



Vedat Gashi
Chairman,
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Board of Legislators

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DATE: May 5, 2025

TO: The Honorable Board of Acquisition and Contract

FROM: Honorable Vedat Gashi
Chairman, Westchester County Board of Legislators

SUBJECT: Authority to enter into an agreement with Pelham Pact Coalition, Inc. d/b/a Pelham Together, for the provision of various youth programming, including a youth council, youth summer internships, youth run entrepreneurial projects, youth therapy and other events designed to support the physical, social and mental wellbeing of youth residents of Pelham, for a term commencing retroactively on January 1, 2025 and continuing through December 31, 2025, for an amount not-to-exceed \$41,200.00, payable in two equal installments, pursuant to an approved budget.

Attached for your consideration is a Resolution which, if approved by your Honorable Board, would authorize the County of Westchester (the "County") to enter into an agreement (the "Agreement") with Pelham Pact Coalition, Inc. d/b/a Pelham Together ("PPC"), pursuant to which PPC will provide various programming for the youth residents of Pelham, including a youth council, youth summer internships, youth run entrepreneurial projects, youth therapy and other events designed to support their physical, social and mental wellbeing. The term of the proposed Agreement will commence retroactively on January 1, 2025 and continue through December 31, 2025, for an amount not-to-exceed \$41,200.00, payable in two equal installments, pursuant to an approved budget.

The purpose of this Agreement is to provide Westchester County youth residents with opportunities to establish connections such as leadership, mentorship, social and service opportunities, and mental health resources.

The goals and objectives of this Agreement are to provide Westchester County youth residents with opportunities such as a youth council, summer internships, youth run entrepreneurial projects, social events, civic engagement and service projects with topics that are important to youth, and youth therapy.

The goals and objectives of this Agreement will serve a public purpose by providing Westchester County youth residents with access to programs that are designed to develop their leadership skills, support their connectedness to the community and reduce the likelihood of negative outcomes associated with substance misuse and/or poor mental health, thereby providing them with opportunities to thrive now and in the future, advance the moral, physical, mental and social wellbeing of the youth of Westchester County.

The goals and objectives of the Agreement will be tracked and monitored in different ways for each of the various aspects of the programs and services to be provided.

The Agreement is exempt from the Westchester County Procurement Policy and Procedures, pursuant to Section 3 (a)(xviii) thereof, which exempts "any procurement for the purpose of entering into a contract or contracts with persons for the creation and support of recreation projects, youth service projects and other appropriate programs and services for the prevention of delinquency and youth crime and the advancement of the moral, physical, mental and social well-being of the youth of Westchester County."

Accordingly, authority is respectfully sought for the County of Westchester to enter into this Agreement.

VG/SC/sjc
Attachment

RESOLUTION

Upon a communication from the Chairman of the Westchester County Board of Legislators, it is hereby:

RESOLVED, that authority is hereby granted to the County of Westchester (the "County"), to enter into an agreement (the "Agreement") with Pelham Pact Coalition, Inc. d/b/a Pelham Together ("PPC"), pursuant to which PPC shall provide various youth programming, including a youth council, youth summer internships, youth run entrepreneurial projects, youth therapy and other events designed to support the physical, social and mental wellbeing of youth residents of Pelham, for a term commencing retroactively on January 1, 2025 and continuing through December 31, 2025, in an amount not to exceed \$41,200.00, payable in two equal installments, pursuant to an approved budget; and be it further

RESOLVED, that this Agreement is subject to County appropriations; and be it further

RESOLVED, that 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 PPC, then PPC shall have the right to terminate this Agreement upon reasonable prior written notice; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Westchester County Board of Legislators, or his duly authorized designee, is hereby authorized to execute any documents and take such actions reasonably necessary and appropriate to effectuate the purposes of this Resolution.

Account to be Charged/Credited:

Fund	Dept	Major Program, Program & Phase Or Unit	Sub-unit	Object/ Sub-Object	Dollars
101	52	2509	0010	5100	\$41,200.00

Budget Funding Year(s)
(must match resolution)

Start Date 1/1/25

End Date 12/31/25

Funding Source

Tax Dollars \$41,200.00

State Aid

\$41,200.00

Federal Aid

(must match resolution)

Other

APPROVED BOARD OF ACQUISITION & CONTRACT - 05/15/2025 - RAYMOND SCULKY, SECRETARY