

County of Albany

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



Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, April 29, 2025

5:30 PM

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

Social Services Committee

PREVIOUS BUSINESS:

Present: Ellen Rosano, Merton D. Simpson, Mickey Cleary, Beroro T. Efekoro, Andrew Joyce, Patrice Lockart and Frank A. Mauriello

Excused: Matthew J. Miller and Samuel I. Fein

1. APPROVING PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

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

CURRENT BUSINESS:**2. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES NORTH, INC. FOR THE PROVISION OF FOSTER CARE SERVICES**

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

3. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH SCHENECTADY COUNTY REGARDING PRESCHOOL EVALUATION SERVICES FOR THE CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS PROGRAM

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

4. AUTHORIZING PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROVIDER AGREEMENTS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

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

5. AUTHORIZING AGREEMENTS WITH VARIOUS SCHOOL DISTRICTS FOR PRESCHOOL EVALUATION SERVICES FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

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

6. AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH SPOTTED ZEBRA LEARNING CENTER REGARDING INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

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 FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES BUDGET: ADMINISTRATIVE ADJUSTMENTS

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

8. AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 21 FOR 2025 AND AMENDING THE 2025 DEPARTMENT FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES BUDGET

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