Resolution No. 44 February 13, 2018

Authorizing The Ulster County Executive To Execute A Contract With The New York State Housing Trust Fund Corporation Represented By The Office Of Community Renewal, For Federal Funding For The Implementation Of Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) – Amending The 2018 Ulster County Budget -Department Of Planning

Referred to: The Economic Development, Tourism, Housing, Planning and Transit Committee (Chairman James Maloney and Legislators Archer, Delaune, Litts, Maio, Rodriguez, and Woltman), and The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Gerentine and Legislators Archer, Bartels, Lopez, James Maloney, Joseph Maloney, and Petit)

Chairman of the Economic Development, Tourism, Housing, Planning, and Transit Committee, James F. Maloney, and Deputy Chair Hector Rodriguez offer the following:

WHEREAS, this resolution has been submitted by the County Executive on behalf of the Department of Planning; and

WHEREAS, the Ulster County Planning Department identified homeownership programs as an eligible activity under New York State Homes and Community Renewal's (HCR) Community Planning Grants and prepared a draft application requesting \$450,000.00 in funding to conduct a homeownership program for income eligible applicants; and

WHEREAS, the Ulster County Legislature conducted the necessary public outreach for the application including a public hearing with proper public notice, to receive comments on the proposed direction of the County's application, after which and with consideration of the comments received, an HCR Application for a homeownership program was submitted; and

WHEREAS, Ulster County has received notice that it has been awarded \$450,000.00 in funding for Project #1160HO350-17 from HCR (CFDA# 14.228) in accordance with its grant application; and

WHEREAS, since as required by the funding agency since 2012, the resolutions authorizing the execution of these contracts have authorized the County Executive as the County's signatory; and

WHEREAS, in order to accept and appropriate this funding it is necessary to amend the 2018 Ulster County Budget; now, therefore be it

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RESOLVED, that the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute an agreement (NYS Contract #1160HO350-17) and any amendments thereto, with the New York State Housing Trust Fund Corporation, in the amount of \$450,000.00, in the form as filed with the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature, or as modified with the approval of the County Attorney; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Director of Planning is hereby authorized to act as certifying officer including the filing of any certifications necessary for the purposes of implementing this award; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the 2018 Ulster County Budget is hereby amended as follows:

	<u>INCREASE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
BB.8668.3751-4600.4660 (Appr.#)	Misc. Contractual Expense, Other	\$450,000.00
BB.8668.3751-3400.4989 (Rev.#)	FA, Other Homes & Comm. Svces.	\$450,000.00

and move its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 22 NOES: 0 (Absent: Legislator Collins)

Passed Committee: Economic Development, Tourism, Housing, Planning, and Transit on January 31, 2018

Passed Committee: Ways and Means on February 6, 2018

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FINANCIAL IMPACT: \$450,000.00 – ADDITIONAL 2018 FEDERAL REVENUE DOLLARS PASS THROUGH NYS HOUSING TRUST FUND CORPORATION/ HOMES AND COMMUNITY RENEWAL \$450,000.00 – ADDITIONAL 2018 APPROPRIATION DOLLARS

STATE OF NEW YORK

SS: COUNTY OF ULSTER

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Legislature of the County of Ulster, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the original resolution adopted by the Ulster County Legislature on the 13th Day of February in the year Two Thousand and Eighteen, and said resolution shall remain on file in the office of said clerk.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the County of Ulster this 14th Day of February in the year Two Thousand and Eighteen.

<u>|s| Victoria A. Fabella</u> Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk Ulster County Legislature

Submitted to the County Executive this 15th Day of February, 2018.

<u>|s| Victoria A. Fabella</u> Victoria A. Fabella, Clerk Ulster County Legislature Approved by the County Executive this 23rd Day of February, 2018.

<u>|s| Michael P. Hein</u> Michael P. Hein, County Executive