

RESOLUTION NO. 890 -2015, AMENDING THE 2015 ADOPTED OPERATING BUDGET TO ACCEPT AND APPROPRIATE 100% FEDERAL GRANT FUNDS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, OFFICE OF JUSTICE PROGRAMS, TO THE SUFFOLK COUNTY OFFICE OF THE MEDICAL EXAMINER CRIME LABORATORY

WHEREAS, these 100% Federal grant funds are passed directly from the Department of Justice to the Suffolk County Office of the Medical Examiner for the Crime Laboratory and the award amount is \$228,824 for the period 10/01/14-09/30/16; and

WHEREAS, this program aims to reduce DNA backlog by increasing the throughput and timeliness of forensic analysis of evidence submitted to the Biological Sciences Section; and

WHEREAS, a portion of these funds in the amount of \$70,817 are already included in the 2015 Suffolk County Adopted Operating Budget and \$158,007 needs to be appropriated; and

WHEREAS, these funds are 100% federally funded; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, that the County Comptroller and the County Treasurer be and hereby are authorized to accept and appropriate \$158,007 in grant funds as follows:

<u>REVENUES:</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
001-4320 Medical Examiner	\$158,007

APPROPRIATIONS:

Office of the Medical Examiner
Forensic DNA Backlog Reduction Program
001-MED-4734

<u>Equipment</u>	<u>\$12,040</u>
2080-Medical, Dental, and Laboratory	\$12,040
<u>Supplies, Materials, and other expenses</u>	<u>\$43,620</u>
3370-Medical, Dental, and Laboratory Supplies	\$43,620
<u>Contractual Expenses</u>	<u>\$102,347</u>
4560-Fee for Service – Non-Employees	\$102,347

and be it further

2nd RESOLVED, that the funding and expenditures that may be incurred run concurrent to the budget period as specified in the award letter; and be it further

3rd **RESOLVED**, that this Legislature, being the lead agency under SEQRA and Chapter 279 of the Suffolk County Code, hereby determines that this resolution constitutes a Type II action.

DATED: November 17, 2015

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: December 2, 2015