



TIOGA COUNTY
2023 SHARED SERVICES PLAN

Office of the Legislative Chair

Ronald E. Dougherty County Office Building 56 Main Street Owego, NY 13827



Martha Sauerbrey Legislative Chair

November 17, 2023

New York Secretary of State
99 Washington Avenue
Albany, NY 12231

To Whom It May Concern:

As Chair of the Tioga County Legislature and on behalf of the Tioga Countywide Shared Services Panel, I am reporting that the Shared Services Panel members met twice during 2023. The first meeting was held on April 26, 2023 and invitations were extended to all Tioga County school and BOCES district superintendents and we were joined by two school superintendents and two BOCES superintendents who are not Shared Services Panel members. The second meeting was held in conjunction with our Council of Governments meeting on November 15, 2023 in an effort to increase participation. We had one resident from the Village of Owego in attendance.

It was at our final meeting on November 15, 2023 that the decision was made, and votes were cast that we would not submit a new 2023 Countywide Shared Services Plan or modify our existing Plan. Our 2022 Shared Services Plan was successful and provided both Tioga County and Owego-Apalachin Central School District with substantial taxpayer cost-savings.

Attached are the votes of each Panel Member with an explanation of their vote.

Communication with the public came through posting our agenda and meeting notices including minutes on the Tioga County website and the public bulletin boards located at the Ronald E. Dougherty County Office Building.

Regards,


Martha C. Sauerbrey, Chair
Tioga County Legislature

TIOGA COUNTY 2023 SHARED SERVICES PLAN
VOTE JUSTIFICATION

Panel Representative: Siogee County

Municipality: Siogee County Register

Vote Cast: Yes No

As a member of the Tioga County Shared Services Panel, I understand and agree that we do not have a new Shared Services Plan to submit for 2023.

I also agree and understand that it is not in the best interest of the Tioga County taxpayers to revise or modify our existing Shared Services Plans at this time.

Matthew Gamber

Panel Representative

11-15-23

Date

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Panel Representative: Charles E. Peric

Municipality: Richford

Vote Cast: X Yes _____ No

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Panel Representative: DONALD CASTELLUCCI JR

Municipality: Town of Oneida

Vote Cast: ✓ Yes _____ No

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Panel Representative: ALLEN T. FULKERSON

Municipality: TOWN OF SPENCER

Vote Cast: X Yes _____ No

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Allen T. Fulkerson

Panel Representative

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Panel Representative: James P. Tornatore

Municipality: Village of Newark Valley

Vote Cast: X Yes _____ No

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James P. Tornatore
Panel Representative

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Panel Representative: GILBERT KNAPP

Municipality: VILLAGE OF SPENCER

Vote Cast: X Yes _____ No

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Panel Representative: Barbara Grehm-Jordan

Municipality: Berkshire Town

Vote Cast: *J* Yes No

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Barbara Grehm-Jordan
Panel Representative

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Panel Representative: LESLEY PELOTTE

Municipality: VILLAGE OF NICHOLS, NY.

Vote Cast: Yes No

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Lesley Pelotte
Panel Representative

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Panel Representative: Mike Baratta

Municipality: Village of Owego

Vote Cast: X Yes No

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