

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
September 8, 2026

The Personnel Committee of the Broome County Legislature met on Tuesday, September 8, 2026 in the Legislative Conference Room, Sixth Floor, Edwin L. Crawford County Office Building, Binghamton, New York.

Members Present: G. Baldwin (Chair), E. Micha, J. Shaw, K. Myers, S. Ryan.

Members Absent: None.

Others Present: B. Weslar, M. McDonald, C. French, C. Hall, Legislature; J. Garner, County Executive; J. Lindsay, T. Adams, N. Angeline, OMB; C. Secor, Purchasing; N. Williams, DSS; T. Fiala, S. Brewer, Planning; D. Goguen, OET; O. Catalano, Health Department; G. Kilmer, Transit; Elizabeth Warneck, Mental Health; S. Mosher, WPRNC; Sarah DeFrank, Food Bank of the Southern Tier; Kristin Toombs, Health Management Associates Rep., April Ramsey, Vincent Gialanella, Resident.

The Personnel Committee meeting was called to order by the Chair at 4:01 PM. Legislator Myers made a motion, seconded by Legislator Ryan, to move the agenda.

The Chair requested that renewals, including Resolutions #5, 6, 7, 11, 20, 22, 23, and 27 be grouped together and voted on in a single vote. Legislator Myers made a motion to consider the resolutions as one vote, seconded by Legislator Shaw. The vote to consider the resolutions as one vote carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0. The resolutions grouped together carried, Ayes-5, Nays-0

The Committee took the following action with regard to the matters before it:

#5 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE CANCER SERVICES PROGRAM OF THE SOUTHERN TIER GRANT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#6 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE TRAFFIC SAFETY PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#7 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE CHILDHOOD LEAD POISONING PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#11 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN (WIC) SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#20 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE FLEXIBLE FUNDS FOR FAMILY SERVICES PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#21 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE UNIVERSAL CHILD CARE PILOT PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES, ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET AND AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE FAMILY ENRICHMENT NETWORK INC. TO ADMINISTER A PORTION OF SAID PROGRAM FOR 2026-2029

In response to a question from the Committee, Social Services Commissioner Nancy Williams stated that the County will contract the family enrichment network to work with childcare providers while DSS works with families to identify open slots. The goal is to identify and fill 1000 childcare slots. Families will be responsible for co-pays.

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#22 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (HEAP) GRANT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#23 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#25 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE GUN INVOLVED VIOLENCE ELIMINATION (GIVE) PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF SHERIFF AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#26 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE STATEWIDE TARGETED REDUCTION IN INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE (STRIVE) PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2025-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#27 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF THE PRE-TRIAL RELEASE PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PROBATION AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

#36 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF PY26 NY SYSTEMS CHANGE AND INCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITIES NETWORK – OFFICE OF MENTAL HEALTH (NY SCION OMH) PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE OFFICE OF EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING AND ADOPTING A PROGRAM BUDGET FOR 2026-2027

Carried. Ayes-5, Nays-0

There being no further business to come before the Committee at this time, Legislator Micha made a motion, seconded by Legislator Shaw, to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 4:14 PM.