

Intro. Res. No. 1116-2016  
Introduced by Presiding Officer, on request of the County Executive

Laid on Table 2/9/2016

**RESOLUTION NO. 68 -2016, ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING 100% FEDERAL GRANT FUNDS FROM THE US DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE PASSED THROUGH THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES FOR THE PAUL COVERDELL FORENSIC SCIENCE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM TO THE SUFFOLK COUNTY OFFICE OF THE MEDICAL EXAMINER, CRIME LABORATORY**

**WHEREAS**, the US Department of Justice passed through the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services has awarded 100% Federal grant funds to the Suffolk County Office of the Medical Examiner, Crime Laboratory for the Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Program in the amount of \$21,542 for the period October 1, 2015 through September 30, 2016; and

**WHEREAS**, this program aims to improve the quality and timeliness of forensic science and medical examiner services; and

**WHEREAS**, said funds are not included in the 2016 Operating Budget; and

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

**1<sup>st</sup> RESOLVED**, that the County Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to accept and appropriate \$21,542 in grant funds as follows:

REVENUES: AMOUNT

001-MED-4729-4320 \$21,542

APPROPRIATIONS:

Office of the Medical Examiner  
Coverdell, NFSI  
001-MED-4729

Supplies, Materials, and Other Expenses \$8,555

3015-Computer and Data Storage Supplies \$1,200

3160-Computer Software \$2,855

3370-Medical, Dental, and Laboratory Supplies \$2,500

3940-Accreditation Fees \$2,000

Contractual Expenses \$12,987

4340-Travel: Other \$12,987

and be it further

**2<sup>nd</sup>**           **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

**3<sup>rd</sup>**           **RESOLVED**, that the County Executive be and hereby is authorized to execute related agreements; and be it further

**4<sup>th</sup>**           **RESOLVED**, that this Legislature, being the lead agency under the State Environmental Quality Review Act ("SEQRA"), N.Y. Environmental Conservation Law Article 8 and Chapter 450 of the Suffolk County Code, hereby finds and determines that this resolution constitutes a Type II action pursuant to Section 617.5(c)(20) and (27) of Title 6 of the NEW YORK CODE OF RULES AND REGULATIONS ("NYCRR") in that the action constitutes routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment. The Suffolk County Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) is hereby directed to circulate any appropriate SEQRA notices of determination of non-applicability or non-significance in accordance with this resolution.

DATED: March 1, 2016

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone  
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: March 4, 2016