

**RESOLUTION NO. 857-2021, APPROVING COMPETITIVE GRANT FUNDING FOR A CONTRACT AGENCY (STUDIO THEATRE OF LI, INC)**

**WHEREAS**, the County of Suffolk contracts with many agencies to provide vital services to County residents; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 189-66(B) of the SUFFOLK COUNTY CODE requires contract agencies to submit to the Suffolk County Comptroller by September 15th each year, a financial disclosure form, their most recently audited financial statements and a schedule of all employees and their salaries; and

**WHEREAS**, if a contract agency fails to submit these forms and documents by the September 15th deadline, they cannot receive County funding in the subsequent budget year unless approved by a standalone resolution of the Legislature; and

**WHEREAS**, Studio Theatre of LI, Inc. was awarded a cultural competitive grant for cultural tourism as follows:

Fund	Dept	Unit	Obj	Agency Name	2020 Award
192	EDP	6414	4770	Studio Theatre of LI, Inc	\$5,000

and

**WHEREAS**, the Comptroller has advised this Legislature that Studio Theatre of LI, Inc. did not comply with the disclosure requirements of § 189-66(B) by the September 15th deadline, however, this contract agency is now in full compliance with § 189-66(B); now, therefore be it

**1st RESOLVED**, that the funding awarded pursuant to the cultural competitive grant for cultural tourism is hereby approved in accordance with § 189-66(C) of the SUFFOLK COUNTY CODE and the Department of Audit and Control is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to release 2020 funding to Studio Theatre of LI, Inc. in accordance with its regular procedures; and be it further

**2nd RESOLVED**, that this Legislature, being the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA) lead agency, hereby finds and determines that this resolution constitutes a Type II action pursuant to Section 617.5(c)(26) and (33) of Title 6 of the NEW YORK CODE OF RULES AND REGULATIONS (6 NYCRR) and within the meaning of Section 8-0109(2) of the NEW YORK ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION LAW insofar as these actions constitute routine or continuing administration and management not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment, and 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: October 5, 2021

APPROVED BY:

/s/ Steven Bellone  
County Executive of Suffolk County

Date: October 8, 2021