



MONROE COUNTY

Human Services Committee

January 28, 2025 5:00 PM

AGENDA

A. ROLL CALL

B. PUBLIC FORUM

C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

December 17, 2024

D. NEW BUSINESS

25-0022

Authorize Contracts for the Preschool Special Education Program - County Executive Adam J. Bello

E. OTHER MATTERS

F. ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the Human Services Committee is scheduled for Tuesday, February 25, 2025, at 5:00 P.M.



ATTACHMENTS:

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Summary of Minutes
HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE
December 17, 2024
5:00 p.m.

Chairwoman Hasman called the meeting to order at 5:32 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Linda Hasman (Chair), Albert Blankley, Steve Brew, Santos Cruz, Paul Dondorfer, Richard B. Milne (RMM)*, Jackie Smith, Mercedes Vazquez Simmons, Yversha Román (Ex-Officio)

**(Note: Legislator Milne was present via videoconferencing)*

OTHER LEGISLATORS PRESENT: Rachel Barnhart, John B. Baynes, William Burgess, Frank Ciardi, Robert Colby, Carolyn Delvecchio Hoffman, Tracy DiFlorio, Blake Keller, David Long, Howard Maffucci, Virginia E. McIntyre Kirk Morris, Susan Hughes-Smith

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: Adrienne Green (Legislative Liaison), Robert Franklin (Chief Financial Officer), John Bringewatt (County Attorney), Laura Smith (Chief Deputy County Attorney)

PUBLIC FORUM: There were no speakers.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of November 26, 2024 were approved as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS:

24-0444 - Authorize a Contract with Nelson Engineering, PLLC to Provide Professional Sanitation Consultant Services for the Monroe County Department of Public Health - County Executive Adam J. Bello

MOVED by Legislator Vazquez Simmons, SECONDED by Legislator Bonnick

ADOPTED: 8-0

OTHER MATTERS:

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no other matters, Chairwoman Hasman adjourned the meeting at 5:35 p.m.

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Respectfully submitted,
Adina Goldstein
Second Assistant Deputy Clerk of the Legislature



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Office of the County Executive

Monroe County, New York

Adam J. Bello
County Executive

January 10, 2025

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To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Authorize Contracts for the Preschool Special Education Program

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body authorize contracts with the approved schools, agencies and individuals listed in Attachment A, and additional approved subcontractors as needed, in a total amount not to exceed \$36,000,000 annually for the provision of services for the Preschool Special Education Program (Preschool Program) for the period of July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2025.

The Preschool Program is a federally mandated program through the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Monroe County is required by New York State to administer the Preschool Program to children, age three to five, who are eligible for special education services. The County fulfills this responsibility by contracting with a variety of eligible, State-approved, Preschool Program providers for evaluations, consultations, education and related services. The Preschool Program providers, who deliver Special Education Classrooms, Evaluations and Special Education Itinerant Services, submit an application and go through an approval process with the New York State Education Department. Based on the most recent school year with completed data (2023-2024), the Preschool Program served 3295 Monroe County children.

The specific legislative action required is to authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to execute contracts, and any amendments thereto, with the approved schools, agencies and individuals specified in Attachment A, and additional approved subcontractors as needed, for the provision of services for the Preschool Special Education Program, in a total amount not to exceed \$36,000,000 annually, for the period of July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2025.

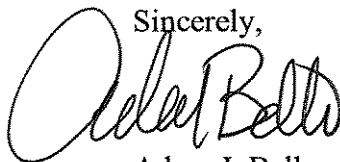
This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(26) ("routine or continuing agency administration and management, not including new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for these contracts is included in the 2024 and 2025 operating budgets of the Department of Public Health, general fund 9001, funds centers 5807510000, PSE Tuition & SEIT, 5807520000, PSE Related Services and 5807530000, PSE Preschool Evaluations. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

The records in the Office of the Monroe County Treasury have indicated that none of these agencies or individuals owe any delinquent Monroe County property taxes.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Adam J. Bello". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "A".

Adam J. Bello
Monroe County Executive

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Attachment A
Contractors for Preschool Special Education Program

Affinity Rehabilitation, LLP	Liberty Resources Psychology, Physical, Occupational and Speech Therapy, PLLC
Annechino, Janelle	Lift Bridge Physical Therapy, PLCC
Armstrong, Krista Physical Therapy PLCC	MacMullen, Rachel d/b/a Strong Roots Pediatric Speech Therapy
Atlas Search Health Solutions, LLC	Mattle, Kaitlin dba Shine Speech and Language
Beamish, Jane	McAdam, Brooke
Bowne, Anna dba OT Today	Mary Cariola Children's Center, Inc.
Brace, Erica	McGrath, Debra ,PT
Breaking Boundaries OT AND PT Services, PLCC	McGregor, Elizabeth
Bridge Speech and Language Therapy Services, PLCC	Monroe 2-Orleans BOCES
Bright Start Pediatric SLP & OT Services, PLLC	The Network for Children's Speech, Occupational and Physical Therapy, LLC d/b/a Children's Therapy Network
Bowlin, Kim	NYSARC, Inc. Genesee-Livingston-Orleans-Wyoming Counties Chapter dba Arc GLOW
Brockport Central School District	O'Brien, Caitlin dba Collecting Words Pediatric Speech Therapy - Independent Speech/Language Pathologist
Building Blocks Comprehensive Services, Inc.	Olive Speech Therapy, PLCC
Building Blocks Learning Center, LLC	Opalecky Physical Therapy Services OT Rochester, PLCC
Camillaci, Lisa Ann	Passero, Jessica
Casey, Kathryn	Parker, Jeanne
Chavanne, Sara	Piatek, Rosie
Colluci, Gina	Rinasz, Joanna Suzanne
Coon, Shawna	Rivera, Yahkabed Hadassah
Cooper, Jeffrey M.	ROC Speech and Language Therapy Services, LLC
Coyne Speech and Audiology, PLCC	Rochester ChildFirst Network (RCN) f/k/a Rochester Children's Nursery
Cullen, Ellen dba Ellen Cullen OT PLCC	Rochester City School District
Dastyck, Ashley - Independent Speech/Language Pathologist	Rochester Occupation Therapy Services, PLCC
Daystar for Medically Fragile Children, Inc	Room to Bloom Therapy Services, LLC
Deeney, Stephanie dba Early O.W.L.S.	Seaver, Kimberly L.
DiMartino-Odai, Michelle	Sents, Danielle
Dubay, Mackenzie	Sidi, Katherine
Explore Your Roar Speech Therapy, PLCC	Slentz, Marianne
Finger Lakes Therapy Works, Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech-Language Pathology, and Psychology, PLLC	Smith, Evan
Finger Lakes United Cerebral Palsy, Inc. d/b/a Happiness House	Snyder, Allison - Independent Speech/Language Pathologist
Fish, Anna-Independent Occupational Therapist	
Flower City Occupational Therapy, PLCC	

<p>Fox, Jacqueline</p> <p>Gates Chili Central School District</p> <p>Gebhard, Ann</p> <p>Giamartino, Madeline</p> <p>Grichen, Emily</p> <p>Habecker, Andrea - Independent Occupation Therapist</p> <p>Hearing and Speech Center of Rochester Inc., dba Rochester Hearing and Speech Center</p> <p>Hilton Central School District</p> <p>Hoke, Judith</p> <p>Howe, Sheila</p> <p>Ihrig, Melissa dba ROC Your Voice Speech language & AAC Services</p> <p>Ishman, Carmen</p> <p>LaMonica, JoAnne LEAP OT, PT & SLP, PLLC dba LEAP for Kids, OT, PT & SLP</p> <p>Least, Stephanie</p>	<p>Sparrow Speech & Language Therapy Services, PLLC</p> <p>Spencerport Central School District Step By Step Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Language Therapy, LMSW and Psychology Services, PLLC</p> <p>Sugar, Meghan</p> <p>Sullivan, Wendy Lea Mary TVI Lehman Services, United Cerebral Palsy Association of the Rochester Area, Inc. d/b/a/CP Rochester</p> <p>Upstate Music Therapy Center, LLC</p> <p>Wasson, Tereza</p> <p>Weaver, Sara dba Upstate Speech Solutions</p> <p>Waightel, Alissa - Independent Speech/Language Pathologist</p> <p>Wayne County ARC – Roosevelt Children’s Center</p> <p>Western New York Speech-Language Pathology, OT and PT Consultants, PLLC, d/b/a Clinical Associates of the Finger Lakes</p> <p>Wheatland Chili Central School District</p> <p>Wheeler Occupational Therapy, PLLC</p>
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*Approved NYSED and Office of the Professions contracted providers utilized as of January 1, 2022. This list is updated throughout the year as service providers are added.