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August 13, 2020

Hon. Anthony J. Picente, Jr.
Oneida County Executive
800 Park Avenue
Utica, New York 13501

PUBLIC SAFETY

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Dear County Executive,

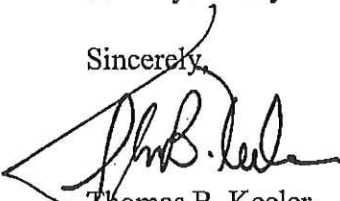
Oneida County is the recipient of an award for program funding to support Regional Immigration Assistance Center. This award is a continuation of the first Immigration Assistance Award. The Grant award is for \$1,654,260.00 and will last for three years.

This Office of Indigent Legal Services Grant is for improving the quality of mandated representation to noncitizen clients in the Central New York Region, which includes the counties of Broome, Chemung, Chenango, Cortland, Delaware, Herkimer, Jefferson, Lewis, Madison, Oneida, Onondaga, Oswego, Otsego, Schuyler, Tioga, and Tompkins.

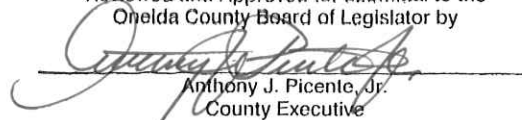
At this time, I respectfully request your approval of this award, and if you agree, please forward to the Board of Legislators for action at the next regularly scheduled meeting.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,


Thomas B. Keeler
Budget Director

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the
Oneida County Board of Legislator by


Anthony J. Picente, Jr.
County Executive

Date 1-4-21

Oneida Co. Department: Budget

Competing Proposal _____
Only Respondent _____
Sole Source RFP _____

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Name & Address of Vendor:

NYS Office of Indigent Legal Services
A.E. Smith Building, 29th Floor
80 South Swan Street
Albany, New York 12210

Title of Activity or Service:

Regional Immigration Assistance Center

Proposed Dates of Operation:

January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2022

Client Population/Number to be Served:

Immigrants within a 16 County Region
of Upstate New York

Summary Statements

1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services

This three-year grant is allocated to support the Regional Immigration Assistance Center. This grant will be used to help improve the services provided under Article 18-B of the County law and the development of partnerships with various region wide providers of services to the immigrant population. The partnership will include 16 local counties which make up the designated Central New York Region.

2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:

Funds will be distributed to the Public Defender - Criminal to implement the program.

3) Program Design and Staffing: N/A

Total Funding Requested: \$1,654,260.00 **Account #** AA1170

Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation: \$1,654,260.00

Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$): State

Mandated/Not Mandated: **Not Mandated**

Cost Per Client Served: N/A

Past Performance Data: N/A

O.C. Department Staff Comments: