. (d/b/a Cross Country Healthcare Services), Excel Staffing Solutions, LLC, Maxim Healthcare Staffing Services, Inc., nor any of their principal officers, owe any delinquent Monroe County Property taxes. The principal officers of the firms are:

Adecco Medical & Science Staffing, Inc.: Publicly Traded Company (ISIN: CH0012138605)
Battle Licensed Practical Nursing, PLLC: Robert L. Battle, Jr., Owner
Clinical Staffing Resources Corp.: Daniel Weinberger, Owner and President
Cross Country Staffing Inc.: Publicly-held C-Corporation (NASDAQ: CCRN)
Excel Staffing Solutions, LLC: Kelly Shamp, Owner and President
Maxim Healthcare Staffing Services, Inc.: Bill Butz, President, Adam Gier, Business Development Manager

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,



Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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To The Honorable
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Subject: Acceptance of Funding from the New York State Office for the Aging and Authorization to Contract with Lifespan of Greater Rochester, Inc. for the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body accept a grant from the New York State Office for the Aging in the amount of \$50,028 for the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act for the period of September 1, 2023 through August 31, 2024 and authorize a contract with Lifespan of Greater Rochester, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$45,756 for the period of September 1, 2023 through August 31, 2024 to administer the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act services.

This funding will be used by the Monroe County Office for the Aging to increase the number of older adults, informal family caregivers, and area providers' understanding of Medicaid, Medicare and other health insurance options. In addition, these funds will be used to help eligible older adults apply for Medicare Part B and Part D to lower their health insurance costs. This is the fourteenth year Monroe County has received funding for this grant. This year's funding represents an increase of \$3,857 from last year.

A request for proposals was issued for these services, with Lifespan of Greater Rochester, Inc. rated the most qualified.

Please refer to the attached Purchase of Service Information form for disclosure of information required pursuant to Resolution 223 of 2007, as amended by Resolution 11 of 2008.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept a \$50,028 grant from, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the New York State Office for the Aging for the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act for the period of September 1, 2023 through August 31, 2024.

2. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with Lifespan of Greater Rochester, Inc., 1900 South Clinton Avenue, Rochester, NY 14618, to administer the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act services in an amount not to exceed \$45,756 for the period of September 1, 2023 through August 31, 2024.
3. Authorize the County Executive to appropriate any subsequent years of these funds in accordance with the grant terms, to reappropriate any unencumbered balances during the grant period according to the grantor requirements, to make any necessary funding modifications within the grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments, and to enter into any amendments to extend the time period of the grant.
4. Should funding of this program be modified or terminated for any reason, the County Executive is hereby authorized to terminate or modify the program and where applicable, to terminate or abolish some or all positions funded under such program. Any termination or abolishment of positions shall be in accordance with New York State Civil Service Law and when applicable, the terms of any labor agreement affecting such positions.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) (“routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment”) and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for this contract is included in the 2024 operating budget of the Department of Human Services, Office for the Aging, general fund 9001, funds center 5501030000, Support Services Contracts. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

Lifespan of Greater Rochester, Inc. is a not-for-profit agency and the records in the Office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that they do not owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,



Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive

PURCHASE OF SERVICES INFORMATION FORM
Per Resolution 223 of 2007 as amended by Resolution 11 of 2008

Re: Acceptance of Funding from the New York State Office for the Aging and Authorization to Contract with Lifespan of Greater of Rochester, Inc. for the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act

Total Served 2022-23 **1433**
Proposed \$ Amt. 2023-24: **\$45,756**

SECTION I

PROGRAM: Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Program (MIPPA)

CONTRACTOR: Lifespan of Greater Rochester, Inc., Ann Marie Cook, President/CEO

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Medicare health insurance counseling, education and outreach directed at raising beneficiary awareness and understanding of Part D, and available preventive and wellness benefits.

PRIMARY OBJECTIVE(S)/ DELIVERABLES: To increase the ability of older adults, their family caregivers and area professionals to understand and choose affordable health insurance. A special emphasis to target low-income, culturally diverse and underserved older adults will be provided.

PRIMARY PERFORMANCE MEASURE/INDICATOR: People provided Medicare health insurance counseling, enrollment assistance, education and outreach will increase their awareness and understanding of Medicare Low-Income Subsidies, Savings Program, Medicare prescription drug coverage and available preventive and wellness benefits.

| | Previous Year Projection | Previous Year Actual | Current Year Projection | Next Year Projection |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Program Year | 9/1/22-8/31/23 | 9/1/22-8/31/23 | 9/1/23-8/31/24 | 9/1/24-8/31/25 |
| Total # of Applications | 375 | 375 | 1000 | 1000 |
| # Successful | 356 | 1433 | 900 | 900 |
| % Successful | 90% | 382.13% | 90% | 90% |

OUTCOME ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY: Lifespan uses the New York State Office for Aging's designated Statewide Client Data System, and the County's *ContrackHQ* to generate monthly and quarterly reports, annual self-evaluations, program assessments, performance measures, outcome objectives, number of people served including demographics, and units provided which measure the effectiveness and impact of the program.

SECONDARY PERFORMANCE MEASURE/INDICATOR: Indicator of Success: Older Adults will be satisfied with the quality of service provided using the Customer Satisfaction Survey provided to participants.

| | Previous Year Projection | Previous Year Actual | Current Year Projection | Next Year Projection |
|--------------|--------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Program Year | 9/1/22-8/31/23 | 9/1/22-8/31/23 | 9/1/23-8/31/24 | 9/1/24-8/31/25 |
| % Successful | 90% | 90% | 90% | 90% |

OUTCOME ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY: Clients are surveyed to determine effectiveness of the program and measure the level of increased knowledge after receiving information from a MIPPA counselor. Surveys are compiled and analyzed annually.

BOARD MEMBERS: Vicki Hines, Ralph J. Code, III, Esq., LaRon Rowe, Lucia Acosta-Castillejo, Michael Burke, Will Carroll, John Clark, Tere Dominas, Ericka Elliott, Beverly Fair-Brooks, Jarrett Felton, John Fornof, Ankit Garg, Tracy Greene, Bob Hartman, Dr. Brian Heppard, Lori Jansen, Michael Kaufman, Cindy Lovetro, John Lynch, Jr., Dr. Robert McCann, Pennie McNulty, Susan Powell Byrd, Lisa Powers, Esq., Dr. Stephen Ryan, Jaime Soley, Miguel Velazquez, Roberta Van Winkle, Liz Vega

SECTION II

SOURCE MATERIAL: Annual Evaluation is on file with the Clerk of the Monroe County Legislature.



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January 5, 2024

To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Department of Health for Increasing Training Capacity in Statewide Healthcare Facilities

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body accept a grant from the New York State Department of Health in a total amount not to exceed \$878,756 for Increasing Training Capacity in Statewide Healthcare Facilities at Monroe Community Hospital ("MCH") for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2025.

This grant was awarded based on the need to rebuild and grow the healthcare workforce with programs designed to improve the career pipeline, expand access to healthcare training and education, and to recruit care workers to underserved areas, as a direct result of the COVID-19 pandemic and the continuing and existing healthcare professional shortages in New York State. This opportunity is intended to support projects that fulfill the goal of increasing the training capacity of healthcare facilities with the goal of supporting healthcare facilities to prepare, mentor, and train a steady pipeline of high-quality healthcare professionals.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept a grant in a total amount not to exceed \$878,756 from, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the New York State Department of Health for Increasing Training Capacity in Statewide Healthcare Facilities at Monroe Community Hospital for the period of October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2025.
2. Amend the 2024 operating budget of Monroe Community Hospital by appropriating the sum of \$878,756 into hospital fund 9312, funds center 6201010000, Administration.

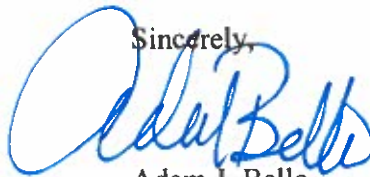
3. Authorize the County Executive to appropriate any subsequent years of the grant award in accordance with the grant terms, to reappropriate any unencumbered balances during the grant period according to the grantor requirements, to make any necessary funding modifications within the grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments, and to enter into any amendments to extend the time period of the grant.
4. Should funding of this program be modified or terminated for any reason, the County Executive is hereby authorized to terminate or modify the program and, where applicable, to terminate or abolish some or all positions funded under such program. Any termination or abolishment of positions shall be in accordance with New York State Civil Service Law and, when applicable, the terms of any labor agreement affecting such positions.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5 (c)(26) (“routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment”) and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

This grant is 100% funded by the New York State Department of Health. No net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,



Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive



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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Office of Children and Family Services for the Safe Harbour Initiative for 2024

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body accept a grant from the New York State Office of Children and Family Services ("OCFS") in the amount of \$40,000 for the Safe Harbour Initiative for 2024 ("Safe Harbour") for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024.

This award will be used to continue the established efforts of Safe Harbour such as short-term safe housing that offers 24-hour crisis intervention, medical care, advocacy, and other services to underage victims of human trafficking within Monroe County. The Center for Youth Services will continue to be the lead agency for this grant after its demonstrated successful collaboration with Monroe County during the partnership's 6 year pilot program, and initial year of "NYS Graduate Community" status. Monroe County has been recognized as a statewide leader with Safe Harbour and has shared it's successes with new piloting counties.

The Department of Human Services will continue to assign the Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau Executive Director to be its representative who will serve as County liaison to the OCFS Statewide Steering Committee and to provide inter-agency collaborative support and guidance for sustainable implementation of the Safe Harbour Plan. Training will be provided to teach the skills and tools necessary to ensure that child victims are properly identified, referred, and receive the appropriate specialized services to which they are entitled by law. This is the eleventh year the County has received this grant. This year's funding represents a decrease of \$3,350 from last year.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept a \$40,000 grant from, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services for the Safe Harbour Initiative for 2024 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024.

2. Amend the 2024 operating budget of the Department of Human Services, Division of Social Services, by appropriating the sum of \$40,000 into fund 9300, funds center 5102010000, Child and Family Services Administration.
3. Authorize the County Executive to appropriate any subsequent years of the grant award in accordance with the grant terms, to reappropriate any unencumbered balances during the grant period according to the grantor requirements, to make any necessary funding modifications within the grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments, and to enter into any amendments to extend the time period of the grant.
4. Should funding of this program be modified or terminated for any reason, the County Executive is hereby authorized to terminate or modify the program and, where applicable, to terminate or abolish some or all positions funded under such program. Any termination or abolishment of positions shall be in accordance with New York State Civil Service Law and, when applicable, the terms of any labor agreements affecting such positions.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) (“routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment”) and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

This grant is 100% funded by the New York State Office of Children and Family Services. No net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,



Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive

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January 18, 2024

To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Authorize an Agency Contract with New York Recovery Alliance, Inc. for the Monroe County Department of Public Health Addiction Services Program

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize an agency contract with New York Recovery Alliance, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$62,000 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with the option to renew for four (4) additional one-year terms in an amount not to exceed \$62,000 per year based on available funding and services to be provided for the Monroe County Department of Public Health Addiction Services Program.

This agency will support the work of the Addiction Services Division in naloxone distribution and opioid education, data collection, and peer support.

A Request for Proposals was issued, with New York Recovery Alliance, Inc. selected as the most qualified to provide these services.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute a contract, and any amendments thereto, with New York Recovery Alliance, Inc., 149 Crosman Terrace, Rochester, New York 14620, to provide Naloxone distribution and opioid education through impacted individuals in identified high risk zip codes in an amount not to exceed \$62,000 for the period of January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024, with the option to renew for four (4) additional one-year terms in an amount not to exceed \$62,000 per year based on available funding and services to be provided.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for this contract is included in the 2024 operating budget of the Department of Public Health, general fund 9001, funds center 5801120000, Opioid & Addiction Services Task Force. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

The records in the office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that New York Recovery Alliance, Inc., which is a not-for-profit entity, does not owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,



Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive

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