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

**Subject:** Amend Resolution 375 of 2018 to Extend the Time Period of the Grant from the U.S. Department of Justice for the FY18 Adult Drug Court Discretionary Program and Amend Resolution 124 of 2019 to Extend and Increase the Contract with Veterans Outreach Center to Provide Services to Veterans in the Rochester Veterans Treatment Court

**Honorable Legislators:**

I recommend that Your Honorable Body amend Resolution 375 of 2018 to extend the term of the grant from the U.S. Department of Justice ("DOJ") for the FY18 Adult Drug Court Discretionary Program through December 31, 2023, and to amend Resolution 124 of 2019 to extend the term and increase the amount of the contract with the Veterans Outreach Center ("VOC") for a Case Manager and Peer Specialist to provide services to veterans in the Rochester Veterans Treatment Court for an additional eight (8) months through December 31, 2023, in a total amount not to exceed \$120,833.33 for the period of May 1, 2022 through December 31, 2023.

The initial period of performance for the grant expired on December 31, 2022. The Monroe County Veterans Service Agency, as a result of limitations on in-person services from the Veterans Treatment Court and Veterans Outreach Center ("VOC") during the COVID-19 pandemic, requested and received approval from DOJ for a 12-month extension to the grant performance period, through December 31, 2023. This extension will allow the court and the VOC to provide services to veterans in the criminal justice system for an additional year. This year is the last year of potential extensions for the grant.

The amendment to the VOC contract will extend the contract period from its current end date of April 30, 2023 through December 31, 2023. VOC provides clinical services to support the Rochester Veterans Treatment Court through funding from the DOJ grant. The purpose of this contract extension is to allow VOC to continue to provide clinical support to the Veterans Treatment Court through 2023 and to bring the end of the contract period into alignment with the end of the grant performance period. The amendment will also increase the amount of the contract for its final term, from May 1, 2022 through December 31, 2023, from \$72,500 to \$120,833.33. The increase is the prorated annual amount of the contract for an additional eight months of services to the end of the grant performance period.

**The specific legislative actions required are:**

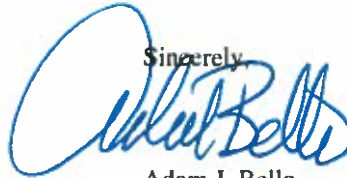
1. Amend Resolution 375 of 2018 to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an amendment to extend the term of the grant from the U.S. Department of Justice for the FY18 Adult Drug Court Discretionary Program through December 31, 2023.

2. Amend Resolution 124 of 2019 to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute an amendment to extend the term and increase the amount of the contract with the Veterans Outreach Center ("VOC") for a Case Manager and Peer Specialist to provide services to veterans in the Rochester Veterans Treatment Court for an additional eight (8) months through December 31, 2023, in a total amount not to exceed \$120,833.33 for the period of May 1, 2022 through December 31, 2023.

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 is included in the 2023 operating budget of the Veterans Service Agency, general fund 9300, funds center 7401010000. This is a reimbursable grant under which the County provides services and requests reimbursement from the Department of Justice. 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,  


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Monroe County Executive

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