

Summary of Minutes

HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

November 29, 2022

5:00 p.m.

Vice Chairwoman Smith called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jackie Smith (Vice Chair), Steve Brew, Paul Dondorfer, Kirk Morris, Michael Yudelson (RMM), Albert Blankley, Linda Hasman

MEMBERS ABSENT: Blake Keller (Chair) (Excused), Carolyn Delvecchio Hoffman (Excused)

OTHER LEGISLATORS PRESENT: Susan Hughes-Smith, Ricky Frazier, William Burgess, Maria Vecchio

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Jeff McCann (Deputy County Executive), Corinda Crossdale (Deputy County Executive – HHS), Robert Franklin (Chief Financial Officer), John Bringewatt (County Attorney), Dr. Michael Mendoza (Public Health Commissioner), Denise Read (DHS), Alyssa Tallo (MCH Director), Thalia Wright (DHS Commissioner), Steve Newcomb (Office for the Aging Director), Kathy Cardilli (DHS), Kathy Carelock (DHS), Kathy Hiltunen (DHS), Rebecca Hartman (DHS), Adrienne Green (Legislative Liaison), Richard Tantalo (Public Safety Director), Korey Brown (Undersheriff), Tom Frys (Transportation Director), Tim Henry (Public Safety Deputy Director), Mark Funk (Conflict Defender), Dale Russell (Veteran’s Services Agency)

PUBLIC FORUM: There were no speakers.

PRESENTATION: Robert Franklin, Chief Financial Officer, Finance Department  
Proposed 2023 Monroe County Budget  
As it pertained to the Human Services Committee  
*(The presentation was followed by a question and answer period)*

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of October 25, 2022 were approved as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS:

**22-0393 -** Amend Resolution 266 of 2019 to Accept Additional Funding from Columbia University for the HEALing Communities Study Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.

ADOPTED: 7-0

**22-0394 -** Amend Resolution 291 of 2020 to Accept Additional Funding from the New York State Department of Health and Authorize a Contract with Reliant Staffing Systems, Inc., D.B.A. Career Start for the Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Morris.

ADOPTED: 7-0

**22-0396 -** Amend Resolution 154 of 2022 to Accept Additional Funding from Health Research, Inc. for the Expanded Partner Services Initiative – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Morris, SECONDED by Legislator Brew.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0397 - Acceptance of a Grant from the New York State Governor's Traffic Safety Committee for the Comprehensive Toxicology Testing in Driving Under the Influence and Driving Under the Influence of Drugs Program (Office of the Medical Examiner) – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0398 - Acceptance of a Grant from Health Research, Inc. for the Overdose Data to Action Program (Office of the Medical Examiner's Forensic Toxicology Laboratory) – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Morris.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0399 - Authorize a Contract with Nurse-Family Partnership (National Service Office) for Support of the Nurse-Family Partnership Program – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Morris, SECONDED by Legislator Brew.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0400 - Authorize Contracts to Provide Temporary Ventilator and Pediatric Unit Nursing and Respiratory Staff at Monroe Community Hospital – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0401 - Acceptance of Additional Funding from the New York State Office of Children and Family Services and Amend Resolution 307 of 2022 Authorize Contracts with Not-For-Profit Agencies for Rochester-Monroe County Youth Bureau Programs in 2022 – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Morris.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0402 - Authorize Contracts for the Provision of Mental Health, Developmental Disability, and Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services in 2023 for the Monroe County Office of Mental Health – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Morris, SECONDED by Legislator Brew.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0403 - Authorize Professional Services Contracts for the Monroe County Office of Mental Health, Socio-Legal Center – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0404 - Authorization to Contract for Monroe County Office for the Aging Programs in 2023-2024 – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Dondorfer, SECONDED by Legislator Morris.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0420 -** Acceptance of Funding from the New York State Office of Addiction Services and Supports and Amend Resolution 517 of 2021, as Amended by Resolutions 122 and 174 of 2022, Authorizing Contracts for the Provision of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, and Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services in 2022 for the Monroe County Office of Mental Health – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Morris, SECONDED by Legislator Brew.

ADOPTED: 7-0

- 22-0421 -** Amend Resolution 412 of 2020, as Amended by Resolution 421 of 2021, to Amend and Increase the Contract with Rochester Regional Health, through its Rochester General Hospital Permitted Laboratories, to Provide Clinical Laboratory Services for the Monroe County Department of Public Health – County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Brew, SECONDED by Legislator Dondorfer.

ADOPTED: 7-0

OTHER MATTERS:

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no other matters, Vice Chairwoman Smith adjourned the meeting at 7:03 p.m.

The next Human Services Committee meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, December 20, 2022 at 5:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,  
David Grant  
Clerk of the Legislature