

RESOLUTION NO. 888 -2015, ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING 100% GRANT FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$183,848 IN 100% FEDERAL FUNDING UNDER THE CONTINUUM OF CARE GRANT RENEWAL PROGRAM FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT WITH UNITED VETERANS BEACON HOUSE, INC.

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has awarded a grant renewal in the amount of \$183,848 under the Continuum of Care Grant Program to the Suffolk County Department of Social Services for a homeless assistance initiative, the Beacon House III Project, sponsored by the United Veterans Beacon House, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the terms of the grant renewal, the \$183,848 is pass-through funding which has been awarded to the Suffolk County Department of Social Services for the specific purpose of funding the Beacon House III Project; and

WHEREAS, under the Beacon House III Project, United Veterans Beacon House, Inc., will develop approximately eight units of permanent supportive housing in Suffolk County for homeless individuals and families. The clients will receive support services such as ongoing case management, crisis intervention, alcohol/substance abuse treatment, mental health care, medical care and educational/vocational services; and

WHEREAS, there is a critical need in Suffolk County for permanent housing which will provide the ongoing support and the linkages needed by this hard-to-serve population; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of Suffolk County to accept this HUD Grant which will provide 100% funding for the Beacon House III Project for a period of one year; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of Suffolk County to accept these funds; now, therefore be it

1st RESOLVED, that the County Comptroller and County Treasurer be and they hereby are authorized to accept the following funds:

REVENUES:

		<u>\$183,848</u>
001-4610	FEDERAL AID: Administration	\$183,848

and be it further

2nd RESOLVED, that total funds in the amount of \$183,848 be and they are hereby appropriated as follows:

ORGANIZATIONS:

Department of Social Services
Housing Services
001-DSS-6008

\$183,848

4900-Contracted Services

4980-HHI1 United Veterans Beacon House, Inc.

\$183,848

\$183,848

and be it further

3rd **RESOLVED**, that the County Executive and the Commissioner of Social Services be and are hereby authorized to execute a contract with United Veterans Beacon House, Inc., for the Beacon House III Project.

DATED: November 17, 2015

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: December 2, 2015