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Board of Legislators

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TO: The Honorable Board of Acquisition and Contract

FROM: Honorable Catherine Borgia
Chairwoman, Westchester County Board of Legislators

SUBJECT: Authority to enter into an agreement with Latino U College Access, Inc. to provide financial aid and community information sessions for students at seven local school districts for the term January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022 in an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00.

The attached Resolution, if approved by your Honorable Board, would authorize the County of Westchester ("County") to enter into an agreement with Latino U College Access, Inc. ("Latino U") to provide financial aid and community information sessions for students at seven local school districts for the term January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022 (the "Agreement"). The proposed Agreement, in the not to exceed amount of \$100,000.00, will be paid one-half upon execution of the Agreement and one-half on or about September 1, 2022.

The proposed Agreement would provide low-income first-generation Latino students coaching and culturally relevant programming to assist them in navigating higher education and enrolling in colleges that meet their financial and academic needs. The Latino U program provides college guidance and assistance services to low-income, first-generation Westchester County Latino youth and will benefit the whole community, by enabling those who might not otherwise do so, attend college. The Agreement and its progress will be monitored by County personnel.

By resolution adopted of even date herewith, your Honorable Board has exempted the procurement of the provision of financial aid and community information

sessions by Latino U from the requirements of the Westchester County Procurement Policy, as in the best interests of the County.

It is respectfully requested and recommended that your Honorable Board approve the annexed Resolution.

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Attachment

APPROVED BOARD OF ACQUISITION & CONTRACT - 06/16/2022 - RAYMOND SCULKY, SECRETARY

