County of Albany

Harold L. Joyce Albany County Office Building 112 State Street - Albany, NY 12207



Meeting Minutes

Thursday, February 27, 2025 5:00 PM

Harold L. Joyce Albany County Office Building
Cahill Room - First Floor

Health Committee

PREVIOUS BUSINESS:

Present: Raymond F. Joyce, Carolyn McLaughlin, Matthew J.

Miller, Mark A. Robinson, Zach Collins, Patrice Lockart

and Susan Pedo

Excused: Robert J. Beston

1. APPROVING PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

A motion was made that the previous meeting minutes be approved. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

2. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED LOCAL LAW NO. "P" FOR 2024: A LOCAL LAW OF THE COUNTY OF ALBANY, NEW YORK AMENDING CHAPTER 242 OF THE ALBANY COUNTY CODE TO PROVIDE A LOCAL LICENSING SYSTEM FOR TOBACCO AND RELATED PRODUCTS

This proposal was tabled at the request of the Sponsor.

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CURRENT BUSINESS:

4. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH PSYCHIATRIC GROUP OF ALBANY REGARDING PSYCHIATRIC SERVICES

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

5. AMENDING THE 2025 DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET: JUSTICE AND MENTAL HEALTH COLLABORATION PROGRAM GRANT FUNDING

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

6. AMENDING THE 2025 DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET: RE-ENTRY SERVICES

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

- **7.** AMENDING THE 2025 DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET: JAIL DIVERSION FUNDING
 - A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.
- **8.** AMENDING THE 2025 DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET: MENTAL HEALTH COURT NAVIGATION

A motion was made to move the proposal forward with a positive recommendation. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.