

SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

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TO: MEMBERS OF THE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

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FROM: Legislator Kate Browning, Chair

DATE: March 15, 2010

RE: **AGENDA**

Please be advised that the next meeting of the Health and Human Services Committee will be held on Thursday, March 18, 2010 at 2:00 p.m. in the Rose Y. Caracappa Auditorium of the William H. Rogers Building, Veterans Memorial Highway, Hauppauge, New York.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

CORRESPONDENCE: NONE

PRESENTATIONS: Dr. Francis Safina MD, Medical Director of a Suffolk County Methadone Clinic and Art Flescher, Deputy Director of Mental Health will be presenting the Suboxone-to-Abstinence program for the purposes of IR 1186-10.

Acting Commissioner Dr. Mermelstien will be available to answer questions on the Health Services Electronic Medical Record Program.

James L. Tomarken, MD, up for appointment as Commissioner of Health Services, will be in attendance for introductory statements and questions.

PUBLIC PORTION:

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TABLED RESOLUTIONS:

- 1095-10 Directing the Department of Health Services to make its database of automated external defibrillator locations available to emergency 911 dispatchers. (Lindsay)
- 1096-10 Directing the Department of Health Services to develop signs for locations of automated external defibrillators. (Lindsay)
- 1129-10 A Local Law to ensure the integrity of prescription labels in Suffolk County. (Cooper)
- 1199-10 Establishing a Heroin Epidemic Advisory Panel. (Horsley)

INTRODUCTORY RESOLUTIONS:

- 1229-10 Adopting Local Law No. -2010, A Local Law prohibiting the sale of aerosol dusting products to minors. (Horsley)
- 1230-10 Adopting Local Law No. -2010, A Local Law banning the sale of drinking games to minors. (Cilmi)
- 1249-10 Accepting and appropriating 100% grant funding from the New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance to the Suffolk County Department of Social Services for the continuation of the Safety Net Assistance Project (SNAP) and authorize the County Executive and the Commissioner of Social Services to execute a contract. (Co. Exec.)
- 1257-10 Confirming appointment of James L. Tomarken, MD, as Commissioner of Health Services. (Co. Exec.)
- 1259-10 Creating a Suffolk County Emergency Housing Assistance Task Force to locate suitable housing equitably throughout Suffolk County for individuals registered with the State Division of Criminal Justice Services pursuant to the provisions of Article 6-C of the New York Correction Law. (Co. Exec.)
- 1260-10 Amending the 2010 Adopted Operating Budget to accept and appropriate 100% additional State Aid from the New York State Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services for Eastern Suffolk BOCES to support the implementation of youth development surveys throughout Suffolk County School Districts. (Co. Exec.)
- 1261-10 Amending the 2010 Adopted Operating Budget to accept and appropriate 100% Federal grant funds passed through the New York State Department of Health for the ARRA Immunization Program. (Co. Exec.)

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- 1262-10 Amending the 2010 Adopted Operating Budget to accept and appropriate 100% additional State Aid from the New York State Office of Mental Health for the provision of an additional crisis residence-single room occupancy operated by Concern for Independent Living, Inc. (Co. Exec.)
- 1271-10 Amending the 2010 Adopted Operating Budget to adjust current levels of funding and to accept and appropriate 100% additional State Aid from the New York State Office of Mental Health for Personalized Recovery Oriented Services (PROS) Providers. (Co. Exec.)
- 1300-10 Maintaining a common sense policy for housing sex offenders that protects and safeguards public safety. (Stern)

HOME RULE MESSAGES: NONE

ADJOURNMENT