



Committee on Social Services

~AGENDA~

Tuesday, January 22, 2019

11:00 AM

Committee Chair: Kitley Covill

Committee Room, 148 Martine Avenue, 8th Floor, White Plains, NY 10601

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CALL TO ORDER

MINUTES APPROVAL

1. Monday, January 14, 2019 at 10:05 AM

I. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

1. **(ID # 11489) Communication – LEGISLATORS MAHER, CLEMENTS, SHIMSKY, BARR, BORGIA, COVILL, BOYKIN AND A. WILLIAMS: LoHud Article - "Day care nightmare: Scarsdale parents' tale of a son losing a fingertip":**

Forwarding a LoHud article entitled, "Day care nightmare: Scarsdale parents' tale of s son losing a fingertip, reveals violations".

Invited Guests

Commissioner Kevin McGuire, Social Services

Kathy Halas, Executive Director, Child Care Council of Westchester

II. OTHER BUSINESS

Unfinished Business and any other agenda items to come before the Committee.

III. RECEIVE & FILE

1. **(ID # 11457) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: Daily Freeman Article - "Ulster County's New Family Court called 'a model' that others could follow":**

Forwarding a *Daily Freeman* article entitled, "Ulster County's new Family Court called 'a model' that others in NY could follow."

2. **(ID # 11458) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: NY Equity Coalition Report - NYS's Education System Suspension Crisis:**

Forwarding a report from The New York Equity Coalition and the Press Release from The Education Trust - New York on the NYS's education system suspension crisis.

3. **(ID # 11470) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: Dailyfreeman.com Article - "Ulster County's new Restorative Justice Center":**

Forwarding a *Dailyfreeman.com* article entitled, "Ulster County's new Restorative Justice Center aims to steer youths away from crime."

4. **(ID # 11471) Communication – LEGISLATORS MAHER AND A. WILLIAMS: Pew Charitable Trust Report - "Prison Health Care Costs and Quality":**

Forwarding a Report from *Pew Charitable Trust* entitled, "Prison Health Care Costs and Quality - How and why states strive for high performing systems."

5. **(ID # 11472) Communication – HON. DAMON R. MAHER: Various articles on Advancing Equitable Early Childhood Systems in Local Communities:**

Forwarding various articles on Advancing Equitable Early Childhood Systems in Local Communities.

6. **(ID # 11480) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Correspondence regarding Reporting and Preventing Hate Incidents:**

Forwarding correspondence from Ardsley Mayor Kaboolian regarding a Proposal on Policy and Procedures for Reporting and Preventing Hate Incidents.

7. **(ID # 11482) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: NYTimes Article - "The Kernel of Human (or Rodent) Kindness":**

Forwarding a *New York Times* article entitled, "The Kernel of Human (or Rodent) Kindness."

8. **(ID # 11485) Communication – HON. MARYJANE SHIMSKY: Law360.com Article - "Legal Aid Funder Faces Existential Crisis Under Trump":**

Forwarding a *Law360.com* article entitled, ""Legal Aid Funder Faces Existential Crisis Under Trump."

9. **(ID # 11491) Communication – LEGISLATORS MAHER AND BARR: New York Times Article - "How a Crackdown on MS-13 Caught Up Innocent HS Students":**

Forwarding a *New York Times* article entitled, "How a Crackdown on MS-13 Caught Up Innocent High School Students"

ADJOURNMENT