# TIOGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

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## HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MEETING TIOGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES - AGENDA

November 7, 2023 8:30 AM

- APPROVAL OF MINUTES October 3, 2023
- FINANCIAL
- October 2023 Budget Report
- OLD BUSINESS
- None

## NEW BUSINESS

- Caseloads
- > Tioga Career Center Report

### • **PERSONNEL**

- > Penny Walker, hired as HEAP Seasonal OS1, effective 10/10/23
- > Jason Stevens, hired as Support Investigator, effective 10/10/23
- Randi Brewer-Haskins, hired as Community Services Worker in Services, effective 10/10/23
- > Ashton Lewis, hired as Caseworker, effective 10/10/23
- Stacy Bell, SWE (Services), resigned effective 10/20/23
- Emily Watkins, AAII at SCU, resigned effective 10/20/23
- > Alycia Anthony, SWE, hired effective 10/23/23
- Shelby Frank, hired as HEAP Seasonal OS1, effective 10/23/23
- Samantha Allen, hired as HEAP Seasonal OS1, effective 10/23/23
- Kimberly Bailey Poreda, promoted to Case Supervisor Grade B, effective 10/23/23

## RESOLUTIONS

- None
- **PROCLAMATIONS**
- Adoption Awareness Month (repeat)
- ADJOURNMENT

### **CASELOAD CHANGES - 2023**

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	Case	S					
	12/30/2022	10/31/2023	% Change				
FA	120	105	-13%				
SNA Singles	72	67	-7%				
<b>SNA Families</b>	9	10	11%				
Total TA	201	182	-9%				
MA-Only	2,080	1,909	-8%				
MA-SSI	1,149	1,122	-2%				
Total MA	3,229	3,031	-6%				
SNAP	2,723	2,710	0%				
Day Care	159	176	11%				
Services	337	364	8%				
12/30/2022 10/31/2023 % Change							
FA	196	169	-14%				
SNA Singles	72	67	-7%				
SNA Families	26	35	35%				
Total TA	294	271	-8%				
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MA-Only	2,372	2,034	-14%				
MA-SSI	1,149	1,122	-2%				
Total MA	3,521	3,156	-10%				
SNAP	5,062	5,001	-1%				
Services	826	891	8%				
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	294	271	-8%				
	3,521	3,156	-10%				
ADC-FC	0	0	0%				
TOTAL	3,815	3,427	-10%				

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ACCOUNTS FOR: A General Fund	ORIGINAL APPROP	TRANFRS/ ADJSTMTS	REVISED BUDGET	YTD ACTUAL	ENCUMBRANCES	AVAILABLE BUDGET	PCT USE/COL
A6050 586088 Health Insurance F A6050 588988 EAP Fringe	52,119 15	-6,000 0	46,119 15	10,276.73 10.23	.00	35,842.15 4.33	22.3% 70.3%
TOTAL Public Facility For Children	44,069	0	44,069	73,946.21	.00	-29,877.53	167.8%
A6055 Day Care							
A6055 418550 Repayments Of Day A6055 427010 Refunds Of Prior Y A6055 436550 State Aid-Day Care A6055 540487 Day Care Program E	-500 0 -1,240,691 1,135,115	-580,000 580,000	-500 -1,820,691 1,715,115	-1,646.60 -1,159,757.00 1,330,104.12	 8888	-500.00 1,646.60 -660,934.00 385,010.88	.0%* 100.0% 63.7%* 77.6%
TOTAL Day Care	-106,076	0	-106,076	168,700.52	.00		-159.0%
A6070 Services For Recipients							
A6070 436700 RTA State Aid-Servi A6070 446700 Federal Aid-Servic A6070 540487 Title XX Program E A6070 540487 RTA Program Expense	-37,960 -50,000 37,960 37,960	-22,360 -94,900 106,028 11,232	-60,320 -144,900 156,028 49,192	-30,784.00 -96,819.00 109,716.81 37,128.00		-29,536.00 -48,081.00 46,311.19 12,064.00	51.0%* 66.8%* 70.3% 75.5%
TOTAL Services For Recipients	0	0	0	19,241.81	.00	-19,241.81	100.0%
A6101 Medical Assistance							
A6101 418010 Repayments of Medi A6101 436010 State Aid-Medical A6101 446010 Federal Aid-Medica A6101 540487 Medicaid Program E	-80,000 32,000 28,000 72,000	0000	-80,000 32,000 28,000 72,000	-135,758.11 69,862.00 60,605.00 3,375.46		55,758.11 -37,862.00 -32,605.00 68,624.54	169.7% 218.3%* 216.4%* 4.7%
TOTAL Medical Assistance	52,000	0	52,000	-1,915.65	.00	53,915.65	-3.7%
A6102 Medical Assistance - Mmis A6102 540487 MMIS Program Expen	7,470,320	0	7,470,320	6,000,363.95	.00	1,469,956.05	80.3%
TOTAL Medical Assistance - Mmis	7,470,320	0	7,470,320	6,000,363.95	.00	1,469,956.05	80.3%

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	ORIGINAL	TRANERS/	REVISED			AVAILABLE	PCT
A6109 Family Assistance	AFFRO		BUDGE -	TID ACIOAL	ENCUMBRANCES	BUDGET	
A6109 418090 Repayments Family A6109 436090 State Aid-Family A A6109 446090 Federal Aid-Family A6109 540487 Family Assist Prog	-380,000 -1,500 2,000,000	-350,000	-380,000 -1,500 -1,250,000 1,650,000	-186,659.12 -58.00 -510,000.00 1,220,203.16		-193,340.88 -1,442.00 -740,000.00 429,796.84	49.1% 3.9% 40.8% 74.0%
TOTAL Family Assistance	368,500	-350,000	18,500	523,486.04	.00	-504,986.04	22
A6119 Child Care							
A6119 418190 Repayments Of Chil A6119 427010 Refunds Of Prior v A6119 436190 State Aid-Child Ca A6119 446190 Federal Aid-Child A6119 540487 Foster Care Progra	-290,000 -1,025,600 -660,000 2,440,000	00000	-290,000 -1,025,600 -660,000 2,440,000	-213,007.69 -4,822.11 -890,120.00 -348,039.00 1,736,500.97		-76,992.31 4,822.11 -135,480.00 -311,961.00 703,499.03	73.5%* 100.0% 86.8%* 52.7%* 71.2%
TOTAL Child Care	464,400	0	464,400	280,512.17	.00	183,887.83	60.4%
A6123 Juvenile Delinguent Care							
A6123 418230 Repayments Of Juve A6123 436230 State Aid-Juvenile A6123 436230 RTA State Aid-Juven A6123 540487 JD Program Expense A6123 540487 RTA JD Program -RTA	-12,000 -76,438 -700,000 500,000 700,000	350,000 000	-12,000 -76,438 -700,000 850,000 700,000	-2,764.24 01 -419,171.00 644,361.58 417,608.92		-9,235.76 -76,437.99 -280,829.00 205,638.42 282,391.08	23.0% .0%* 59.9%* 75.8% 59.7%
TOTAL Juvenile Delinquent Care A6140 Safety Net	411,562	350,000	761,562	640,035.25	.00	121,526.75	84.0%
A6140 418400 Repayments Of Safe A6140 427010 Refunds Of Prior Y A6140 436400 State Aid-Safety N A6140 446400 Federal Aid-Safety A6140 540487 Safety Net Program	-130,000 -226,200 -50,000 1,050,000	00000	-130,000 -226,200 -50,000 1,050,000	-86,524.32 -485.00 -127,494.00 -4,749.00 649,207.32	 000000	-43,475.68 -98,706.00 -45,251.00 400,792.68	66.6%* 100.0% 96.4%* 9.5%* 61.8%

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ACCOUNTS FOR: A General Fund	ORIGINAL APPROP	TRANFRS/ ADJSTMTS	REVISED BUDGET	. YTD ACTUAL	ENCUMBRANCES	AVAILABLE BUDGET	PCT USE/COL
TOTAL Safety Net	643,800	0	643,800	429,955.00	.00	213,845.00	66.8%
A6141 Energy Crisis Assistance Progr							
A6141 418410 Repayments Of Home A6141 446410 Federal Aid-Home E A6141 540487 HEAP Program Expen	-100,000 85,000 15,000	000	-100,000 85,000 15,000	-100,932.27 52,784.00 8,909.21		932.27 32,216.00 6,090.79	100.9% 62.1% 59.4%
TOTAL Energy Crisis Assistance Progr	0	0	0	-39,239.06	.00	39,239.06	100.0%
A6142 Emergency Assistance To Adults							
A6142 427010 Refunds Of Prior Y A6142 436420 State Aid-Emergenc A6142 540487 EAA Program Expens	-15,000 30,000	000	-15,000 30,000	-45.00 -7,388.00 23,299.96		45.00 -7,612.00 6,700.04	100.0% 49.3%* 77.7%
TOTAL Emergency Assistance To Adults	15,000	0	15,000	15,866.96	.00	-866.96	105.8%
TOTAL General Fund	11,324,657	8,687	11,333,344	11,103,295.14	22,591.49	207,457.46	98.2%
TOTAL REVENUES	-12,706,889 24,031,546	-1,558,256 -14,265,145 1,566,944 25,598,489	-14,265,145 25,598,489	-7,774,002.96 18,877,298.10	.00 22,591.49	-6,491,142.38 6,698,599.84	

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8,687	TRANFRS/ ADJSTMTS	
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8,687 11,333,344 11,103,295.14	YTD ACTUAL	
22,591.49	ENCUMBRANCES	
207,457.46	AVAILABLE BUDGET	
98.2%	AVAILABLE PCT BUDGET USE/COL	

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TOTAL Youth Programs	A7310 438200 State Aid-Youth Pr A7310 540180 Dues A7310 541540 Reimbursements	A7310 Youth Programs	ACCOUNTS FOR: A General Fund	FOR 2023 10
0	-46,600 100 46,500		ORIGINAL APPROP	
0	-15,220 0 15,220		TRANFRS/ ADJSTMTS	
0	-61,820 100 61,720		REVISED BUDGET	
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100.0%	.0%* 100.0% 49.7%		PCT USE/COL	

TOTAL General Fund

TOTAL REVENUES TOTAL EXPENSES

-46,600 46,600

-15,220 15,220

-61,820 61,820

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ACCOUNTS FOR: CD Federal Employment Programs	ORIGINAL APPROP	TRANFRS/ ADJSTMTS	REVISED BUDGET	YTD ACTUAL	ENCLIMBRANCES	AVAILA8LE BUDGET	PCT
CD6293 Federal Employment Programs							
CD6293 424010 Interest And Earn CD6293 447910 Federal Aid-Feder CD6293 450310 Interfund Transfe	-276,990 -30,661	000	-276,990 -276,990	-1,916.65 -186,344.26 -30,661.22		1,916.65 -90,645.74	100.0% 67.3%*
\$10010 \$20090 \$30551	144,921 13,922	1,360	144,921 1,360 13,922	113,327.47 1,360.00 11,529.00		31,593.53 .00 2,393.00	100.0% 82.8%
540130 540190	25,000 17,500 1,500	-5,860 0	28,000 11,640 1,500	18,635.86 .00 505.24		9,364.14 11,640.00 994.76	66.6% 33.7%
CD6293 S40733 Training/All othe CD6293 S81088 State Retirement CD6293 S83088 Social Security F CD6293 S84088 Workers Compensat	22,762 3,673	1,500 0	2,000 22,762 11,682 3,673	15,944.15 8,574.10 3,183.05		1,254.00 6,817.81 3,107.48 489.97	37 70.0% 86.7%
586088 588988	63,294 44	000	63,294 44	41,362.62 39.65		21,931.78 4.03	90.8%
TOTAL Federal Employment Programs	0	0	0	-2,988.58	71.00	2,917.58	100.0%
TOTAL Federal Employment Programs	0	0	0	-2,988.58	71.00	2,917.58	100.0%
TOTAL REVENUES	-307,651 307,651	00	-307,651 307,651	-218,922.13 215,933.55	71.00	-88,729.09 91,646.67	

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<b>TOTAL</b>		
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0	REVISED BUDGET	
-2,988.58	YTD ACTUAL	
71.00	ENCUMBRANCES	
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100.0%	PCT USE/COL	
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# COMMITTEE MEETING 11/7/23

Current open job postings in Tioga = 142

29 new Unemployment claims opened in October, 26 had effective claim dates in October, 1 was seasonal, and 3 were older claims that just opened.

Unemployment Rates:

	Oct '23	Sept '23	Oct '22
Tioga	3.0	3.2	2.7
NYS	4.0	4.4	3.6
US	3.6	3.9	3.3

There's been a bit of a shift in responsibilities as we navigate the absence of an Employment and Training counselor, we have had to take on additional tasks to keep things running smoothly.

Department of Labor Project Manager involved a thorough onsite review of our Career Center in line with the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA). Thankfully, she expressed satisfaction with the information and accommodations we offer for non-English speaking customers and those with disabilities.

Currently, our focus is on actively supporting the Tioga County Chamber of Commerce in preparations for the upcoming Job Fair scheduled for November 30th at Tioga Downs.

### PROCLAMATION

This November marks the 33rd annual National Adoption Month. November 18, 2023, is National Adoption Day. Our task is to find permanent homes for all our children. Tioga County finalized three adoptions this year to date. Tioga has seven children freed for adoption, six placed with adoptive homes and one of those youth is awaiting a match with a forever family. Every child in America and Tioga County deserves a permanent, loving forever family and home; and

WHEREAS: Tioga County adoptive families serve as a source of love, identity, self-esteem, and support for children freed for adoption in Tioga County; and

WHEREAS: Tioga County adoptive families provide a safe and stable home and a nurturing environment where children freed for adoption have the opportunity to live full and productive lives; and

WHEREAS: Accepting responsibility for the care of these children has proven to be very rewarding for many adoptive parents; and

WHEREAS: Numerous public and private agencies work to increase the public's awareness of the needs of children freed for adoption, and the enduring and valuable contribution of adoptive families; and

WHEREAS: It is appropriate to recognize all those in Tioga County who work together on behalf of children freed for adoption; the adoptive families and the professional staff dedicated to ensuring these children become members of a stable and loving family; now therefore

THE TIOGA COUNTY LEGISLATURE does hereby Proclaim November as

### ADOPTION AWARENESS MONTH

in Tioga County and call upon all citizens, community agencies, religious organizations, medical facilities, and businesses to increase their participation in our efforts to recognize adoptive families in Tioga County.

Dated:

Martha Sauerbrey CHAIR TIOGA COUNTY LEGISLATURE

## LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MEETING Health & Human Services

The regular meeting of the Health & Human Services Committee was held in the Legislative Conference Room, Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 8:30 AM.

Present: Mr. William Standinger	Chair of the Committee	
Mr. Tracy Monell	Legislator	
Mr. Dennis Mullen	Legislator	
Mr. Jake Brown	Legislator	
Ms. Lori Morgan	Director of Community Services	
Mr. Chris Korba	Director of Administrative Services (MH)	
Mr. Shawn Yetter	Commissioner of Social Services	
Ms. Mickelle Andrews	Director of Administrative Services (DSS)	
Ms. Heather Vroman	Public Health Director	
Mr. Denis McCann	Director of Administrative Services (PH)	

Guests: Ms. Marte Sauerbrey Mr. Peter DeWind Ms. Liz Myers Mr. Nick Conklin Ms. Cathy Haskell Ms. Erin Riddle Legislative Châir County Attorney Deputy Commissioner (DSS) PH Fellow Legislative Clerk Legal Secretary

# MENTAL HYGIENE

- 1. Financial
  - Mr. Chris Korba noted that the 2023 budget expenses are under budget due to vacancies & fringe savings. Both Expenses and Revenues are below target due to vacancies. At this time, a return of local share is expected but that can change due to Tioga County Residents in Court Ordered Criminal Psychiatric Care. Right now, Mental Hygiene has only been invoiced through July, so the status of the Tioga County Residents whether they are still enrolled or not is unknown.
- 2. Old Business
  - Criminal Psych Ms. Lori Morgan shared that they have not received any recent invoices for criminal psych services. There are currently 2 people receiving services and MH may have another one. The cost is \$33,000/month per person.
- 3. New Business
  - Waverly location Ms. Morgan noted that she & Gary Hammond met with Hunt Engineering last week and worked on a formal plan. She should have the estimate next month.

Legislator Standinger asked for a motion to approve the September 5, 2023 HHS Committee minutes as written. Motion made by Legislator Monell. Seconded by Legislator Brown. Motion Carried.

- 4. Personnel
  - Rebecka Deretz, CSW, starting 10/10/23
  - Cara Blatt, CSW, starting 10/10/23
- 5. Resolutions Legislators approved resolutions to continue
  - Authorize Grant Renewal, Appropriation of Funds and Amend 2023 Budget (DFC)
  - Transfer of Funds, Budget Modification (replacement camera)
  - Appropriation of Funds, Budget Modification 2023 (pass-through state aid to Tompkins-Seneca-Tioga BOCES & Trinity)
  - Appropriation of Funds and Budget Modification (pass-through state aid to Catholic Charities, AspireHopeNY, NYS/Elmira Psych Center & RSS)
  - Amend Budget & Appropriate Funds (roll-over of unspent funds)
- 6. Proclamations
  - None

## PUBLIC HEALTH

- 1. Financial
  - Mr. Denis McCann reported that 2023 Public Health budget continues to track well, and he expects to have a return at the end of the year. On the preschool side of the budget, he stated there will be a resolution in November and another probably in December to add funds to Preschool in 2023. Mr. McCann shared that in coordination with Gary Hammond, PH's Captial Plan was changed to purchase an additional vehicle as a result of purchasing less expensive vehicles. There is 36% reimbursement on the vehicles. Legislator Standinger thanked Public Health for working with Gary Hammond on improving the vehicle fleet.
- 2. Old Business
  - None
- 3. New Business
  - Agency Report for September 2023 forwarded to committee.
  - Ms. Vroman reported that there has been an uptick in COVID cases. There were 218 confirmed cases in September, which is more than June through August combined. No new directives from NYS.
  - Ms. Vroman shared that after this meeting, she will be attending a PH Directors Summit where they will be discussing the NYSACHO resolutions: 1) ask that preschool transportation coordination be put back to school districts and 2) an 11% increase to El providers.
  - Denis McCann was recently recognized for his 20 years of service.
  - PH partnered with Mental Hygiene, CASA-Trinity, and Tioga ASAP to hold six Narcan trainings. During the event, 84 Narcan kits were distributed.
  - Vaccination clinics are every Thursday. The clinic team has been busy vaccinating children either at risk of being, or already, excluded from school due to lack of vaccines.

- 4. Personnel
  - Megan Givens, Early Intervention Service Coordinator, hired effective 9/11/23
  - Adam Ace, Public Health Sanitarian, resigned effective 9/15/23
- 5. Resolutions
  - Amend Budget and Appropriation Funds (CHSC)
- 6. Proclamations
  - Lead Poisoning Prevention Week (repeat)

## SOCIAL SERVICES

Commissioner Yetter noted as a result of Gary Grant's retirement, Mickelle Andrews, Director of Administrative Services will be presenting the financial report. He also noted that Liz Myers, new Deputy Commissioner, will be attending the Committee meetings as her schedule allows.

- 1. Financial
  - Ms. Mickelle Andrews reported that all programs are at or below budget for 2023. Day Care is running high. Foster Care may have another residential placement. The MA weekly shares have enough funds to cover 2023. Jackson Bailey adjusted the 2024 budget for the increase of over \$800,000 in weekly shares.
- 2. Old Business
  - None.
- 3. New Business
  - Caseloads

During September, Cash Assistance decreased 8 cases, with Family Assistance remaining flat and Safety Net decreasing 8 cases.

MA-Only decreased 18 cases. MA-SSI decreased 7 cases. Total Individuals on Medicaid decreased 61 cases to 3,483. SNAP decreased 17 cases. Day Care increased 11 cases. Have funds to cover. See Caseload Summary

- Tioga Career Center report is attached. The unemployment rate in Tioga County continues to remain below the state & federal levels.
- 4. Personnel Changes
  - Amanda Bieberich (Miller), Grade B Supervisor, resigned effective 9/7/23
  - Erin Evans, Caseworker, resigned effective 9/8/23
  - Samantha Webster, promoted to Coordinator of Child Support Enforcement, effective 9/11/23
  - Jessica Morris, promoted to Sr. Social Welfare Examiner, effective 9/11/23

- Shawna lves, promoted to Sr. Support Investigator, effective 9/11/23
- Stacy Bell, hired as Social Welfare Examiner, effective 9/11/23
- Margaret Mary Dunsford, Caseworker, resigned effective 9/25/23
- Stephen Williams, hired as Seasonal SWE in HEAP, effective 9/25/23
- Christina Franscone, hired as Seasonal SWE in HEAP, effective 9/25/23
- Alexis Gause, hired as P/T Community Services Worker in Services, effective 9/25/23
- Jeanette Carosella, hired as Caseworker, effective 9/25/23
- 5. Resolutions Legislators approved resolutions to continue
  - Appropriation of Funds and Amend 2023 Budget (Non-residential DV)
  - Amend 2023 Budget (CAC)
- 6. Proclamations
  - None

## ADJOURNED:

Health & Human Services Committee adjourned at 8:50 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Gail V. Perdue Executive Secretary, Social Services